



Waterloo First United Methodist Church

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Rev. Dr. Hojin Shin, *Pastor*

The Mission of Waterloo First United Methodist Church is to be a church of people who live as disciples of Jesus Christ by providing a place for spiritual growth in a caring, inviting community.

September 7, 2025

Rally Day

Welcome! We are happy to have you with us today!

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Liturgist Toni Brown

Please sign and pass the Ritual of Friendship.

PRELUDE

“Gross Gott” (Te Deum)
(“Holy God, We Praise Thy Name”)

Katholisches Gesengbuch

*OPENING HYMNS

“I Will Call Upon The Lord”
“O Jesus, I Have Promised”

No. 2002

No. 396

MOMENT OF PRAYER

The Nicene Creed

No. 880

The Lord’s Prayer

No. 895

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Matthew 14: 22-33

ANTHEM

“Built on a Rock”

Joel Raney

The Chancel Choir

Emily Forssberg, director ~ Ginger Herndon, accompanist

SERMON

“Faith in Motion– Faith & Risk; ‘Stepping Out’”

Rev. Hojin Shin

HOLY COMMUNION

HYMN

“Do This In Remembrance of Me”

Dr. Margaret Pleasant

Douroux

Communion will be served in two ways:

1. Communion Stewards will wear gloves to serve the bread and a small glass of juice at the front for those who wish to be served.
 2. Self-serve cups will be available for those who do not wish to have Communion served to them. They should pick up their cup when entering the sanctuary.
- Gluten-free Communion is available on the center aisle.

***CLOSING HYMN**

“Standing On the Promises”

No. 374

***BENEDICTION**

POSTUDE

“To My Father's House”

Words: Congregational Praise Song

Arr: Kenneth Louis, 2000

John Roberts, Ed. D., pianist

*Please stand if you are able

We are happy you are with us today!!
*Please sign the **attendance registration** pad located in the pew racks.*

Altar Flowers
Today's altar flowers are given by Toni Brown

If you would like to use a **large print hymnal**,
or a **hearing assistance device** please ask an usher for one.

- * Our prayer chain is available to any who have needs or concerns. We will pray with you and for you. Fill out a prayer request form located in the pew or contact the church office at 235-7088. All prayer requests will be sent out by email.
- * Our Cry Room, Nursery, and a Rest Room are all located off the hallway in the back of the sanctuary.
- * The service is recorded each week and is available to anyone who requests it. If you know of someone who is unable to attend services and would like to receive a DVD or an audio CD, please contact the church office, 235-7088.
- * Today's service is being live streamed on Facebook.
- * Children's Bulletins are available in the sanctuary on a table by the door in the front. Children's packets are available in bags and the back of the sanctuary.

Ministers	Every Member
Director of Music	Emily Forssberg
Organist	Dr. Linda Sharp DMA, MDiv
Pianist	Dr. John Roberts, Ed. D.
Administrative Assistant	Kristy Klinger
Financial Assistant	Kris Stewart
Media Specialist	Sally Thurman