

## SERVING YOU TODAY

Liturgist	Chuck McClain
Preacher	The Rev. Nancy M. Ludwig
Organist	Charles de Mets
Readers:	Dick Rapson, 8:15; Jo Hovis, 11:00
Greeters	Dottie Montgomery, 8:15; Margi Fleming, 9:30; Dot Cimillo, 11:00
Head Usher	Al Zollers
Ushers	Lyn Matthew, Dick Rapson, Charlie Rumbel, 8:15 Mike Kearns, Susan Dever, Mike Dever, Jim Iaia 11:00
Sound & Video	Brad Beck, Ed Travis, Kris Borcheck, Rudy Cieri

## PASTORS & STAFF

J. William Lentz, Jr., Senior Pastor  
Nancy M. Ludwig, Associate Pastor  
Lilian L. Cotto, Pastor of Latino Ministries  
Ruth Kuchinsky-Smith – Director of Music  
Charlie de Mets – Organist, Keyboardist  
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Brad Beck – Sexton, Technical Director

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Phyllis Morocco – Director and Teacher  
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August 26, 2018

8:15 a.m

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE

*Chorale setting in G*  
Charles de Mets, Organist

Pachelbel

APOSTOLIC BLESSING AND WELCOME

Pastor Nancy Ludwig

Welcome to our service of worship. Your presence is a great joy to us. Our hope is that you'll feel welcome and that the Spirit of God will touch your soul in worship. Please sign the *Covenant of Fellowship*, sharing as much information with which you are comfortable, and then pass it down the pew for others to sign.

▲ denotes, please stand if comfortable.

▲ CHIMES

▲ CALL TO WORSHIP

Chuck McClain

Pastor: Inscrutable One, meet us here.

**People: Mysterious One, greet us here.**

Pastor: Gracious One, welcome us here.

**People: Glorious One, illumine us here.**

Pastor: Faithful One, heal us here.

**People: One God, Three-in-Person, you are here!**

▲ HYMN

*Lift High the Cross* (1,3,4)

No. 159

OPENING PRAYER

**Come in power, O God, to speak good news, to heal souls, to restore lives, to free hearts, and to cleanse all bitterness. Let your Word empower us to follow Jesus, to follow his example, to reflect his perfection, and to join his suffering for the world. Bring us closer to Christ in our difficulties, nearer to you in our sorrows, and together in our waiting for justice and mercy to prevail upon the earth. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

INTERLUDE *Introductory Voluntary* Linley

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Dick Rapson, 8:15; Jo Hovis, 11:00

FIRST READING 1 Kings 8:22-30, 41-43 Pew Bible (OT), p. 312

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

PSALTER (with Response) Psalm 84 No. 804

SECOND READING Ephesians 6:10-20 Pew Bible (NT), p. 195

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

VIOLIN SOLO *Onward Christian Soldiers* Sullivan  
Anna Kim, Violinist

▲ GOSPEL READING John 6:56-69 Pew Bible (NT), p. 98

Pastor: The Gospel of Christ.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

▲ GLORIA *Glory Be to the Father* No. 70

SERMON *Some Things Are Not Negotiable* Pastor Nancy Ludwig

▲ HYMN *What a Friend We Have in Jesus (1,3)* No. 526

▲ AFFIRMATION *The Apostles' Creed (Ecumenical)* No. 882

OFFERINGS OF GRATITUDE *Sonata No. 3 in F major hww 370 (Adagio)* Handel  
Anna Kim, Violinist

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▲ PROCESSION OF GRATITUDE *Doxology* No. 95

▲ PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

**Loving God, in all you do, you show us how love is and how love grows. Show us now what love means by calling us to the One who is the Bread of Life. Give us an unswerving and tenacious loyalty to Christ. Let our hearts hunger to be more like Christ. Let us live on the food of justice, mercy, and peace. Only then will our offerings today be of worth to you. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

CLOSING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER No. 895

▲ HYMN *Here I Am, Lord (1,3)* No. 593

▲ BLESSING THE PEOPLE

POSTLUDE *Fugue in D Minor* Pachelbel