

WILLAPA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Third Sunday after Epiphany

All are invited to stand as able for items marked with an *. Songs are in the United Methodist Hymnal (UMH) and/or The Faith We Sing (TFWS). Congregational responses appear in **bold**.

ALL ARE INVITED TO JOIN IN FELLOWSHIP FOLLOWING WORSHIP

GATHERING TIME

INVITATION TO WORSHIP

***OPENING SONG** This Is the Day UMH 657

***CALL TO WORSHIP/OPENING PRAYER**

Every day sings of your glory, each night lullabies us to sleep;
and in every moment between your grace silently laps upon
the shores of our souls, Imaginative God.

**Jesus' words race through life's valleys to bring us hope,
your feet gently walking by our side, always.**

**You are our promise, our hope, our fulfillment,
God in Community, Holy in One.**

**Forgiven and filled by the Spirit, commissioned to be Christ's hope,
we can care for one another, weep with one another,
serve one another and live in harmony with one another.**

**Form the words of our mouths to speak peace to the brokenness in
our world; release the hopes of our hearts to bring wonder to those
in despair; open our love to embrace all who are around us, even
as we have been welcomed by your grace in Jesus Christ. Amen.**

***RESPONSIVE SONG** Alleluia UMH 186

FOR ALL CHILDREN OF ALL AGES

READING THE WORD

Luke 4:14-21

The Word of God spoken.

Thanks Be to God!

Pew Bible
NT 57

MESSAGE Unrolling the Scroll

***RESPONSIVE SONG** Be Thou My Vision

UMH 451

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

SHARING AND PRAYER

GIVING

UMH 277

***DOXOLOGY**

UMH 95

***CLOSING SONG** I Love to Tell the Story

UMH 156

***SENDING FORTH**

**Thank you, God, for each person who by their presence, gifts and
graces bring our worship and fellowship to life!**

Great Spirit, I am your vessel;
your Breath is flowing through me.
I am the hand; you are the nerve, you are the poem.
In my prayer I am your vessel.
As I rise and serve the world
I am your vessel,
as I talk on the phone,
eat my lunch, grateful for its taste,
bend over my shoes,
as I stand against evil,
embrace the outcast,
honor the cashier,
smile gently at a stranger,
pray for light and peace,
close the refrigerator door,
you see through my eyes,
you breathe compassion through me,
you create a world through me.
I become the flesh of your love,
the tissue of your desire,
the speaking of your Word.

Excerpted from "Your vessel" by Steve Garnaas-Holmes, www.unfoldinglight.net

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Welcome to Willapa



We are blessed because you came!

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