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And a highway shall be there, and it shall be called The Holy Way.

Isaiah 35:8

June 14, 2015

“The seed sprouts and grows, but the farmer doesn’t know how.” Mark 4:27

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS — WELCOME!

PRELUDE *Here I Am, Lord* arr. Jack Schrader

***INTROIT** *Breathe on Me, Breath of God* (v. 1) #286

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (Psalm 121)

LEADER: I lift up my eyes to the hills – from where will my help come?

PEOPLE: **My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.**

LEADER: He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber.

PEOPLE: **He who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.**

LEADER: The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade at your right hand.

PEOPLE: **The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night.**

LEADER: The Lord will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life.

PEOPLE: **The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time on and forever more.**

***HYMN** *I Sing the Mighty Power of God* #32

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord God, mold us, we pray, as vessels that are filled by Your mercy. We thirst for Your tender compassion; we hunger for the power of Your forgiveness. Without You, life falters. With You, life surges forward. Fill us with mercy, and send us as messengers of Your mercy within a harsh world. Deepen our faith as we journey to do Your good works, in Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***RESPONSE** *Glory Be to the Father* #581

A TIME OF GREETING

ANTHEM *Liebesleid* arr. Fritz Kreisler
Michelle Guzman, Violin

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE (After the message, children entering the 5th grade and younger are invited to attend Sunday School in the Ranch House.)

SCRIPTURE (NT pg. 38-39) Mark 4:26-34

HYMN *I Love to Tell the Story* #462

SCRIPTURE (OT p. 259-260) 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13

SERMON “The Unforgeable Signature”

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** A Brief Statement of Faith (1 & 2) p. 37

OUR CARES AND CELEBRATIONS

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER Amen #601

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

OFFERTORY *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* arr. John Carter

***DOXOLOGY** #606

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

***HYMN** *For the Fruit of All Creation* #36

***BENEDICTION**

***RESPONSE** *Let There Be Peace on Earth*

POSTLUDE *The Power of Your Love* arr. Jane Holstein

* Please stand if you are able.

Announcements & Opportunities
June 14, 2015

Welcome to our Worship Celebration this morning!

We worship every Sunday morning at 9:30 am and offer Sunday School for children. **Help us get acquainted with you by filling out our attendance pad and our guest card!** Please join us for refreshments and fellowship at our Coffee Social Time in the Ranch House following our service. You will find sign-up sheets on the bulletin board in the Ranch House for our upcoming events and volunteer opportunities.

Next Sunday's Scripture Readings	1 Samuel 17:32-49
	Mark 4:35-41

Our church strives to be fully accessible to all persons. The **first four rows** on the pulpit side of the sanctuary are designated "**Fragrance-Free.**"

Personal Receivers are available in the AV Room for those needing hearing assistance. **Any chair in our sanctuary can be moved** to make room for persons in **wheelchairs**—our ushers are ready to help. Recorded Audio Tapes are available in the AV Room after each service for your convenience or you can read our **sermons online at www.holywaypc.org**.

Bible Study is held every Tuesday. You are invited to join us for coffee and homemade snacks in the Conference Room at 9:00 a.m. We will begin our study of the **Book of Proverbs**.

Remember the church in your will

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- ‡ The **Book Club** meets at 2:00 pm on Monday.
- ‡ The **Finance Committee** will meet on Tuesday at 10:15 am.
- ‡ **Girl Scouts** meet in the Ranch House on Tuesday at 2:30 pm.

‡ **Beginning Spanish** will meet in the Conference Room at 10:30 am on Wednesday.

‡ **Ladies Lunch** will meet at JJ Coopers at noon on Thursday.

‡ The **Session** will meet next Tuesday, June 23rd, at 6:00 pm.

‡ **Lunch and Games** will be next Wednesday at noon. What's for lunch? Hot Dog casserole! What is that? Sign up for lunch and find out!

‡ *We thank Linda Jones, Rose Myers, Joan Valenzuela, Anne Trueman, and Kim & Jon Deyo and all our fabulous students for a fantastic week of **Vacation Bible School!***

‡ The collection boxes for **Warming up Sells** are filling up! We are accepting donations of coats, sweaters, gloves and hats, which will be distributed this fall. It's a good excuse to clean out the closets – anything you can give is most appreciated!

‡ The **Rummage Sale** already has *lots* and *lots* and *LOTS* of wonderful items out in the barn. Pre-sales can be arranged. If you are interested helping to organize or want examine our inventory, let Linda Jones know. She will be in the barn most Wednesdays, from 9-10 am; wear your grubbies and bring a pair of gloves!

CALENDAR

Sun.	June 14	9:30 am 6:00 pm	Worship & Sunday School Alateen & Al-anon Meetings
Mon.	June 15	2:00 pm	Book Club
Tue.	June 16	9:00 am 10:15 am 2:30 pm 6:00 pm	Bible Study Finance Committee Girl Scouts Al-anon Meeting
Wed.	June 17	10:30 am	Beginning Spanish
Thur.	June 18	Noon 5:30 pm	Ladies Lunch @ JJ Coopers AA Meeting
Sun.	June 21	9:30 am 6:00 pm	Worship & Sunday School Alateen & Al-Anon

SESSION

Class of 2015	Gerry Pearson	Congregational Life/Memorial
Class of 2015	Wendy Mattias	Administration
Class of 2015	Dougald McIntyre	Administration
Class of 2015	Dudley Williams	Buildings/Grounds/Finance
Class of 2016	Sherrri Atleson	Mission/Worship
Class of 2016	Dee Ellis	Christian Education/Deacons
Class of 2016	Sharon Groves	Clerk/Welcome
Class of 2016	Mooneen Ringenberg	Mission/Welcome
Class of 2017	Karl Allen	Christian Education/Worship
Class of 2017	Carol Hearn	Congregational Life/Finance
Class of 2017	Dennis Toresdahl	Buildings/Grounds
Class of 2017	Barbara Armbruster	Congregational Life/Mission

PRAYER CONCERNS

Soldiers & Peacemakers – for their physical, mental, and spiritual health.

For a positive and faithful resolution to our broken immigration system.

All the unspoken prayer concerns.

Your prayers this week will give them the sustaining power we all need.
Please pray for them!

Margaret & Myles Agee – Health Concerns
Lynn Allen – Health Concerns
Barbara Armbruster – Health Concerns
Ruthann Boyce – Health Concerns
Marcia Boyd – Health Concerns
Dick Canfield (Rich Marsch’s uncle) – Health Concerns
Julie Gonet – Health Concerns
Mark (Jane Hosler’s son) – Health Concerns
Toni (Wendy Mattias’ friend) – Health Concerns
David Miller – Surgery on June 17th
Doug Myers – Health Concerns
Margaret Polley (Linda’s Jones’ friend) – Health Concerns
Charles Sayers – Health Concerns
Hazel Schaff – Health Concerns
Bill Seelow – Health Concerns

Our Prayer Chain is always available – contact Phyllis Crouthers at 578-8369 or Anita Parsil at 578-2410. If unable to reach Phyllis or Anita, you can email the church office at office@holywaypc.org.