Edgerton UMC: Making Christ Known 15th Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday, Sept 17, 2017 (*) Please Stand as Able

10:30 am Worship **Bold Print All Say In Unison**

Wisdom from Fellow Pilgrims: "When the storms of life are raging, stand by me. When the storms of life are raging, stand by me. When the world is tossing me like a ship upon the sea; you, who rules wind and water, stand by me." Lord, stand by us in the storms and in the sunshine — bring us peace, encourage and empower us to serve you. AMEN.

GREETING	Please Sign and Pass Welcome Pad		
SPECIAL MUSIC	Steven D Zych		
SCRIPTURE	Exodus 14:19-31		
SONGS	O Mary Don't You Weep Go Down Moses	SB#125 UMH# 448	

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Sing and rejoice! The Lord reaches out to you with healing love! P: The Lord is our strength and our power! L: Dance before the Lord, a dance of joy and hope! P: The Lord brings us joy and lifts us up in hope.

L: Come, let us worship God who is always with us.

P: Let us celebrate the good news God brings to us each day. AMEN.

UNISON PRAYER

In this moment, gracious God, you have called us away from the world, to a place and a time where we can commune with you and with one another. Calm our anxious spirits, that we may be set apart to hear your word of truth through which we receive grace. Open us to the reality of your all-embracing love, both in this place and in the wider world. May we, by our words and actions, be bearers of your kingdom, in the name and Spirit of the Christ. Amen.

SONG	Rest in Me	SB# 137
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JOYS AND CONCERNS/THE LORD'S PRAYER

ACT OF CONFESSION

Lord, we confess that we don't always turn to you in our troubles. Sometimes we are paralyzed by fear and anxiety. We cannot see "the light at the end of the tunnel". For us, there is only the ongoing darkness and hopelessness. Clear our sight, O Lord. Bind up our wounded spirits! Fill us with your mercy and love. Forgive us when we stray; when we fear; when we falter. Pick us up and place us on pathways of peace and hope, for we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

No matter what befalls us, the Lord walks with us on the path, bringing us courage and hope. No matter what, we belong to the Lord, now and forever. Amen.

SONG	What a Friend We Have in Jesus	SB# 176	
OFFERTORY	Calypso Doxology	SB# 3	
SCRIPTURE	Canticle of Moses and Miriam	UMH 135	
MESSAGE	A Day of Remembrance/A Festival of the Lord		
HYMN	Movin'On	SB# 106	
BENEDICTION		SB# 5	
POSTLUDE	My Life Is in You, Lord, Daniel Gardner		

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Please join us for a time of fellowship in Fellowship Hall immediately after 9:00 AM Worship. Fellowship Hall is located below the Sanctuary: go down the front steps – pass the elevator – make a left – go down the steps - Fellowship Hall is on your left – under the sanctuary.

> OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday thru Thursday 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM CLOSED MONDAY FRIDAY – By Appointment officeeumc@gmail.com edgertonunitedmethodist.org 608.884.6931 Pastor Barb's Cell Phone 608.931.6804

Our Mission:

"To Make Christ Known!" Our church is to be a place where love is present, hurts are healed, joys and concerns are shared and supported by prayer. Our Church serves our community and the world, by realizing and sharing the satisfying and abundant life Christ brings to *ALL* people - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, national origin, culture, tradition, family configuration, economic status, sexual orientation or gender identity.

> In Ministry – The People of Edgerton UMC Assistants to the Congregation

Pastor: Barbara Wells Lay Leader: Mark Gausman Organist (9:00): Nancy Dickinson Music (10:30): Steven Zych – Guitar Ed Hunt – Bass, Banjo, Guitar Nancy Dickinson - Keyboard Administrative Assistant: Daphne Marquardt Coffee Hour Chair: Jo Peterson Sanctuary Care: Margaret Tadder and Linda Young Kids Club (Wednesday Nights) – Michelle Davis Kids Church (9:00 AM) – Barb Gausman

The Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Moses – In the Footsteps of the Reluctant Prophet





"Remember this day, on which you went free from Egypt, the house of bondage, how Adonai freed you from it with a mighty hand...!!!"

- Exodus 13:3

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