



“But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus ‘And who is my neighbor?’”

- Luke 10:29

July 10, 2022

ROLLING HILLS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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**SUNDAY WORSHIP HOURS
8:30 & 10:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.**

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OUR CHURCH AT WORSHIP

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*As we gather we hope you will visit quietly with friends.
Please silence cell phone and pagers.*

*Standing - if comfortable

PRELUDE “*Prelude and Fugue in A-Flat Major*“, Op. 35. - Mendelssohn Althea Waites

*CALL TO WORSHIP

adapted from Psalm 82

Leader: God is seated in the court of heaven;

People: In the midst of the gods the Lord holds judgement.

Leader: Give justice to the weak and orphan, O God; lift up the lowly and destitute.

People: Rescue the weak and the needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked.

Leader: How much longer will the wicked prosper? Will injustice last forever?

People: Arise, O Lord, and judge the earth, for all the nations belong to you.

*HYMN #89

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Everyone

**Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away.
Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day!**

**All thy works with joy surround thee, earth and heaven reflect thy rays,
Stars and angels sing around thee, center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird and flowing fountain, call us to rejoice in thee.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND RENEWAL

Unison: Loving God, you invite us to join with you in acts of compassion and service. You are present with us every day in the lives of our neighbors. As we meet some of them we discover our gifts for help and healing. From others we receive your grace and care. Forgive us when we fail to see the connections between us, when we seek to separate ourselves from each other. Open our eyes to the mystery and wonder of your love for all people. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Chris Larson

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Welcome pads are at the seats closest to the center aisle. Please share your name and other helpful information and pass down the row. Afterward please return to the aisle seat.

THE WORD FOR CHILDREN

*The children are invited to gather in front of the steps for a brief sermon and prayer.
Afterward, they may leave for Sunday School or stay for the rest of the service.*

ANTHEM "Lest I Forget" – arr. Craig Courtney Chancel Choir

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION April Herron

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

OFFERTORY Althea Waites

*DOXOLOGY

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures, here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE

- Luke 10:25-37 A lawyer asks Jesus a question New Testament, p.87

SERMON "Neighborhood Compatibility" Jonathan Chute

*HYMN #192 "There's a Spirit in the Air" Everyone

**There's a spirit in the air, telling Christians everywhere:
Praise the love that Christ revealed, living, working, in our world.**

**When a stranger's not alone, when the homeless find a home,
Praise the love that Christ revealed, living, working, in our world.**

**May the Spirit fill our praise, guide our thoughts and change our ways:
God in Christ has come to stay. Live tomorrow's life today!**

*BENEDICTION & CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**God be with you till we meet again, by his counsels guide, uphold you,
With his sheep securely fold you. God be with you till we meet again.**

POSTLUDE "Toccata in A Minor" - Kobrich Althea Waites

New to the Church?

We are grateful that we can worship together.
Please use our digital welcome pad by
opening the QR code. Thank you!



Rev. Jonathan Chute, Senior Pastor
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