

The Order of Celebration for the Worship of God
The 2nd Sunday of Pentecost
June 6, 2010

Greetings and Shared Announcements

Opening Processional *Processional Alleluia*
by C. Harry Causey
Handbell & Joyful Hope Choirs

The Tone Calls us to Silence

Prelude *Andante* by Alexandre Guilmant

Call to Worship (responsively)

One Happy are we who hope in Creator God, who keeps faith forever. This is the Compassionate One who brings justice to the oppressed, who holds the vulnerable close in love, who feeds the hungry with good food, and liberates the hearts of all.

All Happy are we who trust in Divine Gift-giver to provide us with all we need:

One daily bread to strengthen the body,

All flavorful oil to delight the senses,

One relationships strong and fulfilling,

All tasks that give purpose to life.

One May our happy hearts worship God.

***Singing** #103 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*
(red hymnal)

A Time for Children

#2233 *Where Children Belong* (black hymnal)

The Lord's Prayer

A Time of Greeting

We Offer Our Gifts

Offertory *How Long?* By Kirby Shaw
Joyful Hope Soloists and Choir

One: All things come from you, O God!

Many: And of your own have we given to you!

***Song Of Praise #94 (red hymnal)**

The Anthem *Sunrise Celebration* by Brian Childers
Handbell Choir

Witness from the Ancient Text Mark 7:24-30

Singing #394 *Something Beautiful* (red hymnal)

A Contemporary Witness

Jesus The Good Loser

Rev. Yohang Chun

Communion Service

(see insert booklet in the front cover of the red hymnal)

***Singing** #437 *This Is My Song* (red hymnal)

A Final Blessing (responsively)

One In God we are conceived.

All In the stuff of earth we are formed.

One In hope we are born.

All In partnership we are called.

One In love we live.

All In Wisdom we are sent.

One In faith we go.

The Postlude *Fuga* by Alexandre Guilmant

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Unless otherwise noted, the liturgy for this morning was written by Rev. Yohang Chun

Vision Statement

In Christ's name, the vision of Saratoga Springs United Methodist Church is to be a growing faith community that unconditionally welcomes, accepts and nurtures everyone wherever they are on their own spiritual journey.

Our Mission Statement

The Mission of Saratoga Springs United Methodist Church is to spread God's word as we embrace persons of any age, gender, race, ethnic background, sexual orientation, economic condition, physical or mental ability as full participants in a loving community of worship, fellowship, study, and outreach.



The people of this church welcome you today. We sincerely hope that you are blessed, as we are blessed by your presence.

If you need a hearing-assist device, or a large print bulletin, speak to an usher. If you would like a Bible to use during worship or to take home, a cart of various translations is in the back of the Worship Area.

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