

University Lutheran Church

Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

September 18, 2016



Our Mission:

- To live among God's faithful people;
- To hear God's Word through the Spirit and share in the Lord's Supper;
- To proclaim the good news of God in Christ through word and deed;
- To serve all people, following the example of our Lord Jesus;
- To strive for justice and peace in all the earth. ✦



WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT UNIVERSITY LUTHERAN CHURCH during this season of Pentecost as we remain open and receptive to how the Holy Spirit is moving in our lives to guide us in the way of truth, to give us the courage to live according to God's will, and to grant us the peace of knowing that we always are in the loving presence of a good and gracious God.

WE WELCOME EVERYONE TO THE LORD'S TABLE to receive God's gift of forgiveness and the powerful freedom of a new life in Christ.

Please come down the center aisle, proceed to the communion rail, and kneel or stand at the first open space. Hold out your hand to receive the bread. **Gluten-free wafers are available.** Please indicate your desire at the time you are offered the bread. You may drink either from an individual glass, which will be served first, or from the chalice. The individual glasses in the center of the tray contain grape juice. An acolyte will pass by to pick up your individual glass. In the spirit of continuous communion, please return to your seat via the side aisles after you have drunk from the glass or chalice. After everyone has been served at the communion rail, the ministers will serve anyone in the pew that is unable to come forward. Please indicate your desire in this regard to the pastor. Parents who desire that their children not receive communion may bring them forward for a blessing.

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR ATTENDANCE at worship today and your participation in Holy Communion by completing the enclosed Worship Registration form and placing it in the offering plate. Please join us for fellowship and refreshments in the lounge after the service.

WE WELCOME RUTH HEROLD, Executive Director of Elizabeth Gregory Home, today to speak briefly to us today about EGH. EGH is our Special Offering for September.

AFTER THE FINAL BLESSING today all ULC members are asked to be seated in the sanctuary to complete a preference survey to help identify a legacy project for ULC's 100th anniversary. Please see the announcement about this in the back of the bulletin.

THERE ARE CHILDREN'S BAG with bulletins and books available in the lounge and the narthex. They are hanging on the wall.

CHILD CARE is available in the Nursery for children of any age. Ask the usher for directions.

OUR PRAYERS are for our homebound, and for all those in need of healing in body or spirit.

TEXTS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: *Amos 6:1a, 4-7; Psalm 146; 1 Timothy 6:6-19; Luke 16:19-31.*

Prelude

Improvisation on “Gather Us In”

Welcome & Announcements

Service of Confession & Absolution

Confession

P: On one hand, God says through the prophet Amos, “I will never forget any of your deeds,” and on the other hand, God says through the prophet Jeremiah, “I will forgive your iniquities and remember your sins no more.” With this mixed message, even from the prophets, we turn to Jesus and listen to his prayer, “God, forgive them, for they don’t know what they are doing.” Putting our trust in Jesus’ witness to the gracious love of God, we confess our sins.

(Time for silent confession)

P: God, our Savior,

All: We confess to you that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our entire being. We have not loved our neighbors as we have been loved by you. No matter whether we have been faithful in much or faithful in little, we know that there are times when we have been unfaithful to your will. The wealth and privilege that we have often comes at the expense of others who are forced into poverty and are at the receiving end of our prejudice and discrimination. We may not be the ones who make a profit by deceit or who serve the bottom line of profit, but we do benefit from those who do so. Forgive us for our sin and set us free from our bondage to the structural evil of this world.

Absolution

P: God does desire everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. One demonstration of this truth is God’s promise and offer of forgiveness to all who put their trust in the reconciling love of God their Savior. Therefore, receive now the gift of your forgiveness and be liberated for a new life in Jesus Christ.

C: Amen.

Service of Holy Communion

(Please stand as you are able)

Opening Hymn

“Here in This Place”

Blue Hymnal #718

(Face the cross as it is carried forward)

Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

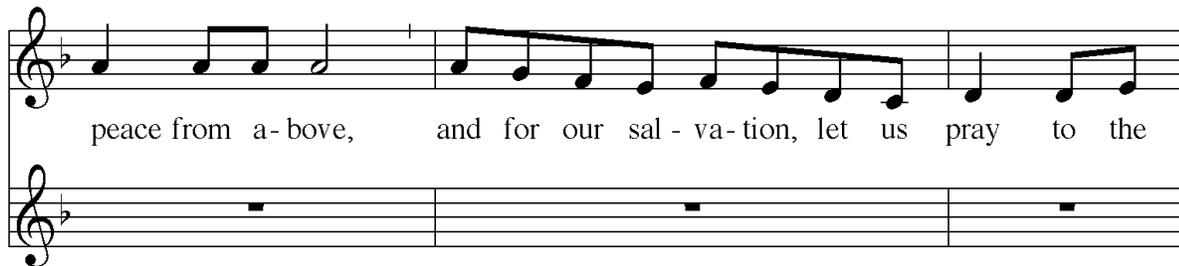
C: **And also with you.**

Kyrie

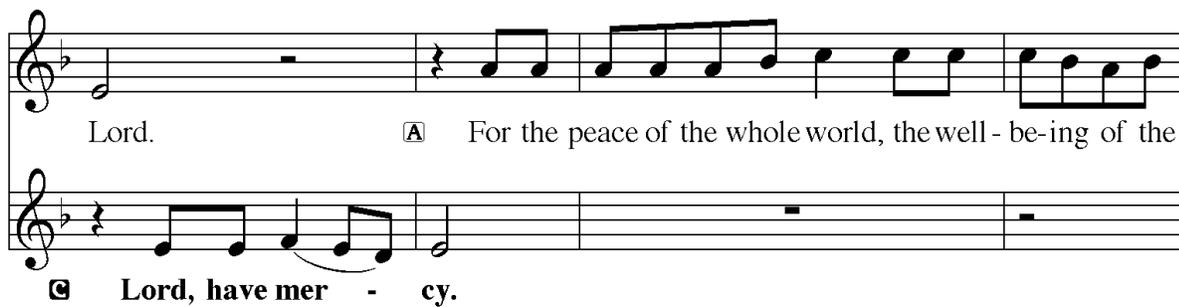


A In peace, in peace let us pray to the Lord. **A** For the

C Lord, have mer - cy.

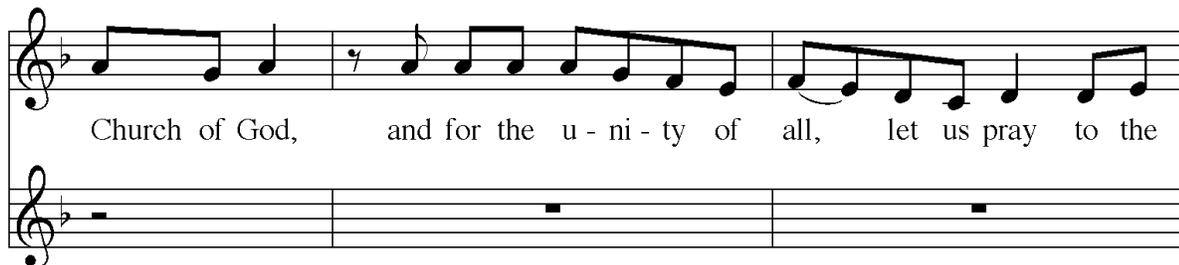


peace from a-bove, and for our sal - va - tion, let us pray to the



Lord. **A** For the peace of the whole world, the well - be - ing of the

C Lord, have mer - cy.



Church of God, and for the u - ni - ty of all, let us pray to the

Lord. **A** For this ho-ly house, and for all who of-fer here their

C Lord, have mer - cy.

wor - ship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mer - cy.

A Help, save, com- fort, and de-fend us, gra-cious Lord.

C A - men

Hymn of Praise

C This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

I Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us

free to be peo - ple of God. **II** Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and

strength, and hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.

☐ This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

☐ Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and join in the hymn of

all cre - a - tion: ☐ Bless - ing and hon - or, glo - ry and

might to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men

☐ This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

☐ For the Lamb, the Lamb who was slain has be -

gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God. Al - le -
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. A - men

Prayer of the Day

A: Let us pray together:

C: God of faithfulness, you desire everyone to be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth. Grant to us your Spirit, so that we may lead faithful and peaceable lives in all godliness and dignity. When tempted to ignore the needs of those who are impoverished or accumulate more than we need to be sustained in this life, help us to be ever mindful that we are to serve you and not our wealth. We pray in the name of Jesus, our Savior. Amen.

(Please be seated)

First Lesson

Amos 8:4-7

Hear this, you that trample on the needy, and bring to ruin the poor of the land, saying, "When will the new moon be over so that we may sell grain; and the sabbath, so that we may offer wheat for sale? We will make the ephah small and the shekel great, and practice deceit with false balances, buying the poor for silver and the needy for a pair of sandals, and selling the sweepings of the wheat." God has sworn by the pride of Jacob: Surely I will never forget any of their deeds.

L: Holy Wisdom. Holy Word.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm Hymn

**“Oh, Sing to the Lord”
(Verses 1-3)**

Blue Hymnal #795

Second Lesson

1 Timothy 2:1-7

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for everyone, for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and dignity. This is right and is acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, who desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. For there is one God; there is also one mediator between God and humankind, Christ Jesus, himself human, who gave himself a ransom for all —this was attested at the right time. For this I was appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

L: Holy Wisdom. Holy Word.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand as you are able)

Gospel Acclamation

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al- le - lu - ia.

Gospel

Luke 16:1-13

Then Jesus said to the disciples, "There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was squandering his property. So he summoned the manager and said to him, 'What is this that I hear about you? Give me an accounting of your management, because you cannot be my manager any longer.' Then the manager said to himself, 'What will I do, now that my master is taking the position away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. I have decided what to do so that, when I am dismissed as manager, people may welcome me into their homes.' So, summoning his master's debtors one by one, he asked the first, 'How much do you owe my master?' He answered, "A hundred jugs of olive oil.' He said to him, 'Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifty.' Then he asked another, 'And how much do you owe?' He replied, 'A hundred containers of wheat.' He said to him, 'Take your bill and make it eighty.' And his master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly; for the children of this age are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone, they may welcome you into the eternal homes.

"Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own? No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth."

P: The Gospel of the risen Christ.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Please be seated)

Sermon

"Fruit Puddin', Bred Spred & Jesus"

(Please stand as you are able)
Hymn of the Day

“Blessed Assurance”

Blue Hymnal #699

Prayers of the People

P: Hear us, O God,

C: **Your mercy is great.**

Exchange of Peace

P: The peace of God be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

Children’s Message

(Please be seated)

Offering/Musical Offering

“Blessed is the Man”

Arcangelo Corelli
1653-1713

Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly,
Nor standeth in the way of sinners;
But his delight is in the law of the Lord,
and in his law doth he meditate day and night.

And he shall be like a tree that is planted by the rivers of waters,
That bringeth forth his fruit in due season.
His leaf shall not wither and what he doeth shall prosper.

(Please stand as you are able)

Offertory Hymn



Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, fill to the brim our
cup of bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown,
that we may be fed, we may be fed with the bread of life.
Gath-er the hopes and the dreams of all; u-nite them with the

prayers we of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your pres - ence,
and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

Offertory Prayer

A: Let us pray together:

C: Benevolent and generous God, we give you thanks for all that you have done to sustain us in this life. In response, we offer to you these fruits of our labor for the good of all who are in need of pastoral care, all who are in need of daily bread, and all who are in need of being welcomed and affirmed for who they are. Bless this bread and fruit of the vine that all who partake of this holy meal will have a change of heart and mind to live according to your good will as revealed in Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

P The Lord be with you. **C** And al - so with you.
P Lift up your hearts. **C** We lift them to the Lord.
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
C It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right and salutary...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,
 Lord God of pow'r and might, heav-en and earth are
 full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Bless - ed, bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the
 Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Eucharistic Prayer

P: God of our weary years, God of our silent tears, you have brought us this far along the way. In times of scarcity, poverty, and disparity you did not abandon your people, but guided us into the path of love and peace. In every age you sent prophets to make known your loving will for all humanity. The cry of the poor has become your own cry. Our hunger and thirst for justice and liberation is your own desire.

In the fullness of time, you sent your chosen servant to preach good news to those who are impoverished, to break bread with those who are despised and rejected, and to ransom those in bondage to prejudice and sin.

In the night in which he was betrayed, Jesus took bread, gave thanks, broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we await the day when Jesus shall return to free all the earth from the bonds of slavery and death. Send your Holy Spirit, our advocate, to fill the hearts of all who share this bread and cup with the courage and

wisdom to pursue love and justice in all the world. Join our prayers and praise with your prophets and martyrs of every age, that, rejoicing in the hope of the resurrection, we might live in the freedom and hope of Jesus, our Christ, through whom all glory and honor is yours, both now and forever.

C: Amen

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 and ever. Amen.

(Please be seated)

Communion Distribution

**“One Bread, One Body”
“All Things Bright & Beautiful”
“As the Grains of Wheat”**

*Blue Hymnal #710
Blue Hymnal #762
Blue Hymnal #705*

(Please stand as you are able)

Communion Blessing

P: May the body and blood of Jesus, our Christ, unite us as one people in our service to God and in our consideration for the well-being of all who are in need.

C: Amen.

Post Communion Hymn

Thank-ful hearts and voic - es raise; tell ev- 'ry -
one what God has done. Let all who
seek the Lord re - jice, re - jice and
bear Christ's ho - ly name. Send us, O God, with your

prom - is - es, and lead us forth in joy
with shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Post Communion Prayer

A: Let us pray together:

C: God of eternal richness, we give you thanks for this gift of life and salvation. As we go forth from this place, help us to use our resources faithfully in the pursuit of justice and peace for all people. When the decision comes to serve you or our wealth, grant us the courage to choose wisely and trust in your love to rule the day. We pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Installation of the Transition Team

Kristen Piepho (Chair), Emily Anderson, Mary Denny,
Van Hutton, Ruth Munger, Clint Pehrson & Michael Rouse

Benediction

Legacy Project Survey

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Preacher	Pastor Tim Wolbrecht
Assisting Minister	Maynard Atik
Minister of Music	Brian Higham
Organist	William Fletcher Bryant
Acolytes	Jaydn Sandstrom Natalie Crowner
Lectors	Nona Taylor Lisa Johnson
Communion Assistants	Twig Mills Alison Stamey Nona Taylor Mary Jane Golden
Children's Message	Maynard Atik
Greeters	Aslaug Haraldsdottir Theresa Lehan-Anderson
Ushers	Aslaug Haraldsdottir Mary Jane Golden Alan Oakley Kris Rogness
Fellowship	Scott Davies Lynn Farrier
Altar Guild	Sue & Frank Gregory
Counters	Ruth Ann Rouse Jeff Berner
Courtesy Driver	Vic Ensz

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

- 9:30 AM Service of Holy Communion
- 10:30 AM Fellowship in the lounge
- 11:00 AM Sunday School upstairs
- 11:00 AM Adult Forum in the chapel – “On New Soil”

TODAY AFTER THE FINAL BLESSING, all ULC members are asked to be seated in the sanctuary to complete a preference survey to help identify a legacy project for the ULC's 100th anniversary. The survey is in the form of a checklist. You will be asked to check no more than five items that you consider worthy of support at this time in honor of the church's hundred year heritage of ministry. Members of the Legacy Project Ad Hoc Committee will distribute the surveys after the final blessing. Please turn in your completed survey to the committee member when you leave the sanctuary today. If pressing business prevents you from completing the survey this morning, you may turn it in to the church office no later than Thursday, September 29. If you need another copy of the survey, they are available in the church office until September 29. Or you may call Mary Denny (425-673-0799) for one by September 20.

TODAY WE ARE INSTALLING OUR TRANSITION TEAM. These people will be listening to the congregation on where it wants to go in the next few years in order to fill out a site profile for the Synod office. Bishop Kirby will use the site profile to find pastoral candidates for us to interview. Please keep these people in your prayers as they do the work of the church.

AT THE ADULT FORUM TODAY, Ruth Munger will begin the five part video series on the planning of Lutheranism in America. The first session is titled, "On New Soil: The Colonial Lutherans." All are invited to attend.

THE SPECIAL OFFERING FOR SEPTEMBER is Elizabeth Gregory Home. EGH was born out of this congregation in 2005 and has been growing ever since. The showers that were added in June of this year are a welcome part of the services EGH offers. Now, they are able to offer everything someone would get in their home: food, a shower, a place to rest and relationships. If you would like to contribute to Elizabeth Gregory Home, you may do so by using a special offering envelope in the pew, making your check out to ULC, earmarking it for EGH, and putting your gift in the offering plate, or bringing it to the church office. Thank you for your generous offering.

LOVE TO SING? JOIN THE CHOIR? The ULC Choir rehearses on Thursdays, at 7:30 p.m. No experience required, just a love for singing and a willingness to learn. Also, choral singing is very beneficial to your physical and mental health. So come and join the choir, sing your way to better health and meet some great people as well.

ATTENTION COMMITTEE CHAIRS! Articles for the Stewardship booklet are due to the church office by Sunday, October 9. You also need to have your budget requests for the next year in to John Massman or Jeff Berner by that date as well.

CLASSES BEGIN AT the University of Washington on September 28, which means it is time for us to resume our annual support for Lutheran Campus Ministry. One of the best ways that we can support and connect with the campus ministry is through their weekly Wednesday night dinners. This year, we are hoping that members of ULC can cook and share meals with the students once a month from October through June. To make this happen, we need your help. To volunteer to be a part of these monthly meal teams, please sign up on the Worship Registration form. Last year, we had enough people to form two teams and alternate months. It would be great to have that level of involvement again!

ON SEPTEMBER 25, PASTOR JON MAGNUSON, will be our guest preacher. Jon was the Lutheran Campus Ministry pastor 1985-1995 worked closely with ULC pastors Dick Bingea and June Eastvold. He and his family, wife Diana and children Joshua and Samantha, were active members here at ULC. During his time at LCM he was a guest preacher at ULC on a monthly basis.

OUR CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR, Mari Mitchell-Putnam, is looking for donations for a gift basket to donate to The Shelter Board Annual Harvest Auction & Dinner. There are flyers about this in the lounge and suggestions for donation items. The theme for the basket is “Movie Night In.” She will need your donations by Thursday, September 22. Thank you for your help!

LOIS MOE’S ASSORTMENT OF FALL NOTE CARDS will be available after the service in the lounge. All sales benefit Elizabeth Gregory Home and are tax deductible.

ON OCTOBER 2, SAM RENNEBOHM will be preaching on his last Sunday with us. There will be a reception after worship to honor Sam and Anne, and their time with us. Please come join us and offer your support to them as they head to the next phase of their lives.

THE FALL IN SEATTLE CAN BE CRISP, perfect for a group bicycle ride to enjoy the leaves. Let’s get together for a fall ride on Sunday, October 2, after the church service. We will peddle on the flat along the Burke-Gilman trail up to Woodinville and return. This is just a tad over 30 miles. Departure will be from church at 12:15 p.m. and return about 3 hours later. The pace will be easy to moderate depending upon our mix of riders. Plan to stop for a bit of socializing at one of the tap rooms (Calm, 192). Sign up on the Worship Registration form or contact Jeff Berner (jkberner@comcast.net, 206-817-1132).

“WEAVING OUR STRENGTHS” is an annual event hosted by the Church Council of Greater Seattle. This year it is on Saturday, October 22 at Seattle First Baptist church (111 Harvard Ave). There are several workshops offered and each attendee can go to two. Some of the workshops are “Coming Alongside as Neighborhood”, “Reading the Bible through the Lens of Justice”, and “Racial Justice as a Way of Life for Congregations”. There are many others. If you are interested in attending please let the church office know. There is a discount for groups up to 10 people. You can also learn more by calling 206-525-1213 ex. 105 or visiting thechurchcouncil.ejoinme.org/WOS. If you are interested in attend, please sign up on the Worship Registration form and we will see about getting a group discount.

ATTENDANCE was 104 last Sunday.

NEXT SUNDAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS ARE: **Altar Guild** – Stacy & Daniel Crowner; **Acolytes** – Aaron Maschhoff & Jiali Maschhoff; **Asst. Minister** – Andy Kopser; **Children's Message** – Jeff Berner; **Communion Assts.** – Maynard & Darleen Atik, Lin Zurfluh & Kris Rogness; **Lectors** – Daniel & Stacy Crowner; **Ushers** – Mark & Mary Hillman, Lisa Johnson & Laura Koetke; **Greeters** – Alice & Jack Peterson; **Fellowship Hour:** Mark & Mary Hillman; **Counters** – Twig Mills & Craig Perkins; **Courtesy Driver** – Gary Marshall.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Monday (9/19/16)	9:00 AM	Monday Morning Maintenance	Whole Church
	1:00 PM	Staff Meeting	Pastor's office
	7:00 PM	Teen Feed	Fellowship Hall
	8:30 PM	ULu WHEEL Shelter	Fellowship Hall
Tuesday (9/20/16)	6:00 AM	NCBC Prayer Meeting	Rm B6/8
	9:00 AM	Sanctuary Art Center – Drop In	Rm 205
	12:00 PM	Women Coming Home AA Group	Chapel
	12:30 PM	Sanctuary Art Center – Bridge Prog.	Rm 205
	6:00 PM	ULu WHEEL Shelter	Fellowship Hall
	7:00 PM	Transition Team	Library
Wednesday (9/21/16)	6:00 AM	NCBC Prayer Meeting	Rm B6/8
	4:00 PM	Property Committee	Library
	6:00 PM	ULu WHEEL Shelter	Fellowship Hall
	7:00 PM	AA District 16 Comm. Mtg.	Chapel
	8:00 PM	NCBC Korean Prayer Mtg	Rm B6/8
Thursday (9/22/16)	6:00 AM	NCBC Prayer Meeting	Rm B6/8
	9:00 AM	Sanctuary Art Center – Drop In	Rm 205
	12:00 PM	Women Coming Home AA Group	Rm 200
	6:00 PM	ULu WHEEL Shelter	Fellowship Hall
	6:45 PM	Partnership for Youth Justice	Library
	7:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal	Rm B7
Friday (9/23/16)	9:00 AM	Sanctuary Art Center – Drop In	Rm 208
	11:00 AM	EGH Day of Caring Luncheon	Fellowship Hall
	12:30 PM	Sanctuary Art Center – Music Aloud	Rm 205
	3:30 PM	Quilters	Rm 208
	6:00 AM	NCBC Prayer Meeting	Rm B6/8
	6:00 PM	Teen Feed	Fellowship Hall
	7:30 PM	NCBC English Bible Study	Rm B6/8
	8:30 PM	ULu WHEEL Shelter	Fellowship Hall
Saturday (9/24/16)		ULu WHEEL Shelter All Day	
	6:45 AM	Serve breakfast at ROOTS	U Temple
	8:30 AM	NCBC Prayer & Small Group	Rm B6/8
	10:00 AM	Sanctuary Art Center – Drop In	Rm 205
Sunday (9/25/16)	9:30 AM	Worship	Sanctuary
	10:30 AM	Fellowship Time	Lounge
	11:00 AM	Sunday School	Upstairs
	11:00 AM	Adult Forum	Chapel
	11:30 PM	NCBC English Worship	Rm B6/B8 & Nursery
	1:00 PM	NCBC Korean Worship	Sanctuary & Nursery
	2:00 PM	NCBC Korean Fellowship Meal	Lounge
	7:00 PM	Teen Feed	Fellowship Hall
	8:00 PM	NA Group	Lounge
	8:30 PM	ULu WHEEL Shelter	Fellowship Hall

Sunday Schedule

Worship with Holy Communion:

9:30 AM

Fellowship: 10:30 AM

Christian Education: 11:00 AM

- Adult Forum
- Sunday School

Child Care: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Outreach at ULC

Elizabeth Gregory Home – Daily

Sanctuary Art Center – 5 times weekly

Teen Feed – 2 times weekly

ULu Women's Shelter - Daily

ULC Outreach in Seattle

Church Council of Greater Seattle

Compass Housing Alliance

Community Lunch at Central LC

Earth Ministry

Faith Action Network

Lutheran Campus Ministry - UW

Lutheran Community Services NW

Open Door Ministries

University Churches Emergency Fund

University District Foodbank

Young Adult Shelter (ROOTS)

Our Congregation

As a metropolitan congregation, University Lutheran Church is committed to be a vital ministry in the University District of Seattle as well as throughout the world. We offer a variety of liturgies for worship throughout the church year and challenge our members to sing new songs and make a joyful noise unto God every Sunday.

As a **Reconciling in Christ Congregation**, we affirm the dignity and worth of people of all races, ethnic backgrounds, sexual orientations, gender identity, social status, age, physical capability and economic condition, and invite all to worship with us and participate in Holy Communion. We belong to the **University District Ecumenical Parish**, and celebrate the diversity of expressions of faith in our community.

We also are a **Greening Congregation**, and strive to be faithful stewards of God's creation. As an **Advocating Congregation** we make our voices known to our governing authorities on behalf of those who are crying out for justice and peace.

We welcome you into the life and ministry of this congregation, and pray that as you worship with us and become familiar with us, you will discover a place to belong and a way to participate in this corporate ministry of Jesus Christ. ✦

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