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## United Methodist Church of Vista

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### Bulletin

July 10, 2016

8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
Communion Sunday

10:30 am

#### God's Call and Our Commitment:

*To be an authentic, accessible and inclusive community in Christ,  
celebrating and extending God's love into the world.*

#### SILENT MEDITATION

*"Listen—are you breathing just a little, and calling it a life?" -Mary Oliver*

### GATHERING

**PRELUDE** "O God Beyond All Praising" (Holst) from "The Planets" (FWS 2009) -Carol Graham

**WELCOMING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

-Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw  
Rev. Frank Hallock

**SPRC PRESENTATION**

-Lynda Mounts

**INTROIT**

*"Amen, Siakudumisa" (Traditional Xhosa)*

-Chancel Choir

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The world cries to us in its distress. How shall we answer?

**People: We cannot pass by as though nothing is wrong.**

Leader: How shall we answer?

**People: We cannot become so focused on ourselves that others mean nothing to us.**

Leader: How shall we answer?

**People: We shall be the neighbor in service, reconciliation and compassion wherever we can. In Jesus's Holy Name. Amen.**

### PRAYER AND PRAISE

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**

*"I Love to Tell the Story"*

-UMH 156

**SCRIPTURE LESSON** *Amos 7:7-15 in the Old Testament*

-Pat Rose

Leader: For the Word of God in scripture,  
For the Word of God among us,  
For the Word of God within us,

**People: Praise be to God.**

**REFLECTIONS FROM ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

-Lynda Mounts, Lay Leader



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### PROCLAIMING THE WORD

#### COMMUNITY PRAYER

Lord, sometimes we are confused. We hear the bad news continually shouted on TV, radio, in the newspapers, magazines. The whole world seems to be shrieking in pain. We turn an indifferent ear to the cries of others, often because we are so overwhelmed by the needs and feel helpless in the face of such chaos. We succumb to those pressures in our fear. Help us, O Lord. Heal our spirits as well as our bodies. Open our hearts and our eyes to see you, O Christ, that we may be empowered to service rather than apathy. Forgive us, Lord, forgive us. Make us ready to truly become your disciples. For we ask these things in Jesus' name. Amen.

#### PRAYER SONG

*"Be Thou My Vision"*

-UMH 451

#### SILENT PRAYER

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

#### LORD'S PRAYER

-UMH 895

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.

#### ANTHEM

*"Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"* (Hart, Walker, Rouse)

-Chancel Choir  
Mary Alice Hendricks, Cello

#### SCRIPTURE LESSON *Luke 10:25-37 in the New Testament*

-Pat Rose

Leader: For the Word of God in scripture,  
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People: **Praise be to God.**

#### THE MESSAGE

*"To Remember"*

-Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw



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### RESPONSE TO THE WORD

#### OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

**Offertory** “The Swan” (Saints-Saens) -Mary Alice Hendricks, Cello

**\*Doxology** “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” -UMH 94  
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ,  
whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

#### OFFERTORY PRAYER

**In response to the overwhelming love of God, let us give with a generosity that tugs at our hearts. Let our giving provide grace to those who have forgotten what grace feels like. Let our giving deliver joy to those who have forgotten what it is to walk with a lightness of heart. We give our gifts in celebration and thanksgiving for the God who knows us—and loves us still. Amen.**

**SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION** -UMH 15-16

*All are welcome at the Lord's Table. We receive communion by coming forward, taking a piece of bread and dipping it in the cup. If you are not able to come forward, please indicate that to your usher, and communion will be brought to you. We use unfermented juice so all people may receive.*

### GOING FORTH

**\*HYMN OF DEDICATION** “For the Beauty of the Earth” -UMH 92

#### BENEDICTION

**POSTLUDE** “Overture to Die Meistersinger” (Wagner) -Carol Graham

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

*Please complete the registration card found in the pew pocket and place in the offering. Prayers and comments may be written on the back of the card.*



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Today: Video Tech: Diane Biggs; Sound Tech: John Mitchell; and Acolyte(s): Stella

*We welcome guest musician Mary Alice Hendricks.*

*Flowers are given by Tim Frazier in honor of Kim Johnson's birthday.*