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Sunday, July 20, 2025

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

Susan Bell

*Call to Worship Mike Ripple Leader: Lift praises to the name of our God; bless God's name forever!

People: How great is our God!

Leader: God, You are just and kind in all Your doings! **People: Great is our God and worthy of praise!** Leader: God, You watch over us in love and hear the desperate cries of those who call to You!

All: How great is our God! How great is our God! Bless God's name forever!

- A Call to Worship inspired by Psalm 145

*Praise Songs

Praise Band

Prayer

Mike Ripple

We pray, God, our creator, sustainer and life-builder, help us to build our lives on a solid foundation, on the rock of faith in You, not on sand. Then, when the rain falls and the floods come and the winds blow and beat upon our lives, we will not fall because Christ is the solid rock on which we stand. So we give thanks and praise to You for Your Son, Jesus, our Lord and the solid rock. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

Special Music:	Carol Parisella
Children's Moment	Pastor Sung Ho Lee
*Hymn: "Fairest Lord Jesus"	UMH #189 (vv. 1,3,4)

Scripture Reading: Matthew 7:24-27

Mike Ripple

²⁴ "Everybody who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise builder who built a house on bedrock. ²⁵ The rain fell, the floods came, and the wind blew and beat against that house. It didn't fall because it was firmly set on bedrock. ²⁶ But everybody who hears these words of mine and doesn't put them into practice will be like a fool who built a house on sand. ²⁷ The rain fell, the floods came, and the wind blew and beat against that house. It fell and was completely destroyed."

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Message: On Christ, the Solid Rock, I Stand Pastor Sung Ho Lee

The People Bring Their Gifts The baskets will be passed or you may use the UMCL app

*"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #95

Sharing Joys and Concerns Peggy Rouleau 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, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Hymn: "My Hope Is Built"

UMH #368

*Benediction

Postlude