East Valley Reformed Church
Pastor Bill Van Herk
January 6, 2019 Communion Service

To Our Visitors

Thank you for joining us for this celebration of worship! It is our hope that you find the service uplifting and that you will come again. Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the service.

Our Mission Statement

“Helping each other follow Jesus Christ.”

Our Vision Statement

“To be people who delight in worshipping Jesus, seek to know him more and are being shaped by God to be a redemptive presence in our community through proclaiming the gospel, feeding the hungry and nurturing one another in love.”

Elders/Committee

Connie Faulkner: Chair of Education/Vice President
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Idell Dunn: Chair of Fellowship
Don Linder: Chair of Outreach
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The Approach to God

Gathering Song
Welcome and Announcements
Preparation for Worship
Votum
Call to Worship
*Opening Hymn #262 “Holy, Holy, Holy”

Prayer of Confession 
Father God, in your great mercy you have given us a new birth into living hope. In you we have a life that you have promised will be an abundant life that will never run out. We confess Oh Lord that we have the habit of returning to our old life, a life that only leads to death. Holy Spirit continue to teach us to walk after Jesus. Pick us up when we fall and guide when we stray. Remind us to take time to experience again the indescribable and glorious joy of knowing, loving and believing Jesus. Amen. Based on 1 Peter 1:3-9

Assurance of Pardon
Installation of Elder

The Word of God in Sacrament and Proclamation
Prayer of Illumination
Old Testament Lesson Isaiah 60:1-6
*Songs of Praise (Prayer cards will be gathered) (Children are released to Kidz Church)
New Testament Lesson Matthew 2:1-12

Sermon: “War”

Prayer for Blessing
Song of Response
The Prayers of the People
The Gifts of God’s People
Offertory
*Doxology
*Apostle’s Creed
*Peace: The Peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.

Meaning of the Sacrament
Invitation
Communion Prayer
Communion

The Response to God
The Prayer of Thanksgiving
The Lord’s Prayer
*Closing Hymn #166 “We Three Kings”
* Benediction
*Closing Song

*Please Stand if Able