



## East Valley Reformed Church

March 03, 2019

Pastor Bill Van Herk

### 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

Butch Smedema: Vice President/Chair of Worship and Resource

Mark Van Kommer: Chair of Education

Connie Faulkner: Worship Team

Frank Meneses: Life Church

### Deacons/Committee

Claudia King: Education Team

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Pastor Bill Van Herk-Communion

## The Approach to God

Prelude

Gathering Songs

Welcome and Announcements

Prepare for Worship

Votum

Call to Worship

\*Opening Hymn #183 "Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

**God of love and forgiveness,**

**we open the windows of our hearts to you  
so, the peace and light of your presence  
may pour into our lives.**

**If our hearts have grown cold,**

**inflame them with the fire of your love.**

**If our hearts have grown weary,**

**refresh us with the joy of your Spirit.**

**If our hearts are battered down and broken,**

**restore us with your healing power.**

**If our hearts are dull and uncaring,**

**awaken us with the call of Jesus.**

**May your love and forgiveness**

**stir the winds of renewal and commitment in our  
hearts, that we may walk in your paths and abide in your  
peace.**

**Through Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen**

Assurance of Pardon

## The Word of God in Sacrament and Proclamation

Prayer of Illumination

Old Testament Lesson Isaiah 65:17-25

\*Songs of Praise (Prayer cards will be gathered)  
(Children are released to Kidz Church)

New Testament Lesson Luke 6:37-42

Sermon "Get the Log Out"

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 #359 "Jesus is Lord of All"

\*Benediction

\*Closing Song \*Please Stand if Able

*Next Sunday's Message: March 10, 2019*

*"The Discipline of Getting Lost"*

Sometimes it's the time we spend in the wilderness that makes us  
stronger.

Exodus 15:27-16:3 and Matthew 4:1-11