## welcome

We hope and fully expect that you'll encounter God this morning and even meet a few warm-hearted people as well.

You can expect the service to last around an hour and a half.

### reservoir families

We're excited about your kids! We have designed special programs and services just for them that happen concurrently with the 9:30am service. Kids are also always welcome in the main services.

## today's service

**OPENING SONG** 

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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#### WORSHIP

An opportunity to take Communion, receive prayer in the Chapel, and participate in musical worship.



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January 22, 2017

9:30am & 11:30am

### Matthew 13:44-46 (NLT)

- <sup>44</sup> "The Kingdom of Heaven is like a treasure that a man discovered hidden in a field. In his excitement, he hid it again and sold everything he owned to get enough money to buy the field.
- <sup>45</sup> "Again, the Kingdom of Heaven is like a merchant on the lookout for choice pearls. <sup>46</sup> When he discovered a pearl of great price, he sold everything he owned and bought it!

### Genesis 16:7-13 (NLT)

- <sup>7</sup> The angel of the Lord found Hagar beside a spring of water in the wilderness, along the road to Shur. <sup>8</sup> The angel said to her, "Hagar, Sarai's servant, where have you come from, and where are you going?"
- "I'm running away from my mistress, Sarai," she replied.
- <sup>9</sup> The angel of the Lord said to her, "Return to your mistress, and submit to her authority." <sup>10</sup> Then he added, "I will give you more descendants than you can count."

- <sup>11</sup> And the angel also said, "You are now pregnant and will give birth to a son. You are to name him Ishmael (which means 'God hears'), for the Lord has heard your cry of distress.
  <sup>12</sup> This son of yours will be a wild man, as untamed as a wild donkey! He will raise his fist against everyone, and everyone will be against him. Yes, he will live in open hostility against all his relatives."
- <sup>13</sup> Thereafter, Hagar referred to the LORD, who had spoken to her, as "the God who sees me," for she said, "I have seen the One who sees me!"

"The God Who Sees With Eyes Of Love" Third in the Series, "Stories Jesus Told" CATE NELSON **Invitations:** 1. Gaze upon who sees with \_\_\_\_\_. Let his gaze \_\_\_\_\_. 2. Let fall tenderly upon your 3. When you have \_\_\_\_\_\_, ask God to see them through eyes of love. 4. Pay attention to \_\_\_\_\_; train your eyes .