

ORDER OF WORSHIP

(*) Please stand as you are able.

(UMH) is the United Methodist Hymnal (blue).

(TFWS) is The Faith We Sing songbook (black).

CHIMES

MORNING GREETING

L: Come, let us worship the one who calls us here. Praise be to God.

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*INVITATION TO WORSHIP

L: God sees the hurt of all God's people.

P: Praise the God of our salvation!

L: God wants everyone to be saved.

P: Praise the God of our salvation!

L: God sent Jesus to give himself for all.

P: Praise the God of our salvation! Amen!

*OPENING HYMN

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light - UMH # 206 (v. 1-3)

*GREETING IN THE FELLOWSHIP OF CHRIST

ANTHEM

This Is God's House - Fire Within Us (arr. J. Hammerly)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYER (UNISON)

Righteous God, let your compassion come speedily to meet us, for we are brought low in our need. Our spirits are poured out like flowing waters, and there is no one to aid us in our pain. Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of your name. Let your compassion come speedily to us once more, that all may see and know where true help lies. We pray these things as we come to our time of silent prayer . . .

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

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, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Offertory - Chancel Choir (John Ness Beck)

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 16:1-13 (NRSV)

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

I Need Thee Every Hour - UMH # 397 (v. 1, 2, & 5)

SERMON

Faithful - Rev. Scott Andrews

OFFERING (Offertory Sentence)

L: Every blessing we have received comes from God's generosity. May God continue to bless us each and every day.

OFFERTORY

Savior, Again to Your Name - James Petri (R.A. Hobby)

*DOXOLOGY

**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!**

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*CLOSING HYMN

I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me - TFWS # 2153 (v. 1-4)

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Fuga - James Petri (J. Pachebel)

Participating in the Service Today

Music Director: Anna DeMichele

Pianist: Jamie Dyer

Liturgist: Gillian Klinkert

Preaching: Rev. Scott Andrews

Organist: James Petri

Guitarist: Ashley Beck

Audio/Visual Tech: Cameron Wilkinson



FAITHFUL

Luke 16:1-13

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