

An Order for the Worship of God
May 10, 2026 – Mother’s Day

Ring of the Bells
Welcome & Announcements - Candle Lighting and Prelude

*Please stand, if able

Call to Worship: based on Psalm 66 (Liturgist – Congregation)

Come and hear, all who fear God, and I will tell what the Lord has done for you.

Truly God has listened and given heed to the words of my prayer.

You are blessed, O God, because you have not rejected my prayer, or removed your steadfast love from me.

I will come into your house and pay you my vows, those that my lips uttered and my mouth promised when I was in trouble.
Let us worship God!

*Opening Hymn: #47, Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Opening Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer
Truly you have listened and given heed to the words of our prayers. You have kept us among the living and have not let our feet slip. You have tested and tried us, laid burdens on our backs, and let people ride over our heads. We have gone through fire and water; yet you have brought us into a spacious place. We enter into the courtyard of your sanctuary and offer hearty thanksgiving. Be pleased with our worship that we lay now before you and give heed to our voices as we sing you our praises. For we ask this in the name of our beloved Savior, Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray: “Our Father ... (debts/debtors)

New Testament Reading: 1 Peter 3:13-22

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

*Gloria Patri: #558 (PILGRIM)

New Testament Reading: Acts 9:36-42
Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord

All: May the reading and the hearing of Your word inform our minds, comfort our souls, and guide our feet.

Sermon: A Woman Who Makes a Difference

*Responsive Hymn: #288, Happy the Home When God is There

Congregational Prayer

L: Lord, in your mercy

C: **Hear our prayer**

Call for the Offering

Let us share God’s blessings, as we collect our tithes, gifts, and offerings.

*Doxology #562 (Pilgrim)

Offering Prayer:

As we offer our gifts to you, Holy God, may we remember those who are forgotten by us too many times - the hungry, the lonely, the homeless, the vulnerable, and yes, even our Mothers - yet they are all important citizens in your kingdom of grace, justice, mercy, and hope. Amen.

*Closing Hymn: #39, I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Benediction

We go in peace to love and serve the Lord in the name of Christ. Amen.

*Extinguishing the Candles
Postlude

CHURCH



Worship Leaders

Pastor

Liturgist

Director of Music

Jerry Eisner

Mary Kugel

Sue Laubenheimer

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We are happy you are here!

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