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10:30 a.m.



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Thank you for worshipping with us today!

*Please make sure you have registered your attendance with us on the sign-in sheet in the hallway.
If you are a guest or visitor with us, be sure to pick up our newsletter, The OPCC Scene,
or see our website for current event, activity, opportunity, and contact information here at OPCC.*

COVID-19 Protocols

*Please social distance from people who are not in your household. Face masks must
be worn the entire time you are at OPCC, except for when actively taking communion.
Our complete "Returning to OPCC Covenant" is available in the church entryway
and on our website at www.bit.ly/opccInPerson*



For those with children...

*We welcome the sounds and movements of little ones that remind us God is moving in our midst!
Please make yourself comfortable in the Sanctuary, and/or in our family-friendly worship space in the
Overflow Room. For a more engaging worship, there are family activity boxes available for each household.
If you do not find a box with your family name on it, please feel free to use a guest box.
Children of all ages are always welcome in Sanctuary worship, however we also have available
our staffed Nursery for children through 3 years old, as well as Children Worship & Wonder.
The Nursery and the Children Worship & Wonder room are located in the northeast hallway.*

Words of Welcome

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE GATHERING – We Enter into God's Presence

Sharing Christ's Peace and Gathering in the Light

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Prelude to Worship

"Kum Bay Yah" by James Grimm, arr. Calvin McBride
"Holy Ground" by Geron Davis, arr. Calvin McBride

Calvin McBride, guitar

Invitation to Worship

Rev. Chuck Pickrel

one: If you feel small, if you feel insignificant,

*all: **you are welcome.***

one: If you feel big, if you feel powerful,

*all: **you are welcome.***

one: God sows the good news in tiny seeds,

*all: **inviting us to tend the soil of community,***

one: and marvel as they grow.

*all: **Come to this time of worship,***

one: and discover what may be growing within you even now.

*all: **All who seek to grow, join in this time of worship.***

Opening Hymn

"God of the Fertile Fields"

Chalice Hymnal #695; vv 1-3

Invocation

Rev. Chuck Pickrel

Prayer Response

"Seek Ye First"

Chalice Hymnal #354

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Prayer of Illumination

"Be Still"

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Worship & Wonder Scripture

"The Mustard Seed"

Rev. Chuck Pickrel

a Children Worship & Wonder story written by Sonja M. Stewart and Jerome Berryman
based on Matthew 13:31-32 and Mark 4:30-32 (*told in the Children Worship and Wonder room*)

Scripture

Mark 4:30-34 (New Revised Standard Version)

Teresa Phillips

Sermon

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE RESPONSE – We Respond in Worship

Special Music

"God of Wonders" arr. James Koerts

Julie Dean, piano

Prayers of the People

Pat Gilling

Our 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 debts as we forgive our debtors.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Song of Response

"You Are the Seed"

Chalice Hymnal #478; vv 1 & 2

Invitation to Stewardship

Teresa Phillips

*If you would like to support the ministries of Overland Park Christian Church and all the ways
we are "being church" even now, you may give on our website www.opccdoc.org by scanning
this QR code, or by dropping a check or cash in the glass-paneled box in the entry hallway.*



Doxology

"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"

Chalice Hymnal #718

Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to Communion

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Communion Prayer

Words of Institution

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Communion Response

"Seed, Scattered and Sown"

Chalice Hymnal #395; vv 1 & 2

SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship

Pat Gilling

Closing Hymn

"To What Can the Kingdom of God Be Compared"

by Carolyn Winfrey Gillette

Blessing and Benediction

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Postlude

"Indescribable" arr. James Koerts

Julie Dean, piano

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