



Words of Welcome

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE GATHERING – We Enter into God's Presence

Sharing Christ's Peace

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Gathering in the Light

Prelude to Worship

"A Plaintive Song" by Herbert Colvia

Dr. Arthur Rinehart, organ

*Invitation to Worship

Sue Elliott

one: Arise, people of faith, that Christ may give us life. This is the day of meeting in Christ's name.

*all: **We reach out for health and wholeness.***

one: We embrace one another with concern and care.

*all: **God is attentive and hears our cries.***

one: God challenges us to eager engagement in life.

*all: **Like those who watch eagerly for the morning,***

one: We wait in anticipation of God's word.

*all: **We sing of God's faithfulness day by day.***

*Opening Hymn

"How Firm a Foundation"

Chalice Hymnal #618; vv 1, 2, & 5

Invocation

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Prayer Response

"Abide with Me"

Chalice Hymnal #636; vv 1 & 3

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Prayer of Illumination

"Be Still"

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Worship & Wonder Scripture

"The Great Pearl"

Pastor Lisa Engelken

a Children Worship & Wonder story written by Sonja M. Stewart and Jerome W. Berryman,

based on Matthew 13:45-46

(told in the Children Worship & Wonder room)

Scripture

Psalm 38 (Common English Bible)

Sue Elliott

Sermon	"The Sweet Sound of Lament"	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
Special Music	"Ave Verum" by W.A. Mozart	Dr. Arthur Rinehart, organ

THE RESPONSE – We Respond in Worship

Prayers of the People	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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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.**

Response in Song	"O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go"	Chalice Hymnal #540; vv 1 & 4
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Invitation to Stewardship	Jane Fletcher
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*Doxology	"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"	Chalice Hymnal #46
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Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to Communion	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Communion Prayer

Words of Institution	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Communion Response	"Lágrima (Tears)" by Francisco Tárrega, ed. Meineke	Calvin McBride, guitar
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SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship	Jane Fletcher
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*Closing Hymn	"God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand"	Chalice Hymnal #725; vv 1, 3, & 4
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*Blessing and Benediction	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Postlude	"Now Thank We All Our God" setting by John Behnke	Dr. Arthur Rinehart, organ
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