Scripture

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BREAD, BATH & BEYOND

Week 1 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 "Nunc Dimittis" setting by Hal H. Hopson Christopher Elliott, organ *Invitation to Worship Theresa Krebs one: There are some days when I need the reminder that I belong to God. Do you ever feel that way? all: Yes. We do. one: The world can be a harsh place; we often need that reminder. *all:* Well then, let us care for one another. Let us speak the truth we each need to hear. one: Church, you belong to God. You are God's beloved. all: Friend, you belong to God. You are God's beloved. one: Let us worship the God who knows our names. all: Let us worship the God who calls us beloved. *Opening Hymn "We Sing Your Mighty Power, O God" Chalice Hymnal #64 Invocation Theresa Krebs Prayer Response "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" Chalice Hymnal #254; vv 1 & 3 THE WORD – We Receive God's Word Prayer of Illumination "Be Still" Rev. Laura Ann Phillips Worship & Wonder Scripture "Jesus Is Baptized" Pastor Lisa Engelken a Worship & Wonder story written by Sonja M. Stewart and Jerome W. Berryman based on Matthew 3, Mark 1:1-11, and Luke 3:1-22 told in the Children Worship & Wonder room Scripture Genesis 1:1-5 (Common English Bible) Nancy Phipps

Mark 1:4-11 (Common English Bible)

Sermon	"Bread, Bath, and Beyond Beloved"	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
Special Music "I	Borning Cry/Lamb of God" arr. Christopher Ell	iott Christopher Elliott, piano
THE RESPONSE – We Respond in Worship		
Prayers of the People		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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	"God Will Take Care of You"	
Invitation to Stewardship Rev. Laura Ann 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 can visit our website, www.opccdoc.org to give online, or you may mail your check to our building at 7600 West 75th Street, Overland Park, KS 66204.		
*Doxology	"This Is a Day of New Beginnings"	Chalice Hymnal #518
Prayer of Dedication		
Invitation to Communion		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
Communion Prayer		
Words of Institution		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
Communion Response	"He Leadeth Me"	Chalice Hymnal #545
SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World		
Invitation to Discipleship		Teresa Phillips
*Closing Hymn	"Take My Life"	Chalice Hymnal #609; vv 1-3, 6
*Blessing and Benediction		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
Postlude	"Rejoice, the Lord Is King" by John Darwall	Christopher Elliott, organ

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