



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 "An Horarium for Organ" by Karen Beaumont Christopher Elliott, organ

*Invitation to Worship Emerson Hartzler

one: Surely God speaks to us here.

all: We come, thirsty for springs of living water.

one: Come, as stewards of God's mysteries.

all: Surely Christ will feed us with living bread.

one: God will equip us with everything we need.

all: We will learn how to live in God's realm.

one: Be ready to receive more than you can ask.

all: Be ready to give more than you thought you had.

*Opening Hymn "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" Chalice Hymnal #16

Invocation Emerson Hartzler

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 Sower" Pastor Lisa Engelken

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

based on Matthew 13:3-8, Mark 4:3-8, and Luke 8:5-8

told in the Worship & Wonder room

Scripture Matthew 6:19-24 (Common English Bible) Mollie Blackburn

Sermon Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Special Music Julie Dean, piano, and Christopher Elliott, organ

"Let There Be Peace On Earth" arr. Michael Ware

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 "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" Chalice Hymnal #73

Invitation to Stewardship

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*Doxology "Be Thou My Vision" Chalice Hymnal #595; v 3

Prayer of Dedication elder

Invitation to Communion Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Communion Prayer elder

Words of Institution Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Communion Response "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian" Chalice Hymnal #589

SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

*Closing Hymn "Take My Life" Chalice Hymnal #609

*Blessing and Benediction Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Postlude "Sing With All The Saints In Glory" arr. Michael Arell Christopher Elliott, organ

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