

Our Money Story – Release

Words of Welcome Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE GATHERING – We Enter into God's Presence

Sharing Christ's Peace Rev. Chuck Pickrel and Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" arr. Randall Hartsell Prelude to Worship Julie Dean, piano

Gathering in the Light The White Family

Invitation to Worship Rev. Chuck Pickrel

one: Through Moses, God said, *all:* "Let my people go." (Ex.9:1) one: In scripture, the law declares:

all: "In the seventh year, you must cancel all debts." (Deut.15:1)

one: With grace, Jesus said:

all: "Give one coat away." (Luke 3:11)

one: With honesty, Jesus taught:

all: "Sell what you have, give that money to the poor." (Matt. 19:21)

one: Faith has always involved letting go, releasing, setting free,

dropping our nets, giving to others, and following.

all: So in this hour of worship, may we release that which binds us.

one: May we worship with open, untamed, and porous hearts, so that we can walk freely with God.

all: Let it be so. Amen.

"Take My Life and Let It Be" Opening Hymn Chalice Hymnal #609

Invocation Nancy Corbin

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Scripture "The Young Rich Ruler" Pastor Lisa Engelken

A Children Worship and Wonder Story based on Matthew 19:16-22 adapted by Brenda J Stobbe

Scripture Deuteronomy 15:1-11 (Common English Bible) Lois Wimpey

Meditation Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

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.

Invitation to Stewardship

Lee Sprinkle

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Doxology "Everything I Am" Chalice Praise #19

Prayer of Dedication Nancy Corbin

Invitation to Communion Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Words of Institution Rev. Chuck Pickrel

Musical Response "Take Our Bread" Chalice Hymnal #413

SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Closing Hymn "Release What Holds You Back" by Stephen Fearing

Sharing the Light The White Family

Blessing and Benediction Lois Wimpey

Postlude "Sing to the King" arr. Phillip Keveren Julie Dean, piano

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