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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 and Rev. Chuck Pickrel

Prelude to Worship

"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"
by Carl G. Glaser, arr. Martha Lynn Thompson

Reverberations Bell Choir

Invitation to Worship

Jane Fletcher

one: Gather to remember and share stories of faith; rejoice in the goodness of the loving God.

*all: **Before our stories began, there was God; through all our days, God walks with us.***

one: Worship the one who gives and sustains life; sing praises to the one who is our refuge.

*all: **There is no place where we can go where God is not;
amid life's terrors, God's promises hold true.***

one: Delight in God, whose protection we enjoy; dance with God who frees us for new possibilities.

*all: **We call out to God, expecting to be heard; we listen, knowing there is truth to be received.***

*Opening Hymn

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

Chalice Hymnal #4; vv 1,2,4

Invocation

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Prayer Response

"Just a Closer Walk with Thee"
arr. by Susan Berry and Janet Van Valey

Reverberations Bell Choir

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Prayer of Illumination

"Be Still"

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Worship & Wonder Scripture "Jesus is Risen: The Road to Emmaus"

Rev. Chuck Pickrel

a Children Worship & Wonder story written by Sonja M. Stewart and Jerome W. Berryman, based on Luke 24:1-35
(told in the Children Worship and Wonder room)

Scripture

Revelation 1:4-8 (Common English Bible)

Barb Collins

Sermon

Rev. Emily Stirewalt

Special Music

"Waiting for You" by The Many

The Many (video)

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

"Revelation Song"

Invitation to Stewardship

Jane Fletcher

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*Doxology

"Glory Be to the Father"

Chalice Hymnal #36

Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to Communion

Communion Prayer

Words of Institution

Communion Response

"Alleluia! Sing to Jesus"

Chalice Hymnal #233; vv 1 & 3

SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship

Barb Collins

*Closing Hymn

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Chalice Hymnal #234; vv 1-3

*Blessing and Benediction

Rev. Emily Stirewalt

*Postlude

"Celebrate Jesus" arr. Jeff Bennett

Julie Dean, piano

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