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Revelation ~ A Vision of the Church

Words of Welcome

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE GATHERING – We Enter into God's Presence

Sharing Christ's Peace

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips and Rev. Chuck Pickrel

Gathering in the Light

Calvin McBride

Prelude to Worship "It's the End of the World as We Know It (And I Feel Fine)"

Emily Boedeker

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Invitation to Worship

Theresa Krebs

one: God, we hunger! –

*all: **for all to have access to nourishing food,***

one: for the way we grow food and eat food to foster connection.

*all: **The Earth is scorched!***

one: Greed treats our beloved planet as disposable.

*all: **We are mourning!***

one: Oh, war. Oh, systems of violence.

*all: **Oh, the havoc they wreak.***

one: We join with God who weeps over all that is lost.

*all: **We dream toward flourishing with the One who is the Spring of Living Water.***

*Opening Hymn

"Great Is the Lord"

Chalice Praise #15

Invocation

Theresa Krebs

Prayer Response

"Agnus Dei"

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Prayer of Illumination

"Be Still"

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Worship & Wonder Scripture "Dorcas, Follower of Jesus, Helps the Poor in Judea"

Pastor Lisa Engelken

a Children Worship & Wonder story written by Sonja M. Stewart, based on Acts 9:36-42

(told in the Children Worship and Wonder room)

Scripture	Revelation 7:9-17 (Common English Bible)	Emerson Hartzler
Sermon		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE RESPONSE – We Respond in Worship

Prayers of the People		Rev. Chuck Pickrel
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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	"How Great Is Our God"
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Invitation to Stewardship	Emerson Hartzler
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*Doxology	"My Tribute"	Chalice Hymnal #39
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Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to Communion		Rev. Chuck Pickrel
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Communion Prayer

Words of Institution		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Communion Response	"We Remember You"	Chalice Praise #169
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SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Consecration of Graduates		Rev. Chuck Pickrel
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Special Music	"Forever Young" by Bob Dylan	Emily Boedeker
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Invitation to Discipleship		Rev. Chuck Pickrel
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*Closing Hymn	"10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)"
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*Blessing and Benediction		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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*Postlude	"It's the End of the World as We Know It (And I Feel Fine)" by Michael Mills (R.E.M.), Michael Stipe, Peter Buck & Bill Berry; © 1989 Night Garden Music	Emily Boedeker
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