

## Prelude

*Let us turn our hearts and minds to a time of silent reflection and prayer.*

## Welcome and Announcements

## Introit

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP:

One: Let us worship together the Searching God.

**ALL: We praise You that You never stop seeking us.**

One: Like a good shepherd, who cares for all the sheep,  
you do not abandon anyone, seeking them out,  
lifting them up, bringing them home.

**ALL: We praise You that You never stop seeking us.**

One: Like a poor widow, who cherishes every coin,  
you do not cease from Your searching,  
reaching out, rejoicing in Your discoveries.

**ALL: We praise You that you never stop seeking us. Amen.**

## \*Hymn of Praise

New Century Hymnal # 547

“Amazing Grace”

## \*PRAYER OF INVOCATION:

Living God, we thank You that You seek us here in our worship today, drawing us near to you, embracing us with your love. Help us to rejoice with you, through Christ our Lord we ask it. Amen.

## Anthem

## Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 23

## Gospel Lesson

Luke 15: 1-7

## \*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. World without end. Amen, Amen.

## Sermon

Brian Sampson

“The Ninety and Nine”

## Hymn of Reflection

New Century Hymnal # 207

“Just As I Am”

## Pastoral Prayer

## The 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 and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.*

## Choral Response

## Worship in Tithes and Offerings

## \*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;

Praise Him above ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## \*Offertory Prayer

## \*Hymn of Going Forth

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“My Savior’s Love”

## \*Benediction

## \*Benediction Response

“Make Us One”

Make us one Lord, make us one

Holy Spirit, make us one

Let our love flow, so the world will know

We are one in you, we are one in you.

## \*Postlude

\*We invite you to stand if you are able.