March 4, 2018 10:00 am

Prelude

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

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Leader: How wonderful it is to be in a dwelling place for God!

People: The refreshing springs of God's love will clean and restore us.

Leader: There is a place here for everyone. No one is turned away.

People: The least and the lost; the homeless and hopeless are always welcome in God's house.

Leader: Praise to God who invites and shelters us all.

ALL: Praise to God who heals and sends us forth to serve. AMEN.

*Hymn of Praise Celebration Hymnal # 147

"How Great Thou Art"

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION: (Unison Reading)

In the beauty of this place, we have come to pray, to worship, to receive healing and hope. We come from the struggles and triumphs of the week, needing to feel the soothing presence of God. Lord, be with us this day. Calm and soothe our souls. Cause us to rejoice that you have provided a special place where we may gather to talk about your presence and love; to sing your praises, and to be empowered to go forth to serve you. Amen!

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 102:18-22

New Testament Lesson 2 Timothy 22:26

*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.

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

Sermon Rev. William Kren

"The DCC Prayer Initiative"

Hymn of Preparation Celebration Hymnal # 351

"Amazing Love"

Service of Communion

Uniting in Covenant
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Hymn of Going Forth Celebration Hymnal # 602

"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

"Each One, Reach One"

Each one can reach one;
As we follow after Christ we all can lead one;
We can lead one to the Savior;
Then together we can tell the world that Jesus is the way--
If we each one reach one.

*Postlude

*We invite you to stand if you are able.