

Prelude

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

Welcome and Announcements

Introit

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

ONE: Glorious God, we come together as your people.

ALL: We come as a praising people, singing your goodness;

ONE: We come as a hungry people, longing to be fed;

ALL: We come as a praying people, bringing our needs, our joys;

ONE: We come as a journeying people, looking for direction.

ALL: In this hour of worship,

ONE: Empower us for faithful living.

ALL: We ask this in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ, Amen.

*Hymn of Praise

New Century Hymnal # 293

“Sweet, Sweet Spirit”

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION:

Lord God of heaven and earth, Creator of our world, and everything in it, yet as close to us as our own breath—holy is Your name. In You we live and move and have our being; we are Your own children, the work of Your hands. We pray that Your Holy Spirit would move among us as we worship, opening our eyes to Your presence, opening our ears to Your Word. Receive the worship of our hearts and minds and bodies; may it be a pleasing offering to You. We pray in the name of Your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ, in whose death and resurrection we find life. Amen.

Anthem

Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 15

Gospel Lesson

John 4:19-24

*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

Rev. William Kren

"Let's Avoid a Big Let Down!"

Hymn of Reflection

New Century Hymnal # 539

“Won't You Let Me Be Your Servant?”

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

New Century Hymnal # 382

“Come, We Who Love God's Name”

*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.