

Prelude

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

Welcome and Announcements

Introit

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

ONE: Light of Christ, awaken us this hour to the glory of Your presence!

ALL: Shine among us in such a way that the darkness without and within may be pushed back.

ONE: Help us to recognize sin for what it is.

ALL: Enable us to behold the world as You created it to be, as You created us to be.

ONE: Empower us to move from darkness to light, from sin to new life.

ALL: May Your light within us shine through into worship this day. This we pray in the name of the Word made flesh, the light which is the light of all people. Jesus the Christ.

*Hymn of Praise

Pilgrim Hymnal # 375

“Lead On, O King Eternal”

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION:

Lord of life, of love, of peace, of time itself, we stand in awe of Your eternal presence and resurrection power. We open our lives, once again, to Your involvement. Come, Lord Jesus. As You sit in heaven, be seated here on the throne of our hearts. Forgive us our sin, and enter in. Amen.

Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 40:13-17

Anthem

New Testament Lesson

Romans 5:12-17

*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
"Alive in a Battered World!"

Hymn of Reflection

Pilgrim Hymnal # 374
“In the Hour of Trial”

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

Pilgrim Hymnal # 358
“Rock of Ages”

*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.