



# WELCOME TO WORSHIP

FEBRUARY 23, 2025

## PRELUDE

“In Babilone”  
(Michael Burkhardt)

## INTROIT

“The Joy”

## LIFE OF THE CHURCH

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come and rejoice in God!

**All: Sing praise to God who continually blesses our lives!**

Leader: In the midst of troubles and stress, God is near, offering compassion.

**All: Our hope is in the Lord.**

Leader: Let all the people praise God.

**All: Hallelujah! Amen!**

### \*OPENING HYMN

“Joyful, Joyful”

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Suffering Servant, you showed us how to live through humble service. We long to be like you, and acknowledge the times we fall short. We grasp our money, reluctant to be charitable, fearful of living with less. We forgo opportunities for mission work because our personal schedules are too hectic. We boast in how magnanimous we are instead of helping others in quiet obedience. Have mercy on us, O God, and forgive our sinful ways. Make us vulnerable to the movement of the Holy Spirit, and help us discover joy through serving others. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

### MINISTRY OF MUSIC

“Joy in the Morning”  
(Natalie Sleeth)

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Saving God, source of our calling, your Word is full of power and glory. Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us so that we may receive your grace and live as your beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 13:12-17 (Pew Bible pg. 993)

### MESSAGE

Living the Call: “Joy”

### \*HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Christ You Call Us All to Service” (#571 vs. 1-3)

### OFFERING

### MUSICAL OFFERING

“Make Me A Servant”  
(Tommy Walker)

### PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

### \*CLOSING SONG

“Sing a New Church” (#577 vs. 1,3-5)

### \*BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE

”Joy to the World Jig”  
(Phil Lehenbauer)

Transitional Pastor  
Associate Pastor  
Director of Worship  
Pianist/Director of Media  
Organist/Accompanist  
Tech

**Geoff Kohler**  
**Mofid Wasef**  
**Elizabeth Virkler**  
**Luke Graham**  
**Ronél Wishnuff**  
**Riley McKenna**  
**Lee & Berdi Meehan**  
**Jerry Carleton**  
**Keith Sherwood**

Worship Band

**Joey Carano**  
**Pete Harrison**  
**Nathan Hubbard**  
**Jessi Byrne**  
**Gary Williams**  
**Paul Marx**  
**Chancel Choir**

Scripture Reader  
Ensemble

Vocalists

\*Please stand if able

To Give:

