



WELCOME TO WORSHIP

OCTOBER 16, 2022

PRELUDE

“Shout to the Lord”
Darlene Zschech, arr. Raney

INTROIT

“Jesus, Light of Joy”
(Congregation join on verse 3)

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: "Sleepers, wake!" A voice astounds us. "Awake, Jerusalem, arise."

All: Rise up and give us light. Alleluia!

Leader: Zion hears the watchmen singing; her heart with joyful hope is springing.

All: Now come, most worthy Lord, God's Son, incarnate Word. Alleluia!

Leader: Lamb of God, the heavens adore you; let saints and angels sing before you. We sing to greet our King; forever let our praises ring.

All: No eye has known such the sight, no ear has heard such delight: Alleluia! We sing to greet our King.

OPENING HYMN

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing” (#87)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious and steadfast Lord, how do we begin to count the ways we have been foolish? We have spent our energy chasing earthly pursuits. We have placed our own opinions above your wisdom. We have put our self interests ahead of Christ's community. Forgive us for not understanding your will. Fill us with the Spirit so we may be drawn together in love and joy. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

“Gospel Ship”
Gwyneth Walker

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Dear Lord, illuminate this day and enlighten us as we seek to know you through your word. May we be led by your light so our hearts may be opened to your word. We pray that we receive every word you speak to us today. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Ephesians 5:8-20

HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Filled with the Spirit’s Power” (#331)

MESSAGE

Community of Faith:
“Cumulative”

HYMN OF RESPONSE

“I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light” (#248)

OFFERING

OFFERING OF MUSIC

“True Light”
Keith Hampton

PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE & LORD’S PRAYER

CLOSING HYMN

“Go to the World” (#553 vs. 1,3,4)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“O Worship the King”
Johann Haydn, arr. Raney

Preaching Pastor
Assisting Pastor
Director of Worship
Director of Media
Organist/Accompanist
Guest organist
Ensembles
Scripture reader

Geoff Kohler
Mofid Wasef
Elizabeth Virkler
Luke Graham
Ronél Wishnuff
Chris Cook
Grace Notes
Chancel Choir
Rosina Krefft

TO GIVE: .

