



WELCOME TO WORSHIP

SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

PRELUDE

“All That Thrills My Soul”
Harris, arr. Dunn

INTROIT

“Into My Heart”

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

UNISON CALL TO WORSHIP

In the east and west, the north and south God creates beauty and life. From all corners of the globe God calls us to love, to live, to follow. In our homes and our hearts, in this church and in the world, we sing and serve, we hope and we pray. Let us worship God. (Beth Merrill Neel)

HYMN MEDLEY

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”
“Fairest Lord Jesus”
“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(Ruth Duck)

Leader: Spirit open my heart to the joy and pain of living
As you love may I love In receiving and in giving

All: Spirit, open my heart.

Leader: God, replace my stony heart with a heart that's kind and tender.
All my coldness and fear to your grace I now surrender.

All: Spirit, open my heart.

Leader: Write your love upon my heart as my law, my goal, my story.
In each thought, word, and deed, may my living bring you glory.

All: Spirit, open my heart.

Leader: May I weep with those who weep, share the joy of sister, brother.
In the welcome of Christ, may we welcome one another.

All: Spirit, open my heart.

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

“How Can I Keep from Singing”
arr. Paul Halley

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Holy Spirit, make our hearts a home for the wisdom you share with us today in the reading of God's holy Word. May our hearing turn into understanding, and our understanding turn into action, in the name of Jesus, our Savior and Friend. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Romans 8:9-13

MESSAGE

My Heart - Christ's Home :
“The Interior Decorator”

HYMN OF RESPONSE

“I Am the Lord's”

OFFERING & MUSICAL OFFERING

“Spirit Song”
Elizabeth Virkler

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE & LORDS PRAYER

CLOSING HYMN

“Christ, Enter in My Heart, Your Home”

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Toccata”
James Biery

Preaching Pastor	Geoff Kohler
Assisting Pastor	Mofid Wasef
Director of Worship	Elizabeth Virkler
Director of Media	Luke Graham
Organist/Accompanist	Ronél Wishnuff
Ensembles	Chancel Choir
	Sanctuary Orchestra
	Grace Notes
Scripture Reader	Betsy Cook

TO GIVE: .

