



WELCOME TO WORSHIP

MARCH 26, 2023

PRELUDE

“Elegy”
Brenda Portman

INTROIT

“God Welcomes All”

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: I will worship you with all of my heart.

All: I will praise you with all my strength.

Leader: I will seek you through all of my days.

All: I will follow you in all of your ways.

Leader: I will bow down and hail you as King.

All: I will serve you and give you everything.

Leader: I will lift my eyes to your throne.

All: I will trust in you alone.

Leader: You alone I long to worship.

All: You alone are worthy of my praise.

OPENING HYMN

“Come Away from Rush and Hurry”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Unifying Lord, as your people assemble in worship we recognize and confess that our sin creates schisms between us, and therefore, from you. Still, we come today knowing your path is the way to achieve eternal joy. Forgive our foolish ways. Help us keep our eyes trained on you, our protector and sustainer. May our hearts be glad and our mouths forever proclaim your goodness, in Jesus' name. Amen.

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

“Ascribe to the Lord”
Rosephayne Powell

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Holy Spirit, as we prepare to hear today's scripture lesson, shield us from voices contradictory to your word so we may understand your will and act justly. In Christ's name we pray; Amen.

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 16

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

“Show Me the Path”
David Haas

MESSAGE

Songs that Jesus Sang: “In You I Take Refuge”

OFFERING

MUSICAL OFFERING

“My Shepherd Will Supply My Need”
Mack Wilberg

DOXOLOGY

#34

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER (SUNG)

#740

CLOSING HYMN

“At The Cross” (#258, vs. 1-4)

UNISON PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Lord, in your name we gathered and in your name we depart in peace. Thank you for showing us the paths for our lives. Paths of knowledge and wisdom. Paths of justice and reconciliation. Paths of praise and joy. As we leave this sanctuary, may the the Holy Spirit guide us on our individual journeys as members of God's infinite kingdom. Amen.

CHORAL BENEDICTION

“The Lord Bless You and Keep You”
Peter Lutkin

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Postlude in C Major, op. 80”
J. Baptiste Calkin

Message	Tim Wazny
Assisting Pastor	Mofid Wasef
Director of Worship	Elizabeth Virkler
Director of Media	Luke Graham
Organist/Accompanist	Ronél Wishnuff
Sound Technician	Riley McKenna
Ensembles	Chancel Choir
	Grace Notes

TO GIVE:

