

Sunday June 26, 2022

Prelude and Chimes

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Leader: O God, open us to the powerful winds of your Spirit.

People: Open our eyes to the wonders of your creation.

Leader: Open our nostrils to the smells of life.

People: Open our ears to the words of justice and truth.

Leader: Open our mouths to the taste of freedom and love.

People: Open our arms to the touch of our sisters and brothers.

*Hymn #28: "For the Beauty of the Earth"

*Invocation

God, with great gentleness and care, you call us to be your people and to do your work. Be here with us today, for we come, asking for your support in all that we do. We need your love, transforming our lives in hope. Be with us, we pray. Amen.

*Passing of the Peace

(For those in the sanctuary, please stand and turn to one another and by word and gesture that is comfortable to you, greet one another. For those in remote locations be aware that you too are included in the peace that Christ gives us all.)

Response Hymn #261 (verse 1): "Let Every Christian Pray"

Let every Christian pray, this day and every day,
come, Holy Spirit, come! Was not the church we love
commissioned from above? Come, Holy Spirit, come!

Reading from the Gospel: Luke 9:51-62

Carol Griffith

Reading from the Gospel: Matthew 5:13-14

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Special Music

Time with Young Disciples

Sermon: "Salty and Light-filled"

***Hymn #181:** “You Are Salt for the Earth, O People”

The Community at Prayer

(Joys and Concerns, Prayers for the People, Lord’s Prayer)

Prayer Response

Offertory

(Opportunities to give for the ministries of this church are available through an offering plate during service, by mailing your gift to the church office, or by signing up for electronic giving through our website.)

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God for all that love has done
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

**We dedicate our lives and all that we have to the work of life, of love, of peace.
Receive our gifts and lead us in wisdom and courage. Amen.**

***Hymn #525:** “This Little Light of Mine”

***Commissioning and Blessing**

***Postlude**