

September 10, 2023

Prelude and Chimes

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Leader: Let our praise today be made new.

People: May we sing a new song, pray a new prayer, dance a new dance, and speak and hear a new word.

Leader: Let the faithful delight in the Holy One's marvelous acts

People: From the seats in the sanctuary to the couches in our homes.

Leader: Let us glorify God with our voices, the work of our lives, and the joy of our souls.

All: Glory to God! Praise the Holy One!

*Hymn #22: "Sing Praise to God, Who Has Shaped"

*Passing of the Peace

Scripture Reading: Exodus 12:1-14 Liisa Granfors-Hunt

Anthem

Time With Young Disciples

Unison Prayer

God who journeys with us, we give thanks to be gathered in your presence. May we acknowledge you in the brightness of the day and in the stillness of the night. Provide us a vision of your reign on earth and in our lives. Make us your witnesses to a world in need of hope and peace. Infuse us with your love, and may this time gathered as your people transform us to reflect your goodness in the world. Amen.

Sermon: "From Death to Life"

*Hymn #574: "In Egypt Under Pharaoh"

The Community at Prayer (*Joys and Concerns, Prayers for the People, Lord's Prayer*)

If you are watching online, type any prayer requests in the chat by the end of the sermon and we can voice them and get the names on the prayer list.

Prayer Response

Invitation to the Offering

(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**

Gracious God, thank you for the gifts you give and for allowing us to be gift givers as well. May our generous offerings bear fruit to nurture our community, our neighbors, and all creation.

***Hymn #436: "God of Grace, and God of Glory"**

***Commissioning and Blessing**

***Choral Response**

***Postlude**