

June 9, 2024

Prelude and Chimes

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

Leader: Holy God, you have turned your face earthward and opened your heart to your children,

People: And so, O God, we turn to you now.

Leader: We turn to you for purpose and correction,

People: For joy and peace,

Leader: For a way out of hopeless situations,

People: For justice,

Leader: For forgiveness,

People: For love.

Leader: We turn to you, O God, for all these things offered through Jesus the Christ, the maker of redemption and the bringer of hope.

People: Amen

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

***Passing the Peace**

Scripture: Matthew 5:1; 21-26; 38-48

Jo-Anne Fournier

Special Music:

Rachel Alexander

Time With Young Disciples

***Unison Prayer**

Gracious God, you call us into your church to accept the cost and joy of discipleship. Help us to understand and accept the costs of following Christ, that we may know the joy you intend for the faithful. Amen.

Sermon: "And Jesus said..."

***Hymn #493:** "O Jesus, I Have Promised"

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**

We offer ourselves with these gifts, confident that you have a purpose for them and for us. Expand our limited vision to embrace new possibilities. We rededicate our lives at this altar. May our offerings reach beyond the barriers of our former thinking and doing. In the Spirit of Christ, we would pray and live. Amen.

***Hymn #573: "Lead On, Eternal Sovereign"**

***Commissioning and Blessing**

***Postlude**