

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 33:2-4)

Praise the Lord with the lyre; make melody to him with the harp of ten strings. Sing to God a new song; play skillfully on the strings, with loud shouts. For the word of the Lord is upright, and all God's work is done in faithfulness.

HYMN #664 Morning Has Broken

PRAYER OF THE DAY (from the Book of Common Worship)

Grant us, Lord, not to be anxious about earthly cares, but to love that which is above, and even now, while we live among transient things, to hold fast to those things that shall endure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever, Amen.

HYMN #263 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

PRAYER OF REFLECTION AND CONFESSION

(In this prayer we consider and reflect on not only our personal areas of confession, but we also reflect on and confess the failures of the whole church. Please join in this communal confession as you reflect as well on God's love and calling for you.)

Wondrous God we have been like people asleep; awaken us to the changing world around us.

Saving Lord, we have held on to a past awash with flood waters,

save us, set our feet on solid ground, and set us on a new course.

Holy Spirit, we have sought to create a church of our own making;

enliven us with your creative power, cause us in to grow together in love, building anew the church rooted in Christ. Holy Trinity, forgive us as we hold back, open us to the new things you are creating, to the glory of your name. Amen.

(silent prayer and reflection)

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

God proclaims, "I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert." In Christ we are forgiven, by the power of the Holy Spirit new life sprouts in the desert parts of our lives. God is making us and the church new today! Alleluia! Amen.

PASSING THE PEACE

HYMN #826 Lift High the Cross

SCRIPTURE READINGS Philippians 2:1-13
Matthew 21:23-32

MESSAGE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory now and forever. Amen.

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

HYMN #530 One Bread, One Body

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

HYMN #756 O God of Every Nation

BENEDICTION

100 BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION FOR BILL ANDERSON

POSTLUDE I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

- David Little, piano