

Sunday, February 7, 2021

Order of Worship

Prelude "On Eagle's Wings" with "Be Thou My Vision" by: Tornquist

Welcome and Announcements

If you wish, on the first Sunday of every month, anyone who has a birthday or anniversary during the month, can place a donation to the "little church" to help fund the Flower and Landscaping Fund.

*Opening Hymn "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" vs. 1, 2, 4

1. Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation! O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation! All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near; join me in glad adoration!
2. Praise the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigning bears thee on eagle's wings, e'er in his keeping maintaining. God's care enfolds all, whose true good he upholds. Hast thou not known his sustaining?
4. Praise to the Lord, who doth nourish thy life and restore thee, fitting thee well for the tasks that are ever before thee. Then to thy need God as a mother doth speed, spreading the winds of grace o'er thee.

*Call to Worship:

Leader: Hope is poured upon us this day!

People: God is with us, always offering God's healing love.

Leader: Now is the time for us to be people of action, not just those who silently sit and hear the good news.

People: Now is the time to seek the good; to heal those who are broken; to offer peace and hope.

Leader: Thanks be to God who has blessed us with God's abundant gifts.

People: We are called to use these gifts in service to God's broken world. Let us rejoice in the mission to which God has directed us. Amen.

*Morning Prayer:

God of love and healing, we gather today to hear the words of your love as you touch our hearts with holy balm. Open our hearts and spirits and let your merciful spirit dwell within us that, having heard the good news, we may bring that hope to others. Amen.

Song of Praise

Solo by: Dave Piehl

Children's Message "Jesus and the Sabbath"

Pastor Jane

Children may go to Fellowship Hall for Sunday School following Children's Message.

Blessing of the Prayer Shawls

Leader: Without even knowing who would receive it, these items were made specifically for the person who will receive it.

People: May they see the love and care given to each item, mirroring the love and care that God bestows upon all people.

Leader: These items were made to bring warmth to someone who feels a chill.

People: May they feel the warm breath of the Holy Spirit as they wrap themselves with it.

Leader: These items were made to bring comfort to someone who feels alone.

People: May they feel comfort in knowing that someone prayed for them as they pieced it together.

Leader: These items were made to bring peace to someone in need of prayer.

People: May they feel the power of our prayers as they feel the material with their fingers.

Leader: These items were made to remind the recipient that they are part of this community.

People: May they feel touched by our love, moved by our guidance and held up by our support.

Prayer Concerns and Praises

Silent Prayer

Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive

those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning; is now and ever shall be: World without end! Amen, Amen!

Prayer of Illumination

All: Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

Scripture Readings

Nancy Vogel

Isaiah 40:21-31

Mark 1:29-39

Sermon

“On Eagle’s Wings” Pastor Jane Piehl

Moment of Reflection

Sharing in the Lord’s Supper

Offering

Please place in offering plate at door

Doxology

Offertory Prayer

*Closing Hymn “Precious Lord, Take My Hand” vs. 1, 2

1. Precious Lord, take my hand, lead me on, let me stand, I am tired, I am weak, I am worn; through the storm, through the night, lead me on to the light:

Refrain: Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

2. When my way grows drear, precious Lord, linger near, when my life is almost gone, hear my cry, hear my call, hold my hand lest I fall:

Refrain: Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

Benediction

“God Be with You”

God be with you til we meet again; by his counsels guide uphold you, with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude

“You Are My All in All”

by: Tornquist

Upcoming activities:

2/7 Sub Sandwich pick up after church

Valentine Care package deadline

2p Sparks make Valentines

3p *Les Miserables* Movie viewing

2/9 7p Moses Study

2/17 7p Ash Wednesday Service

2/20 8:30a Men’s Study online

2/23 7p *Les Mis* Study begins

2/21 Scout Sunday

2/21 2p Toboggan Chutes outing