

Welcome to Worship

*Please sit on any pew that is **not** marked as reserved and place 6 feet of distance between you and anyone not in your immediate family or "pod." At the end of the service, we ask that you exit the building before socializing.*

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

Mark Gourley

WELCOME

Drew Herring

PRELUDE

Praise to the Lord
Based on LOBE DEN HERREN; Charles Callahan, arr.

Thor Wright, alto saxophone

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Jon Stephens

We give thanks to you, Lord,
for you have done marvelous things!
When we were walking in darkness, you were there,
when we were kneeling in weakness, you were there,
when we were feeling worthless, you were there,
when we were needing forgiveness, you were there,
when we were searching for your grace, you were there,
We give thanks to you, Lord,
for you have done marvelous things!
Amen.

DEDICATION OF JAMESON PALMER KIRK AND HIS PARENTS

Congregation:

With God's help we will seek to follow Christ ourselves so that Kevin and Caskie may be strengthened in their faith and that Jameson, surrounded by love, may be nurtured in the faith and strengthened in the way that leads to life.

RESPONSE

Christ Is Alive
(TRURO) Thomas Williams (Psalmody Evangelica, 1789)

Mark Gourley

Christ is alive! Let Christians sing. The cross stands empty to the sky.
Let streets and homes with praises ring. Love, drowned in death, shall never die.

CHILDREN'S LESSON

Jennifer Clatterbuck

MUSIC MEDITATION

Religioso, Op. 53, No. 2
Georg Goltermann; Charles Callahan, ed.

Thor Wright, bassoon

SERMON

Someone to Guide Me
Acts 8: 26-40

Drew Herring

THE LORD'S SUPPER

HYMN

Go, Make of All Disciples (Tune: LANCASHIRE)

Mark Gourley

“Go, make of all disciples.” We hear the call, O Lord, that comes from thee, our Father, in thy eternal Word.
Inspire our ways of learning through earnest, fervent prayer, and let our daily living reveal thee everywhere.

“Go, make of all disciples,” baptizing in the name of Father, Son, and Spirit, from age to age the same.
We call each new disciple to follow thee, O Lord, redeeming soul and body by water and the Word.

“Go, make of all disciples.” We at thy feet would stay until each life’s vocation accents thy holy way.
We cultivate the nature God plants in every heart, revealing in our witness the master teacher’s art.

“Go, make of all disciples.” We welcome thy command. “Lo, I am with you always.”
We take thy guiding hand. The task looms large before us; we follow without fear;
in heaven and earth thy power shall bring God’s kingdom here.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Jessamyn Rubio

DOXOLOGY (Tune: LASST UNS ERFREUEN)

Mark Gourley

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
O Praise Him! Alleluia! Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
O Praise Him! O Praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name
(CORONATION) Oliver Holden; Hal Hopson, arr.

Mark Gourley

**standing*

*The sanctuary flowers today are given in loving memory of Joann Wiseman
by Maurice and family.*