

Order of Worship

June 2, 2024 10:00 AM

Welcome to this time of worship, as we gather in the name of Jesus Christ.

Prelude

Prelude in E minor, BMV 533

J. S. Bach

Annelisa Crabtree, organ

Welcome

Rev. Nilse Furtado-Gilliam

Greeting

Leader: In the name of the Creator who made us,

People: we celebrate the goodness of our lives.

Leader: In the name of the Christ who came to set us free,

People: we rejoice in our diversity of love and life.

Leader: In the name of the Spirit who sustains us,

People: we challenge ourselves to grow and to dream.

Leader: God, in your presence we gather.

People: Be among us now!

Hymn

Love the Lord

Prayer of Confession

Leader: O gracious and loving God, who calls us to be your people in this age,
forgive us when we keep Christ in the past,
and the Gospel as letters on a page,
and the church as an organization
in which we may or may not participate.

**People: Forgive us when fellowship and mission is meant for and delivered to
those we already know and love
and we become a social club instead of your church.**

Leader: Forgive us and have mercy upon us, O God.

**People: Let your risen Christ reside here with us,
and let the Gospel be the power of our life.
May the church be a people and place
of showing your love wherever we may be.
In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.**

Words of Forgiveness

Rev. Tracy McNeil Wines

Leader: If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just,
and will forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

All: Thanks be to God. Amen.

Anthem

I Will Arise and Go to Jesus

arr. Matthew Compton

Chancel Ringers

Children's Message

Scripture

Mark 12:28-34

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Love Your Neighbor

Rev. Wines

Prayer of the People

Rev. Furtado-Gilliam

Offering

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and click "Make your online offering."*

Sending Forth

Rev. Furtado-Gilliam

Hymn

Draw the Circle Wide

Benediction

Rev. Wines

Postlude

Over the Rainbow

Harold Arlen

Chancel Ringers

arr. Israel Kamakawiwo'ole

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