

# Order of Worship

January 26, 2025 10:00 AM

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

**Prelude** **Improvisation on Duke Street** McBride  
Steve McBride, organ

**Welcome** Rev. Nilse Furtado-Gilliam

## Greeting

Leader: The Spirit of God is upon us.

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**People: We are called to be the body of Christ.**

Leader: Come let us worship God, who binds us together in love and service.

**Hymn** **Jesus Shall Reign**

## Prayer of Confession

Leader: Holy God, we confess that we have wandered from your light.

**People: We follow paths of self-indulgence,  
instead of focusing on our need for you.  
We passively accept  
the suffering of the world,  
expecting others to stand up and work  
for the change we would like to see.**

Leader: Lord, in your strength,  
renew us and compel us by your invitation  
that we may work to pursue  
your justice and mercy for all people,  
sharing your light in ways great and small.

**Words of Assurance** Rev. Tracy McNeil Wines

Leader: When we turn to the God of mercy,  
and earnestly repent of our sins,  
the Lord is quick to forgive  
and the Holy Spirit renews a right spirit within us.

**People: Thanks be to God! Amen.**

**Anthem**

**Holy Mana**  
Chapel Bells

Martha Lynn Thompson

**Children's Message**

**Scripture**

**Luke 4:14-21**

The word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

**Strengthening the Core**

Rev. Wines

**Prayer of the People**

Rev. Furtado-Gilliam

**Offering**

*You are invited to make your offering to support the ministry and mission of Clarendon UMC.*

*You may text to give at 84321 or go to the Online Worship page of our website  
and click "Make your online offering."*

**Sending Forth**

**Hymn**

**Great Are You, Lord**

**Benediction**

Rev. Wines

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