

Wherever you are on faith's and life's journey, you are welcome here!

Gathering

Prelude

If My People by Eddie Smith

Glory, Glory Lord by Bob Fitts

Glory to God Forever with To God Be the Glory arr. by Victor Labenske

John Douglas and Jeffrey Segal

Welcome

Bill Jacobs

Invitation to Worship

Bill Jacobs

One: Whenever our fate is uncertain and our fortunes are at risk,

Many: God is an ever-present help in time of trouble.

One: Whenever our path is steep and narrow, and troubles rise.

Many: God is a source of strength and comfort, leading us on

ALL: HOLY ONE, YOU GIVE US TO EACH OTHER, A COMMUNITY OF LOVE AND CARING THAT IS

CALLED TO BE A BLESSING TO ALL THE FAMILIES OF THE EARTH.

Song of Invitation

O How Glorious, Full of Wonder

NCH 558

Tyler Alessi, song leader

Considering

A Time for Our Younger Selves

Kel Henderson

Sending Forth the Children (sung)

Go, our children, with our blessing, God's light to be.

Grow in love and love by serving, joyful and free.

Here the Spirit's power filled you,

here with tender comfort stilled you.

Go, our children, with our blessing, God's light to be.

Listening for the Word

Ruth 1: 1-17

Nancy Brink

The Word Today

Your People, My People

Bill Jacobs

Responding in Song

With a Blessing in My Soul

Lindsey Jacobs, soloist

Connecting

Morning Prayers

Nancy Brink

Unison Lord's Prayer (reflections on Lord's Prayer by Nancy Brink)

Giver of light, source of life, You are all and in all, opening our hearts in praise. May Your way of peace with justice become our way in our hearts, in our homes, in our cities, in our nation, in our world. Even as we ask for bread we open our hands to share. Even as we seek forgiveness we bring Your spirit of reconciling grace to others. Open our eyes to rightly see deceptive paths and help us choose with wisdom and courage. Yours is the way, the creative energy and breathless beauty in this day and all our days. Amen.

Invitation to Stewardship

Nancy Brink

We encourage online giving through churchofthefoothills.org, or place your offering in baskets at the back of the sanctuary as you leave worship. Pledges and contributions may also be mailed to the church office at 19211 Dodge Ave.

Prayer of Gratitude

Nancy Brink

Communion

Words of Institution

Bill Jacobs

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Stephanie Brown

Who is Welcome at This Table? All: ALL PEOPLE ARE WELCOME!

Opportunities to Love and Serve

Keni Cox

Song of Going Forth

Won't You Let Me Be Your Servant?

NCH 539

vv. 1, 2 and 4 only

Blessing

Congregational Response

Tyler Alessi, song leader

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place;

I can feel God's mighty power and God's grace.

I can hear the brush of angel wings; I see glory on each face.

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

Postlude

The Servant King by Graham Kendrick

John Douglas and Jeff Segal

Be God's Beloved Community in the World

Opportunities to Love and Serve

Sunday, November 7 – Sunday, November 14

Saturday, November 13 Mixed Media, 5:30 PM at the Dunlap's

Sunday, November 14 – Sunday, November 21

Sunday, November 14 Elder Meeting, 11:15 AM to 12:15 PM in the Fireside Room
Faith in Action collecting donations following church

Saturday, November 20 Men Alive, 4:00 PM Sanctuary

Sunday, November 21, Congregational Meeting
Pickup your SCRIP orders following church

Sunday, November 28 – December 5

Sunday, November 28 First Sunday in Advent

Dancing into the Light

Advent/Christmas/Epiphany Nov 28 – Jan 9

Advent, the season of waiting and anticipating in the life of the church, begins on Sunday, November 28. We will explore the gifts that come our way as we find a way to dance in the midst of a world where hope...peace...joy...and love often feel delayed and thwarted.



Some dates to put on your calendar:

A Festival of Light, Sunday, December 12, 4-6:30 PM Food, Activities, Music and
Dancing

Christmas Eve Candlelight and Communion Service, Friday, December 24, 5:30 PM

Watchnight Gathering, Friday, December 31, 6-9 PM



November 7, 2021

10 AM

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