

The Order of Worship

*Let the people be in silent meditation and prayer
upon entering the Sanctuary*

PRELUDE “Andante Religioso” ... William Strickland

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

*CALL TO WORSHIP “Surely the Presence of the Lord” Choir and Congregation

“Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place;
I can feel his mighty power and his grace.
I can hear the brush of angels’ wings, I see glory on each face;
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.”

*GREETING

Many are the torments of the wicked,
but steadfast love surrounds those who trust in the Lord.
Be glad in the Lord, O righteous.
And shout for joy, you upright in heart!
[Psalm 32]

*THE INVOCATION

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Let us pray...

*HYMN No. 388 “O Come and Dwell in Me”

*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH No. 881 “The Apostles Creed”

*THE GLORIA PATRI, Hymnal 70 “*Glory Be to the Father*”

OFFERING OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS TO GOD

*THE OFFERTORY “March in ’F” ... William Strickland

THE DOXOLOGY, Hymnal 95 “*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*”

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE ANTHEM “No Greater Love” ... Sally DeVoy

EPISTLE LESSON (NT, Page 170, 171, Pew Bible) II Corinthians 5:17-21

THE SERMON “Looking for Excitement!”

*HYMN No. 389 “Freely, Freely”

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

*BENEDICTION Choir and Congregation

“Peace be unto this congregation. Peace to every soul herein.
Peace which flows from Christ’s salvation. This He gave, our souls to save.
Peace, redeeming all our sin.”

*POSTLUDE “Impromptu” ... William Strickland
