

## The Order of Worship

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

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PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

“We Have Come Into His House”

“We have come into His house and gathered in His name to worship Him.  
We have come into His house and gathered in His name to worship Him.  
We have come into His house and gathered in His name to worship Christ the Lord.  
Worship Him, Christ the Lord.”

\*GREETING

Because the Lord is on our side,  
**We have been saved from tragedy.**  
Our help is in the Name of the Lord,  
**Who made heaven and earth.**

\*THE INVOCATION

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

\*HYMN No. 124

“Seek the Lord”  
Sung to the tune of “Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”

\*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH No. 881

“The Apostles Creed”

\*THE GLORIA PATRI, Hymnal 70

“Glory Be to the Father”

\*THE OFFERING OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

THE DOXOLOGY, Hymnal 95

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

\*HYMN NO. 611

“Child of Blessing, Child of Promise”  
Sung to tune of “Jesus Calls Us”

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Baptismal Covenant of Leila Crosby Cooper

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS

Children Ages 3 through Grade 3

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE ANTHEM

\*GOSPEL LESSON (NT, Pages 42,43 , Pew Bible)

Mark 9:38-48

THE SERMON

“Why the Harsh Words From Jesus?”

\*HYMN No. 389

“Freely, Freely”

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

\*BENEDICTION

Choir and Congregation

“Let the Peace of Christ rule in your heart; Let the peace of Christ rule in your heart,  
And whatever you do, in word or deed, Do it all in the name of the Lord.  
Giving thanks, giving thanks to God, thro’ Christ, the Lord;  
Giving thanks, giving thanks to God, thro’ Christ, the Lord.”

\*POSTLUDE

*We celebrate the baptism of Leila Crosby Cooper,  
the daughter of Ashley and Bob Cooper,  
the granddaughter of Kathy and Bob Weathers,  
Mary Ann Hughston and William Cooper.  
We welcome Leila Crosby as one of the baptized and pledge to  
demonstrate the love of Jesus Christ to her as she grows in body and spirit.*

### HONORARIUMS AND MEMORIALS

*In Honor of Sue Jones  
given by the Fidelis Class*

*In Memory of Ruth Walrath  
given by the Fidelis Class*