



Welcome/Announcements

Sharing the Peace

P: The Peace of the Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

Call to Worship our God of Mercy and Forgiveness

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

P: We join together in making confession before God, of those sins of which we are aware and which trouble us.

(silent confession)

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We repent of all our sins, known and unknown. We are truly sorry, and pray for forgiveness. We intend to amend our lives, and to seek help in mending what is broken. Give us strength to turn from sin and to serve you in newness of life.

P: Cling to this promise: the word of forgiveness I speak to you comes from God. *** By water and the Holy Spirit, God gives you new birth. Through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, God forgives you all your sins. Our God of mercy, strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

“Arise, Your Light Has Come”

Hymn 314

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us your gift of faith, that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to what lies ahead, we may follow the way of your commandments and receive the crown of everlasting joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

New Member Reception

(see insert)

Romans 12: 9-21

pew bible p 1036

Noisy Offering—The Banquet

Children’s Message

James 3:13 - 4:4, 7-8

pew bible p 1104

Message

Pat Eidsness, AiM

“Tunnel Theology”

“You Are Mine”

Hymn 581

(the offering is received)

The Apostle’s Creed

The Prayers

P: Lord in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

The Offertory

“Take My Life, That I May Be”

Hymn 685

(vss. 1, 2)

(communion servers prepare to serve communion)

(the offering is brought forward)

Offertory Prayer

Come Lord Jesus, be our guest

Let these gifts to us be blessed.

Blessed be our God who is our Bread,

May all the world be clothed and fed. Amen.

Words of Institution

Holy Communion

“Morning Has Broken”

Hymn 556

“I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light”

Hymn 815

(kneel at the rail after communion if you wish)

Post Communion Blessing

The Lord’s Prayer

“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

Hymn 759

(vss. 1, 2, 3)

Sending

Go in peace, living in the world, but living with wisdom from above.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

Postlude