The liturgical color is green, signifying life and growth in the Christian church.

GATHERING

Prelude
“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” Walther
Amy Bender, organist

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Sondra Snode, Liturgist

Call to Worship
We gather together in the name of Jesus Christ, as members of God’s family. We are brothers and sisters in Christ. We have been brought together by the redeeming love of Jesus. By God’s mercy we have been born anew through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, and join the Church in all ages declaring: Blessed be Our God, our Redeemer.

Opening Prayer
Almighty God, as we gather in this place to worship you, we join our brothers and sisters across the globe, as your church in all times, in all places, in all languages, and in all cultures. Pour your Spirit upon your church universal, that all who gather in your name may feel your presence, know your will, and have the courage to respond to your call. In Jesus’ Name. Amen.

Hymn 67 “We, Thy People, Praise Thee”

Joys and Concerns

Prayer Time
The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Special Music

“Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated”
arr. Mark Hayes
Tracey Webber, soloist

Scripture Reading

Matthew 28:16-20

Message

Navigating the Unknowns
Embrace Mission
Rev. Jennifer Lam

Hymn 572

“Pass It On”

Blessing

Go now in peace. Never be afraid.
Go now with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong, and true.
Know He will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there watching from above.

Benediction

Postlude

“Sing to the Lord a New and Glorious Song”
Smith

Dismissal from back to front, per side aisles

Altar flowers are presented by Sally Carr in loving memory of parents Cecil O. and Margaret Sprague.

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