

# **OCTOBER 9, 2016**

Worship - 9:30 a.m.

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Sunday School – 10:50 a.m.

## GATHERING

PRELUDE

\*HYMN #6

Janelle Arnett Campbell, Accompanist

Jeff Shelly, Worship Leader

Here in this place

## STORYTELLING

CHILDREN'S TIME

Jan Buerge

This Little Light O' Mine

arr. John Work

Renee Reimer, solo

(Please reserve expressions of appreciation for Community Building time)

#### SCRIPTURE

Exodus 3:1-6

SERMON

#### \*HYMN #130

O God of mystery and might

God, whose purpose is to kindle

**Dave Richardson Spaite** 

#### **COMMUNITY BUILDING**

#### SHARING JOY

We welcome the introduction of guests and visitors during this time. One way we get to know one another is by signing the friendship registers. Once the register reaches the center aisle, please pass it back to the outer aisle.

## SHARING CONCERNS

#### **PRAYING TOGETHER**

Slips of paper are available in the attendance register for those who wish to offer joys and concerns silently and anonymously. These papers, if put in the offering plate, will be placed in the prayer bowl at the front of the sanctuary.

## **OFFERING**

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### SENDING

\*HYMN #135



Children in K - 5<sup>th</sup> grade are dismissed for WorshipArts (Room 114), a time for children to respond to worship, ask questions and learn more about the language, ritual, movement, sound and art incorporated in worship.

## \*SENDING FORTH

- L: Guardian of the seasons, keeper of every time, tune us to your rhythms that we may know the occasion for stillness and the moment for action.
- C: May we be so prepared so aware so awakened in our waiting that when we are prompted into motion, our lives will echo your purposes. AMEN.\*\*

## \*POSTLUDE

\* Please stand as you are able.

Unless otherwise indicated, hymns are in the blue *Hymnal: A Worship Book*. Songs designated "SJ" are in the green *Sing the Journey* hymnal.

Thank you Marina Kaufman for today's bulletin artwork of the Burning Bush (Exodus 3:1-6).

\*\*Prayer adapted from Sing the Journey #156



Here is a place for worship reflections. What are you sensing about God in the here and now? What words, images or questions do you want to take with you into this new week?

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