

February 5, 2023

Worship 9:30am

Fellowship 10:30am

Faith Formation for all ages 10:50am

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Naomi Wiebe, pianist

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Kenn Goertz, worship leader

*HYMN VT 1

Summoned by the God Who Made Us

WE LISTEN AND LEARN

MOMENT OF WONDER

Dave Schrag

SPECIAL MUSIC

Search Me, O God (Psalm 139)** by Heather Sorenson
Jonathan Wiebe, cello; Naomi Wiebe, piano

SCRIPTURE

Deuteronomy 10:12-22; Matthew 25:31-40

SERMON

Keith Harder

HYMN VT 229

Unexpected and Mysterious

WE RESPOND AND SHARE

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 pew racks 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 table at the front of the sanctuary.

OFFERING

WE GO INTO THE WORLD WITH LOVE

***HYMN VT 556**

I Bind My Heart This Tide

***SENDING FORTH**

***POSTLUDE**

*The Prayer of St. Patrick**** by William Schoenfeld

***You are invited to stand**

****Text of special music:**

Search me, O God and know my heart
Search me, O God and know my heart
See if there be any wickedness in me.
Is there strife? Is there pride?
A transgression that is hidden from my eyes?

Search me, O God and know my heart
Search me, O God and know my heart
And lead me in the path eternal
And lead me, lead to life everlasting
Everlasting, eternal.

Search me, O God and know my heart
Search me, O God and know my heart
Try me. Know me. Search my heart.

*****Text of Sending Forth/Postlude:**

Christ be with me
Christ within me
Christ behind me
Christ before me.

Christ beside me
Christ to win me
Christ to comfort and restore me.

Christ beneath me
Christ above me
Christ in quiet
Christ in danger
Christ in hearts of all that love me
Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

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