Worship 9:30am

Fellowship 10:40am

# WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE Karen Goering Hostetler, pianist

WELCOME AND PRAYER David Stewart, worship leader

\*HYMN VT 182 I Sing the Mighty Power of God

# WE LISTEN AND LEARN

MOMENT OF WONDER

Natalie Graber

**SERMON** 

On being a half-constructed disciple Luke 14:25-35

Ruth Harder

If one of you wanted to build a tower, wouldn't you first sit down and calculate the cost, to determine whether you have enough money to complete it? Otherwise, when you have laid the foundation but couldn't finish the tower, all who see it will begin to belittle you. They will say, 'Here's the person who began construction and couldn't complete it!' -Luke 15: 28-30

\*HYMN VT 428

Praise with Joy the World's Creator

## 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

As we share our joys and concerns, please be mindful of those gathered remotely.

### PRAYING TOGETHER

Hymn VT 701 Paul Zehr, solo You Are All We Have

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 427

Creating God, Your Fingers Trace

\*SENDING FORTH VT 1067

God of power,
may the boldness of your Spirit
transform us,
may the gentleness of your Spirit
lead us,
may the gifts of your Spirit
be our goal and our strength,
now and always.
Amen.

#### \*POSTLUDE

\*You are invited to stand

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