Sunday, July 8, 2012 9:00am

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As the prelude plays, silently come into the Lord’s presence.

Open your heart and give yourself up to Christ

who is here to meet you today.

*“Be still and know that I am God.”* Psalm 46:10

PRELUDE *“Face to Face”* - LaPointe, arr. Lloyd Larson

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL

 (Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor)

CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 33*

 Leader: Our soul waits for the Lord;

 the Lord is our help and shield.

 **People: Our heart is glad in Him,**

 **because we trust in His holy name.**

 Leader: Let Your steadfast love, O Lord,

 be upon us, even as we hope in You.

\*HYMN *“God Is Here!”* *No. 461*

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Life is full of difficulties, O God, and often our inability to endure makes us feel You are not present to under gird us. Forgive us when we have given in to defeat so quickly, instead of putting our trust in You for Your guidance. Make Your presence felt in our hearts, and in our lives; that we may never feel You are far from us or unconcerned about our needs. We pray this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE

*[Please share Christ’s peace with one another with*

 *handshakes, hugs, kisses—however you feel led.]*

SPECIAL MUSIC *“Gentle Voice”* - Words, S. Dengler / Music, L. Dengler

Catherine Baker, Violin

Holly Miller, Voice

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING *1 Samuel 3:2-9 (OT p247)*

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING *Acts 21:1-14 (NT p141)*

SERMON *“How do I know . . . which way to go?”* Rev. Fran Carr

\*HYMN *“Near to the Heart of God”* *No. 527*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER *(p.16 in the Hymnal)*

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

 OFFERTORY  *“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”* - Runya, arr. Chris Rice

Catherine Baker, Violin

 \*DOXOLOGY

 *Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him, all creatures here below.*

 *Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\*HYMN *“Open My Eyes That I May See”* *No. 324*

\*BENEDICTION & CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me. Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be. With God as our Father, brothers all are we. Let me walk with my brother in perfect harmony. Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now. With every step I take let this be my solemn vow. To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally. Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.**

\*POSTLUDE *“Open Our Eyes / Be Thou My Vision*” - Cull, arr. Mark Hayes

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***“Come As You Are”***

11:11am

\*Praise & Worship

Greeting & Announcements

Prayer & Peace

Children’s Message

Scripture Reading:

 *1 Samuel 3:2-9*

 *Acts 21:1-14*

Sermon *“How do I know . . . which way to go?”*

Offertory

Communion

\*Closing Song

\*Benediction

Sermon Notes: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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