Sunday, September 9, 2012 8:30am

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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 *“Holy Manna”*  arr. Joseph Martin

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL

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

CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 45*

 Leader: Your throne, O God, endures forever and ever.

 **People: I will cause Your name to be celebrated in all generations; therefore the people will praise You forever and ever.**

\*HYMN *“Morning Has Broken”* *No. 469*

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

 **Providing and faithful God, You give us all that we need to live an abundant life. Your love for us was reflected in the sacrifice of our Savior Jesus. Your faithfulness is shown by Your answers to prayer and Your unceasing blessings. We adore You and praise You for this life that You have given us. But we need to be forgiven for wanting more than our daily bread. We need to repent of our tireless desire to have more which often translates to others having less. Bring us back to seeking our daily bread. Through Christ our Savior. Amen.**

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE

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

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

ANTHEM *“Gather by the River To Pray” -* arr. Pepper Choplin

*Down to the River to Pray / Shall We Gather at the River?*

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING *Exodus 16:31-21 (OT p63)*

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING *John 6:1-14 (NT p97)*

SERMON **The Gospel of John** Rev. Robert K. Bronkema

*“Beyond Our Daily Bread”*

\*HYMN *“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”* *No. 276*

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

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

 OFFERTORY *“The Lord’s My Shepherd, I’ll Not Want”* - arr. Lloyd Larson

 \*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.*

APOSTLES’ CREED *(p.14 in the hymnal)*

\*HYMN *“Be Thou My Vision”* No. 339

\*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 *“Shall We Gather at the River?* ” - arr. Joel Raney

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***“Come As You Are”***

11:00am

\*Praise & Worship

*Your Grace is Enough*

*Endlessly*

*One Pure and Holy Passion*

Greeting & Announcements

Prayer & Peace

Children’s Message

Scripture Reading:

 *Exodus 16:13-21*

 *John 6:1-14*

Sermon *“Beyond Our Daily Bread”*

Offertory

\*Closing Song

 *Mighty To Save*

\*Benediction

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

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