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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 "Preambule" – Vierne

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 72

Leader: Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel, who alone does wondrous things.

People: Blessed be His glorious name forever; may His glory fill the whole earth.

\*HYMN "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" No. 263

## \*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

Holy Spirit, you breathe through this church and provide it life. Jesus our God, we look to you for guidance and direction as we pray. Eternal Father, we confess that we have failed at living our lives as disciples ought to live. God, forgive us, put us back on the right path and lead us to a closer walk with you. We pray this in the name of the Trinitarian God, The Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE

[Please share Christ's peace with one another with handshakes, hugs, kisses—however you feel led.]

\*HYMN

"Spirit of the Living God"

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me; Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE David Griffith

(For those who wish, children grades 1-4 can leave for children's church at this time.)

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 40:28-31 (OT p61)

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Romans 6:5-11 (NT p156)

SERMON ROMANS: FAITH FOR DUMMIES Rev. Robert Bronkema

"Alive!"

\*HYMN "More Love to Thee, O Christ" No. 359

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" – arr. DeCou

\*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\*HYMN "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less" No. 379

\*BENEDICTION & CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Let There Be Peace on Earth"

\*POSTLUDE "Variation on *Duke Street*" - Hopson

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2 Samuel 11:1-5, 14-15, 26-27 Romans 6:12-14, 20-23 "What's Your Passion?"

## 11:00am

**Greeting & Announcements** 

*Praise & Worship Blessed Be You Great Are You At Your Name	
Prayer & Peace	
Children's Message: Da	avid Griffith (For those who wish, children grades 1-4 can leave for children's church at this time.)
Scripture Readings Isaiah 40:28-31; Ro	omans 6:5-11
Sermon	"Alive!"
*Offering/Closing Song Cast My Cares	
*Benediction	
SERMON NOTES:	