



Sunday, September 19, 2021 at 10:00 am

Prelude— *O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee* (J. Southbridge)

Sungyun Kim

Welcome

Rev. Virzola Law

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Rev. Megan Turner

Leader: Christ is with us!

People: Christ is in our midst!

***Threshold & Call to Worship**

Rev. Megan Turner

Walking in faith is a daily practice. This journey is not without doubts or fears. But we are God's beloved children and though we are full of hope, and full of doubt, we are here.

Song of Hope

*May the God of hope be with us every day, filling all our lives with love and joy and peace,
May the God of justice speed us on our way, bringing light and hope to everyone on earth.
Praying, let us work for peace; singing, share our joy with all; working for a world that's new,
faithful when we hear Christ's call.*

Jesus reminds us that whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all. Hear these words from the book of Romans, "may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit."

May the God...

Leader: The disciples argued about their own importance to Jesus.

People: Who would be first in His sight, they wanted to know?

Leader: And Jesus took a small child and placed the child in their midst. Whoever receives this child in my name, receives me, He said.

People: And whoever receives the Lord, receives the one who sent him.

Leader: And they looked at the small child and wondered. Lord, help us to open our eyes to your love.

People: Remind us again, Lord, that we are called to ministries of service.

Leader: Get us ready, Lord, for the witness you would have us bear.

All: Let us gather our hearts for worship!

*Please rise in body or in spirit

*Opening Hymn—#284 *Gather Us In* (vs. 1, 3)

*Here in this place, the new light is streaming, shadows of doubt are vanished away.
See in this space our fears and our dreamings, brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken; gather us in our spirits inflame.
Call to us now, and we shall awaken; we shall arise at the sound of our name.*

*Here we receive new life in the waters; here we receive the bread of new birth;
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters, call us anew to be salt for the earth.
Give us to drink the wine of compassion, give us to eat the bread that is you;
Nourish us well, and teach us to fashion lives that are holy and hearts that are true.*

Morning Prayer

Rev. Megan Turner

Children's Moment

Rev. Megan Turner

*Passing the Peace

Rev. Dr. Ken Crawford

Words of Institution

Rev. Dr. Ken Crawford

Prayers of Thanksgiving

Jennifer Austin, Ike Rahn

Leader: The Body of Christ was given for us.

People: Amen

Leader: The Blood of Christ was poured out for us.

People: Amen

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Communion Music—*In Remembrance of Me*

Sungyun Kim

Moment for Mission

Rev. Cheryl Scramuzza

Offering

*Doxology—#46 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

*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.*

*Prayer of Dedication

Rev. Cheryl Scramuzza

*Scripture Reading—Mark 9:30-37

Alice Durrett

Anthem—*I Want Jesus to Walk with Me* (arr. D. Cherwien)

Northway Chancel Choir

The Morning Message—*“Hope for the Doubter”*

Rev. Virzola Law

Invitation

Rev. Virzola Law

***Invitation Hymn**—#442 *We Are Walking/Siyahamba*

*We are walking in the light of God,
we are walking in the light of God. (2x)
We are walking, walking, we are walking,
we are walking in the light of God.*

We are singing...

***Benediction**

Rev. Virzola Law

Postlude—*Postlude in C* (C. Cappelen)

Sungyun Kim



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