

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Lura Kidner-Miesen

Prelude

Eric McKirdy

Invitation to Worship

Kirke Campbell

Like the changes of the seasons, life brings both fruitfulness and loss. Yet there is something that can never be taken from us.

Jesus Christ is always with us.

The Holy Spirit blesses us with the gifts of faith, hope, and love.

With thanks we worship the Eternal One and share God's love with others. Amen.

Opening Hymn: God of the Ages, UMH 698, verses 1, 3 and 4

Scripture Lesson: Esther 4:5-14

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Message: What Can One Person Do?

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Response Hymn: Awesome God, TFWS 2040, sung three times

Pastoral Prayer (with 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Closing Hymn: Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Lonna Capaci & Chaundra Carter

Closing Blessing

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Open your heart and mind to God's gifts of wisdom, courage, and compassion. Listen for Love's call and follow. May the deep peace of Christ be with you, the strong arms of God sustain you, and the power of the Holy Spirit strengthen you, today and always. Amen.

Postlude