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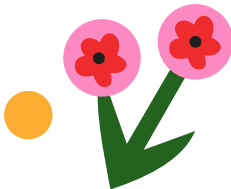
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Welcome & Announcements

Stewardship Campaign Message

Brian Burgess, Stewardship Campaign Chair

Time of Greeting

Song: 10,000 Reasons

Morning Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer

Camp Sunday Testimonies

A Word with Young Disciples

Elder Stewardship Moment

Song: Forever Reign

Sermon: “Beyond Seeing Is Believing”

John 20:19-31

Communion Invitation, Prayer, Words of Institution

Partake in Communion

You are invited to come forward to be served, or bagged Communion elements are available near the sanctuary entrance.

Invitation to Discipleship

Song: In Christ Alone

Benediction



Guest Preacher: Rev. Eugene James

Worship Leader: Liisa Erskine

Elder: Lori Powers

Deacons: Deena James, John James, Holly Froumis

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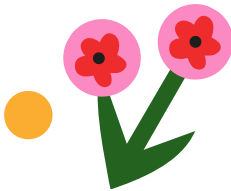
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Hymn: *Worship Christ, the Risen King* | #361

Verses 1, 4, & 5

Invocation & The Lord's Prayer

Glory Be to the Father | #813

Elder Stewardship Moment

Doxology | #815

Morning Prayer

Sermon: "Beyond Seeing Is Believing"

John 20:19-31 (pg. 1686-1687)

Invitation to the Table

Hymn: *We Remember You* | #459

Prayer & Words of Institution

Partake in Communion

Invitation to Discipleship

Hymn: *To God Be the Glory* | #56

Benediction

God Be With You | #232



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Organist: Carol Rienstra

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