TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
OCTOBER 26, 2025
9:00 AM

New Song

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LIFE OF THE CHURCH — Steven Phillips

SONGS OF PRAISE — *There is a Louder Shout to Come*
Cast My Cares

PRAYER OF CONFESSION — Scott Sabin

Holy God,
your truth is so often sharp and unsettling.
We confess the ways we skirt the hard edges of your Word,
turn up the volume on lesser noises,
and lean into the comfort of our own certainty
rather than submit to the discomfort of your challenge.
Have mercy on us.
Soften what pride has hardened in us.
Let us hear and receive your truth.

(a moment for silent reflection)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

PASSING THE PEACE

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES — Eric Robinson

SONG OF PREPARATION — *What Faith Can Do*

SCRIPTURE READING — Matthew 14:13-21

MESSAGE — *A Journey of a Thousand Miles* — Scott Sabin

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE — Steven Phillips

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

PRAYER OF DEDICATION — Scott Sabin

SENDING SONG — *Here & Now*

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