

Order of the Worship Service
May 12, 2024, 10:00am
Reception of New Members
Beau Smith, preaching

Choral Prelude

IN THIS VERY ROOM
Sanctuary Choir, Tom Kyser, director

Welcome and Church Life

*Call to Worship

One: All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to Jesus Christ.

All: Let us go therefore and make disciples of all nations.

One: Let us baptize the nations;

All: Let us baptize in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

One: Let us obey all that Christ has commanded.

All: Let us teach all that Christ has commanded.

One: Remember, Christ is with us always;

All: Amen!

*Opening Hymn 144

ALLELUIA! SING TO JESUS!

Prayer of Confession (in Unison)

You send us, God of the Great Commission, but we hedge and hesitate. Forgive our fear and our excuses. We are witnesses of your grace and glory but allow others to silence our praise. We imprison ourselves with doubt and shame and fail to shine your light for all to see. Forgive our fears. Free our testimony. In Christ and by your Spirit, Amen.

Moments of Silence

Assurance of Pardon

Christ has transformed us. Christ has renewed us. Through Christ's death and resurrection, we are a new creation, ready to sing God's glory and testify to God's grace. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. **Amen.**

*Passing the Peace

One: The peace of Christ be with you!

All: And also with you!

Moment for Children

John Newton & Beau Smith
Confirming Luke Gustafson

Giving of our Tithes & Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication and Thanksgiving

Hymn of Preparation 426

LORD, SPEAK TO ME, THAT I MAY SPEAK

Scripture Reading

Matthew 28:16-20

Sermon

The Stuff That Has Stuck—“Make Your Whole Life About Jesus”
Beau Smith, preaching

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

Receiving New Members

The Riojas Family

*Closing Hymn SONGBOOK

SHINE, JESUS, SHINE

Benediction