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Our Mission Statement:

Sunday, March 30, 2025 at 10:30 a.m. The Season of Lent

To show God's love as revealed in Jesus Christ.

*Please stand in body or in spirit.

Prelude

*Introit:

Tree of Life and Awesome Mystery

VU# 121

Light of life beyond conceiving, mighty Spirit of our Lord; give new strength to our believing, give us faith to live your word, give us faith to live your word.

Give us eyes to see you clearly, make us children of your light; give us hearts to live more nearly as your gospel shining bright, as your gospel shining bright.

*Words of Welcome

Life and Work of the Church

Acknowledging the Territory

*Extinguishing the Lenten Candle Sung Response:

Throughout These Lenten Days and Nights

VU# 108 v. 1

*Songs of Praise and Adoration

Call to Worship

L: Those who gather in Christ's name,

P: we are a new creation.

L: Everything old has passed away.

P: Everything has become new.

L: God wants to be in relationship with us.

P: We are made new in our relationship with God.

Opening Prayer

Wonderful God, your love brings wholeness and healing. It is a love that accepts us no matter what. You search out the lost, you bring in the lonely. You are light and love and joy! Set us free from a narrow vision of love, that with the wonder of those who are freed by your Spirit, we may worship you fully and completely. Though Christ Jesus our Saviour. Amen.

Hymn:

Though I May Speak

VU# 372 vs. 1 & 2

A Time to Be Children
The Lord's Prayer

VU# 921

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,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Hymn:

Though I May Speak

VU# 372 v. 3

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture:

Joshua 5:9-12 First Passover in the Promised Land

Psalm 32 Blessed are those who are forgiven VU# 759

Luke 15:1-3, 11b-31 A parable of a father and his sons

L: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church today.

P: Thanks be to God. Amen.

Anthem: Come Follow Me

Message

*Hymn:

O God, How We Have Wandered VU# 112

Prayers of the People

Invitation to the Offering

*Offertory Response:

I Am Walking A Path of Peace MV# 221

I am walking a path of hope, I am walking a path of hope, I am walking a path of hope, lead me home, lead me home.

*Prayer of Dedication

*Closing Hymn:

Take Time to Be Holy VU# 672

*Commissioning and Benediction

*Sung Response:

I Am Walking A Path of Peace MV# 221

I am walking a path of peace,
I am walking a path of peace,
I am walking a path of peace,
lead me home, lead me home. (Repeat)

Postlude

Worship Leaders:

Word: Rev. Mary-Jane Hobden

Music: Melanie MacLeod, Anne Lynd, Kingsview Choir & Praise Team

Projection Booth & Live Streaming Team

Screen Pictures & Slides Presentation: Elizabeth Plancke

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