



PRELUDE

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling arr. P. Manz

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

BAPTISMS — Abigail McIntyre & Mira Wirzba

CHORAL INTROIT

Gather Us In J. Althouse

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#1 God Is Here! ABBOT'S LEIGH

***INVOCATION AND 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, for ever and ever. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God, you've given us a world of holy spaces:
the wide prairie and painted skies,
the river valley and the rolling hills.
Forgive us for not seeing you in each cloud and leaf.
You've given us this building
where your people come to worship.
Forgive us for not hearing you
in the child's cry and the elder's wisdom.
You've created human diversity along every dimension.
Forgive us for missing the glory in each holy vessel,
for all the times we stood on sacred ground,
and did not know it.
God of Wonders, help us find you in every place,
and in every face.
(Silence for personal confession and reflection)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***GLORIA PATRI**

R. Goodson

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and
Ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

FIRST READING

Psalm 84:1-7
Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

RESPONSIVE READING (adapted from Psalm 84)

One: How lovely is this dwelling place, the house of the Lord!
All are welcome here.

**Many: Lord of the sparrow, the tender of heart,
may we come in?**

One: The Lord hears your voice, come in.

**Many: Lord of the souls who are longing for home,
may we come in?**

One: The Lord gives you shelter, come in.

**Many: Lord of the doorkeepers and those with no power,
may we come in?**

One: The Lord grants you favour, come in.

**All: Those who are outside shall come in,
and shall go from strength to strength!**

**This house is full of singing and the sun falls on each
face. No good thing does the Lord withhold.**

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

#542 They Did Not Build in Vain DARWALL'S 148th

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

***HYMN OF MEDITATION**

#545 How Lovely, Lord, How Lovely MERLE'S TUNE

SECOND READING

1 Kings 5:1-5; 8:1-13

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

SERMON "Lovely Dwelling Place" Rev. Dr. Ryan Sato

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

In Christ Alone B. Wolaver

***Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Prayer of Gratitude**

***HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY**

#712 Sent Forth by God's Blessing ASH GROVE

***THE BLESSING OF THE COMMUNITY**

Leader: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of
God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

People: And also with you.

***Choral Benediction**

You Shall Go Out With Joy P. Drennan

***The Sending of the Community**

***Congregational Amen**

The service of the church into the world - - begins again this week

***POSTLUDE**

A Mighty Fortress J.D. Payne

***Please stand, as you are able**

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