GATHERING MUSIC

“Prelude in C Major”
J.S. Bach
Andrew Alka, piano

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Seniors

CALL TO WORSHIP (video)

HYMN 250, stanzas 1 & 3
“In the Bulb There Is a Flower”
Youth Band & Congregation
In the Bulb There Is a Flower 250
Hymn of Promise

Capo 3: (D)
F
(Em)
Gm

1 In the bulb there is a flower; in the seed, an apple tree;
2 There’s a song in ev’ry silence, seeking word and melody;
3 In our end is our beginning; in our time, infinity;

(A7)
C7
(D)
F

in cocoons, a hidden promise: butterflies will soon be free!
there’s a dawn in ev’ry darkness, bringing hope to you and me.
in our doubt there is believing; in our life, eternity.

(D7) (G) (Em) (D) (Bm) (Em) (F#) (Bm)
F7 Bb Gm F Dm Gm A Dm

In the cold and snow of winter there’s a spring that waits to be,
From the past will come the future; what it holds, a mystery,
In our death, a resurrection; at the last, a victory,

(G) (Em) (D) (Bm) (Em) (A7) (D)
Bb Gm F Dm Gm C7 F

unrevealed until its season, something God alone can see.

The writing of this hymn was spurred by a line from the poet T.S. Eliot: “In my end is my beginning.” Shortly after this piece was completed, the author/composer’s husband was diagnosed with what proved to be a terminal malignancy, and the original anthem version of this hymn was sung at his funeral.

TEXT and MUSIC: Natalie Sleeth, 1986

PROMISE

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COME AS A CHILD
Maggie Shaw & Jaylee Soule

PRAYER OF CONFESSION and ASSURANCE OF PARDON
Miles Dalton
PASSING OF THE PEACE

SUNG PRAYER

“Kumbaya”

African American Spiritual

Youth Band & Congregation

Kumbaya, Kumbaya (4x)

V1. Somebody’s crying Lord, Kumbaya (3x)

Singing rain, storm, fire, wind, Kumbaya

V2. Somebody’s praying Lord, Kumbaya (3x) ...

V3. Somebody’s singing Lord, Kumbaya (3x) ...

Equipping

SCRIPTURE LESSONS AND SERMONS

SERMONS

Romans 5:3–5
Isaiah 43:18–19
Psalm 96:1–3
Genesis 12:1-3
Isaiah 43:18–19
2 Corinthians 5:17

Maddie Passett
Logan Callender
Christopher Alka
Clara Frye
Kylie Sutherland
Andrew Alka

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP

Lauren Callender

OFFERING OF GIFTS AND MUSIC

Andrew Alka, piano

MUSIC

“I Can See Clearly Now”

Youth Band

by Johnny Nash

SENIOR RECOGNITION

Miles McDonald

RECOGNITION OF YOUTH LEADERS

Seniors

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Kelly Kowalczewski

Revs. Sue & Mitch Trigger
The SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION
Invitation to the Table

Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer
Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Breaking of the Bread
Communion of the People  “Cantilena” George Fredric Handel
Christopher Alka, trumpet  arr. Forrest L. Buchtel

“Panacea” Rick Vreeland & David Peacock
Andrew Alka, piano

Prayer after Communion
Kelly Kowalczewski

MUSIC  “Here Comes the Sun” by George Harrison
Youth Band

Sending

CHARGE & BENEDICTION
Seniors

SENDING MUSIC  “My Lighthouse” by Rend Collective
Youth Band

GOD’S PEACE TO YOU

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