

GATHERING

GREETING

PRELUDE

“Be Still for the Presence of the Lord” (arr. Ashley Grote)

PRAYER

▲ PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“Arise, Your Light Is Come!” (Hymn No. 744)

FESTAL SONG

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Almighty and most merciful Father,
We confess that we have sinned;
We have strayed from your ways like lost sheep.
We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts.
We have offended against your holy laws.
We have left undone those things
which we ought to have done,
and we have done those things
which we ought not to have done;
and apart from your grace,
there is no health in us.
O Lord, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, have mercy upon us.
O Lord, have mercy upon us.**

(Silence is held)

CHORAL RESPONSE

*O for the wonderful love he has promised,
promised for you and for me!
Though we have sinned, he has mercy and pardon,
pardon for you and for me.
“Come, home, come home!
You who are weary, come home.”
Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling, calling,
“O sinner, come home!”*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

▲ SHARING OF PEACE

▲ GATHERING SONG

"He Came Down" (Hymn No. 137)

*1. He came down that we may have love;
He came down that we may have love;
He came down that we may have love,
Hallelujah, forevermore.*

2. He came down that we may have light...

CHILDREN'S SERMON + BLESSING

REFRAIN

"Listen to the Word that God has Spoken" (Hymn No. 455)

LISTEN

Sung 2X

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST READING: ISAIAH 40:21-31

SECOND READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 9:16-23

▲ REFRAIN

"Listen to the Word that God has Spoken" (Hymn No. 455)

LISTEN

▲ GOSPEL READING: MARK 1:29-39

SERMON

"Not One is Missing"
The Rev. Dr. Joseph Novak

▲ HYMN

"Be Still, My Soul" (Hymn No. 819)

FINLANDIA

▲ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.

LORD'S SUPPER

OFFERING + CHORAL ANTHEM

"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" (William Bradley Roberts)
Natalie Lindsey-Dean, flute

*Savior, like a shepherd lead us; much we need thy tender care:
in thy pleasant pastures feed us; for our use thy folds prepare.
Blessed Jesus! Blessed Jesus! Thou hast bought us, thine we are.
Blessed Jesus! Blessed Jesus! Thou hast bought us, thine we are.
Early let us seek thy favor, early let us learn thy will;
do thou, Lord, our only Savior, with thy love our bosoms fill.
Blessed Jesus! Blessed Jesus! Thou hast loved us: love us still.
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▲ PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

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

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

▲ COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

▲ PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

DEPARTING

▲ HYMN

"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me" (Hymn No. 700)

I'M GONNA LIVE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

▲ CHORAL BENEDICTION

"The Star of Bethlehem" (Ethan McGrath)

*And may the radiance of one star, so beautiful and true,
make bright the path you tread afar the whole year through.
And may the star of Bethlehem give light to all you love,
and bring to all of you, with them, a blessing from above. Amen.*

▲ CHARGE

▲ POSTLUDE

"Oh, Wondrous Type! Oh, Vision Fair" (arr. Mary Beth Bennett)