

Order of Worship – February 23, 2025

PRELUDE: Fred Crase

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS: Chuck Kestle & Pastor Seth

WELCOMING THE CHRIST LIGHT: Acolytes

CALL TO WORSHIP *(standing)*

Voice of One: Come and learn the ways of life.

Voice of Many: We have come to follow Jesus.

Voice of One: Love your enemies, and do good to those who hate you.

Voice of Many: We have come to follow Jesus.

Voice of One: Bless those who curse you, and pray for those who persecute you.

Voice of Many: We have come to follow Jesus.

Voice of One: Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

Voice of Many: We have come to follow Jesus.

Voice of All: *Come and learn the ways of life*

OPENING HYMN: *(standing)* #432 UM Hymnal “Jesu, Jesu”

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST: *(standing)* *(Turn in orange cards and Pew Pads)*

LAMBS OF GOD MOMENT

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER: Seth L. Leypoldt

LORD’S PRAYER: #895 UM Hymnal

HYMN: #186 UM Hymnal “Alleluia”

MESSAGE & ANTHEM: ALLELUIA Colossians 3:22, Exodus 19:16-23,
“Steal Away to Jesus” 1 Corinthians 15:51-52, Matthew 27:42
By Fred Crase Janet Helfrich

GIVING BACK TO GOD: Chuck Kestle

DOXOLOGY: *(standing)* #94 UM Hymnal “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

HOLY COMMUNION: Hymn #23

HYMN OF BENEDICTION: *(standing)* #704 UM Hymnal “Steal Away to Jesus”

BENEDICTION *(standing)* *(all read together)*

We go with God’s blessings. As followers of Jesus, we will love our enemies and do good to those who hate us. As followers of Jesus, we will bless those who curse us and pray for those who persecute us. As followers of Jesus, we will do unto others as we would have them do unto us. Amen.

POSTLUDE: Fred Crase