

Order of Worship – March 16, 2025

PRELUDE: Fred Crase

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS: Chuck Kestle & Pastor Seth

WELCOMING THE CHRIST LIGHT: Acolytes

CALL TO WORSHIP (*standing*)

Voice of One: We are on a journey of faith. Jesus is our leader and our guide.

Voice of Many: We place our trust in him.

One: As the daylight hours grow longer, our journey takes on a urgency.

Many: We must prepare our hearts for Jerusalem

One: Do not fear! God goes before us, into Jerusalem, into the world.

Many: Amen!

OPENING HYMN: (*standing*) #557 UM Hymnal “Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

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

LAMBS OF GOD MOMENT

ANTHEM: Chancel Choir “A Lenten Prayer” By Lloyd Larson

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER: Chuck Kestle

LORD’S PRAYER: #895 UM Hymnal

HYMN: #2130 The Faith We Sing “The Summons”

MESSAGE & ANTHEM: FOR ALL THE DAYS THAT END IN WH “Y”

“Why Does God Ask The Impossible”

Genesis 15.1-12, 17-18; 2 Peter 3.8

Amy McNichols

GIVING BACK TO GOD: Seth L. Leypoldt

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

HOLY COMMUNION: Hymn #23

HYMN OF BENEDICTION: (*standing*) #301 UM Hymnal “Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross”

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

We say, “Be strong in the Lord.” We can walk in God’s ways, for God is with us, offering us peace, hope, courage, and joy. God’s love abides with us always. Let us go in peace. AMEN.

POSTLUDE: Fred Crase