

DO
JUSTICE



LOVE
KINDNESS



BE
HUMBLE



WALK
WITH GOD



AUGUST 24, 2025

Traditional Worship

8:15 am Sanctuary

**Please stand or lift your heart*

WELCOME

Rev. Jonathan Jonas



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OPENING PRAYER

PRELUDE

Come, We That Love the Lord
arr. Sandra Eithun
Dr. Jenny Anderson, piano

*HYMN No. 430

O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee
MARYTON

*CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: When you created the first humans in the garden,
ALL: You walked with them, O God.

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receive your covenant promises,
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invitation to follow him,
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love and grace,
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LEADER: When we walk in the footsteps of Jesus or even in the
valley of the shadow of death,
**ALL: You walk with us, O God. May we always faithfully walk
with you. Amen.**

***GLORIA PATRI No. 70**

Glory Be to the Father
MEINEKE

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. Amen.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Micah 6:6-8 (NIV)

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Amos 3:3 (NIV)

3 Do two walk together unless they have agreed to do so?

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SERMON

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ANTHEM

Just a Closer Walk with Thee
arr. Dockery
Morning Glory Chorus; Dr. Dwight Dockery, conductor

I am weak, but thou art strong; Jesus, keep me from all wrong;
I'll be satisfied as long as I walk, let me walk close to thee.

Just a closer walk with thee, grant it Jesus, is my plea,
daily walking close to thee: let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

Through this world of toil and snares, if I falter, Lord, who cares?
Who with me my burden shares? None but thee, dear Lord,
none but thee.

When my feeble life is o'er, time for me will be no more;
guide me gently, safely o'er to thy shore, dear Lord, to thy shore.

TIME OF PRAYER

OFFERING MOMENT

OFFERTORY

Near to the Heart of God
arr. Lloyd Larson

***DOXOLOGY No. 94** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*
LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow
Praise God, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts.
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts.
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

***THE 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, forever.
Amen.

***HYMN No. 206** *I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*
HOUSTON

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

In the Garden
arr. Shelton Ridge Love

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10:30 Sanctuary

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OPENING PRAYER

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

Maggie Harris acolyte
Finleigh Tillman, acolyte

PRELUDE

Christians, We Have Met to Worship
arr. John A. Stallsmith
Dr. Jenny Anderson, organ

INTROIT

Take Up Thy Cross
William Gardiner
Chancel Choir; Dr. Dwight Dockery, conductor

"Take up thy cross," the Savior said, "if thou wouldst my disciple be; deny thyself, the world forsake, and humbly follow after me."

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TIME WITH CHILDREN

CHILDREN DISMISSED TO KIDS OWN WORSHIP

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ANTHEM

What Does the Lord Require?
Eric Nelson

What does the Lord require for praise and offering?
What sacrifice, desire, or tribute bid you bring?
To do justice; love mercy; and walk humbly with your God.
Rulers of earth, give ear! Should you not justice know?
Will God your pleading hear, while crime and cruelty grow?
Then do justice; love mercy; and walk humbly with your God.

How shall our life fulfill God's law so high?
Let Christ endue our will with grace.

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***BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE** *What Does the Lord Require*
Erik Routley

What does the Lord require for praise and offering?
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Do justly; love mercy; walk humbly with your God.

***POSTLUDE**

In the Garden
arr. Shelton Ridge Love

Contemporary Worship

10:30 am | Asbury Hall

WELCOME MUSIC

The Band

Everlasting God
Lincoln Brewster

WELCOME

Ralph Jeffers

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WORSHIP

Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly
Pat Barrett

Same God
Worship Together

Abide
Dwell Songs

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TIME OF PRAYER

Rev. Sarah Slack

OFFERING

Humble King
Vineyard

SCRIPTURE

Micah 6:8

SERMON

Rev. Slack
Walk With God

CLOSING WORSHIP

Running to the Light
Brandon Lake

BENEDICTION

COLLECTING ITEMS
TUESDAY AUGUST 26TH
8:00 am to 5:00 pm



UMCOR
FLOOD BUCKET SUPPLIES

- Dish soap (16 to 34 oz.)
- Scrub Brush
- Wooden Clothespins
- Scouring Pads
(no stainless steel, no detergent added, no sponges)



Next
SUNDAY
AUGUST 31, 2025

TAILGATING 9:00 AM TO 10:30 AM
WORSHIP AT 10:30 AM

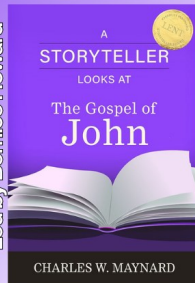
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10:30 CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP
AND NO LIVE STREAMING!*



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