

# Order of Worship

February 7, 2016

8:30 a.m. Traditional Service

Youth Sunday / Communion Sunday

## Breaking of the Bread & The Communion of the People

*All are welcome to receive the Lord's Supper. If you choose, you may kneel in prayer after you receive. You do not have to be a member of this church or any church to take communion. Children are welcome.*

*You may also leave an offering on the altar for the Good Shepherd Fund, to help meet human needs in our local community.*

## SENDING FORTH

\*Closing Hymn      *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*      UMH 127

### \*Responsive Benediction

Leader: May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

### \*Benediction Chorus

*Morning Has Broken (vs. 3)*

UMH 145

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning  
Born of the one light Eden saw play!  
Praise with elation, praise every morning,  
God's recreation of the new day!

### \*Postlude

*\*=We invite you to please stand, as you are able.*

■ **May We Pray with You?** Prayer Partners are available after the service to encourage and pray with you. They will be waiting at the front pew.

■ **Prayers for Comfort & Healing**

- ◇ Family of Omega Snow. Omega passed away on Jan. 31
- ◇ Dean Fetzer

■ **Altar Flowers** For the glory of God given by Tori Chandler, celebrating the baptism of her grandson, Brysen Iakona Chandler. Brysen was born on June 18, 2014 to Jason & Melanie Chandler.

## WE COME TOGETHER AS THE FAMILY OF CHRIST

### Welcome & Greeting

### \*Opening Chorus

Amy Wilson

*Morning Has Broken (vs. 1)*

UMH 145

Morning has broken like the first morning;  
Black-bird has spoken like the first bird.  
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!  
Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

### \*We Proclaim Our Mission

Leader: Who are we?

**All: People of God, learning to follow Jesus, inviting others to join the journey.**

### \*Call to Worship

Leader: Praise the Lord with heart and mind.

**People: We will praise the Lord.**

Leader: You gave us your body

**People: Bread broken for us.**

Leader: We pour the cup

**People: As your blood was shed for us.**

Leader: We take communion

**People: In remembrance of God's grace and forgiveness on the cross.**

### \*Opening Hymn

UMH 101

*From All That Dwell Below the Skies*

*(Congregation seated)*

### Baptism of Brysen Iakona Chandler

## WE LISTEN FOR AND RECEIVE GOD'S WORD TO US

### Prayer for Illumination

#### Scripture Reading

Mark 14:12-26

On the first day of Unleavened Bread, when the Passover lamb is sacrificed, his disciples said to him, "Where do you want us to go and make the preparations for you to eat the Passover?" <sup>13</sup>So he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, "Go into the city, and a man carrying a jar of water will meet you; follow him, <sup>14</sup>and wherever he enters, say to the owner of the house, 'The Teacher asks, Where is my guest room where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?' <sup>15</sup>He will show you a large room upstairs, furnished and ready. Make preparations for us there." <sup>16</sup>So the disciples set out and went to the city, and found everything as he had told them; and they prepared the Passover meal.

<sup>17</sup>When it was evening, he came with the twelve. <sup>18</sup>And when they had taken their places and were eating, Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, one of you will betray me, one who is eating with me." <sup>19</sup>They began to be distressed and to say to him one after another, "Surely, not I?" <sup>20</sup>He said to them, "It is one of the twelve, one who is dipping bread into the bowl with me. <sup>21</sup>For the Son of Man goes as it is written of him, but woe to that one by whom the Son of Man is betrayed! It would have been better for that one not to have been born."

<sup>22</sup>While they were eating, he took a loaf of bread, and after blessing it he broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take; this is my body." <sup>23</sup>Then he took a cup, and after giving thanks he gave it to them, and all of them drank from it. <sup>24</sup>He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many. <sup>25</sup>Truly I tell you, I will never again drink of the fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new in the kingdom of God."

<sup>26</sup>When they had sung the hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

#### Anthem

Chancel Choir  
Diane Massey, flute solo

*Gentle Voice -Dengler/Dengler*

Far above the noise of life, there's a voice that is gently calling. "Leave behind your cares and strife. Come to Me. I will give you rest. Bring your fear and bring your pain. Bring your anger, and bring your worry." Do you hear the voice of Jesus, gently calling, "Come unto Me"?

Gentle voice, so meek and mild; gentle words of understanding. "You are my beloved child. Come to Me. I will give you rest. Bring

your grief and bring your cares. Bring your heartaches and bring your sorrow. Do you hear the voice of Jesus, gently calling, "Come unto Me"?

Gentle voice so full of love. Gentle words so rich in mercy. "You are my beloved child. Come to Me. I will give you rest."

*(The choir may disperse as needed)*

#### The Message

Courtney Blacksten

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S GOODNESS WITH JOY

#### \*Hymn

*The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want*

UMH 136

#### Our Life Together

*Please register your attendance in the registration card provided and place it in the offering plate.*

#### Prayers of the People

#### Dedication of Tithes and Offering

#### Offertory

*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Logan Walker

#### \*Doxology

UMH 95

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

## SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

#### Confession and Pardon #UMH 8

Rev. Michael Burkett

#### The Great Thanksgiving

UMH 9

#### 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.