

Order of Worship

January 10, 2016

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Service

WE COME TOGETHER AS THE FAMILY OF CHRIST

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Dr. Charlotte Teel

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

*Songs of Praise

*Jesus, Friend of Sinners
Build Your Kingdom Here
Brokenness Aside*

*Mission Statement

"People of God, learning to follow Jesus, inviting others to join the journey."

Children's Moment

Rev. Dr. Charlotte Teel

Giving of Tithes and Offering

We Humble Ourselves

WE LISTEN FOR AND RECEIVE GOD'S WORD TO US

Scripture Reading

Mark 1:12-15

And the Spirit immediately drove him out into the wilderness. ¹³He was in the wilderness forty days, tempted by Satan; and he was with the wild beasts; and the angels waited on him.

¹⁴Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, ¹⁵and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news."

Sermon Series Prayer

God, thank you for the gift of your Son and Mark's gospel witness to his life. Help us to hear that witness as Good News for our lives today. In Jesus' name we ask. Amen.

The Message

Rev. Michael Burkett

The Kingdom of God Is Near

Pastoral Prayer

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.

SENDING FORTH

*Benediction

Rev. Michael Burkett

*Closing Chorus

Build Your Kingdom Here (REPRISE)

**=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 door of the Prayer Room at the back of the worship center.

■ **Prayers for Healing and Comfort**

- ◇ Megan Brown (surgery on Jan. 6)
- ◇ Lauren Sloan (oral surgery on Jan. 8)