

WELCOME Rev. John Allen

PRELUDE *How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place* Johannes Brahms
Dr. Jane Hagness, organ arr. Norman Warren

LIFE OF THE CHURCH Martha Kittle

****HYMN** *God, We Thank You for Our People* NCH #376

CANDLES OF REMEMBRANCE See back of hymn insert

SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

These are the gifts of God
for the people of God.
Through the broken bread
we participate in the body of Christ. (all eat)
Through the cup of blessing
we participate in the new life Christ gives. (all drink)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

**Wondrous God, we give you thanks for the ways you feed our deep
hungers with living bread and refresh us for the journey of life and
ministry with you. As you have blessed us in this meal, may we be a
blessing to one another and all creation. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING John 11:32-44 Martha Kittle

SERMON "Our Savior" Rev. John Allen

MOMENT OF SILENCE

****HYMN** *For the Faithful Who Have Answered* See insert
(sung to the tune *Hyfrydol*)

PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our God, 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead
us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

SUNG PRAYER RESPONSE (Whelpton)

**Hear our prayer, O God, hear our prayer, O God;
Incline your ear to us, and grant us your peace.**

Bold text = Please join us in voice! ****** = Please rise as you are able

STEWARDSHIP TESTIMONY Priscilla Bizer

INVITATION TO OFFERING Rev. John Allen

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Lazarus* Robert Tanner
Adult Choir
Roger Powers, tenor soloist

*Lazarus! Rise up! The Lord is calling you! Come forth, oh Lazarus! The Lord is calling you!
Rise up, Lazarus! The Lord is calling you!
No need to be afraid, so come on up out of that grave.
The Lord says you're sleeping but if that is true, why did they put you into that tomb?
I hear my Lord weeping but don't be ashamed, when Jesus calls your name.
Lazarus! Rise up! The Lord is calling you! Come forth, oh Lazarus! The Lord is calling you!
Rise up, Lazarus! The Lord is calling you! Come on up out of that grave.
One morning after sleeping in the Savior's hands,
God's children gonna wake up in the Promised Land.
So hold your head up now and don't be ashamed, when Jesus calls your name.
Lazarus! Rise up! The Lord is calling you! Come forth, oh Lazarus! The Lord is calling you!
Rise up, Lazarus! Jesus is calling you! No need to be afraid.
The Lord has lifted you up today. Some come on up out of that grave.*

****OFFERTORY RESPONSE (Old Hundredth)**
**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God for all that love has done;
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One. Amen.**

****PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

****HYMN** *For All the Saints* NCH #299

****BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE *Rejoice in God's Saints* David Cherwien
Dr. Jane Hagness, organ

Please join us for coffee hour in the Vestry following today's service!



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