



## **Order of Worship**

***Striving to be what Christ tells us through Scripture.***

February 9, 2025

10:00 A.M.

PRELUDE

*"Just As I Am"*  
Amy Duran, piano

arr. Joel Raney

WELCOME

CHORAL INTROIT

### ***Our Approach to God***

CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 1

Leader: Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked or take the path that sinners tread or sit in the set of scoffers,

**People: But their delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law they meditate day and night.**

Leader: They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in its season, and their leaves do not wither.

**People: In all that they do, they prosper.**

Leader: The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.

**People: Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.**

Leader: For the Lord watches over the way of the righteous

**People: but the way of the wicked will perish.**

\*HYMN

*"I Love to Tell the Story"*

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CHANCEL CHOIR

*"Be Still and Know"*

arr. Victor Johnson

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Pastor Waldis

PASSING OF THE PEACE

### ***The Word of God***

\*HYMN

*"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"*

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PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Deuteronomy 30:19-20  
Galatians 5:13-16  
Chuck Aders, liturgist

p. 186 (OT)  
p. 190 (NT)

SERMON "Free to Do Good" Pastor Waldis

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

**Our Response to God**

BELL CHOIR "Be Thou My Vision" arr.Jason King  
Amy Duran, piano

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER #815

INSTALLATION OF ELDERS AND DEACONS Rev.Jodie Wu  
Elder: Jeff Parma  
Deacon: Jeff Pond

JOYS, THANKS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE GENERAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*HYMN "I Surrender All" #596

\*BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL AMEN

POSTLUDE "Let All Things Now Living" arr.Lloyd Larson  
Amy Duran, piano

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**WE THANK THE REV. JODIE WU**, our Classis supervisor, for being with us today to conduct the installation of elders and deacons.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Anonymous; Lynn Baker; DeAnna and Roger Carman; Harold Friedeman; Ernie Hepperle; Janet Kosack; Nancy Lanzalotto; Charles Moorman; Ed Serrano; Craig Terjanian; Barry Wood.

**UNITY PRAYER:** God, we pray at the heart of Jesus in the Holy spirit would work within us to forgive others as you have asked us to do. Help us to come to the realization that when we forgive others the prisoner that it really sets free is us, those who forgive.

**THE FLOWERS** are given by Chris and Dennis Novak in loving memory of Chris's parents, Betty and Michael Zotos and also given by the Bell Choir in honor of their 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

Galatians 5: 13-16 Free to Do Good

Exegesis (Background)

1. True freedom serves \_\_\_\_\_, not the self.
2. The whole \_\_\_\_\_ is love your neighbor as yourself.
3. Live by the Holy \_\_\_\_\_.

Life Application

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God sets us free to \_\_\_\_\_.

True freedom means being \_\_\_\_\_.

**THIS WEEK**

|           |       |  |
|-----------|-------|--|
| Today     | 11:30 | Bible Study  |
| Monday    | 7:45  | Bell Choir   |
| Tuesday   | 7:30  | Deborah Circle<br>Finance/Facilities Meeting<br>Outreach Meeting |
| Wednesday | 1:00  | Rachel Circle  |
|           | 7:00  | Ramsey Wind Symphony in FH                                       |
|           | 9:00  | Feed Our Souls   |
| Thursday  | 7:30  | Chancel Choir  |
|           | 9:00  | Feed Our Souls   |
| Friday    | 11:00 | Club 60 in FH  |

**Sunday, February 16, 2025**

9:00 Chancel Choir  
10:00 – Worship, Sunday School & Puppets  
11:30 – Bible Study

**THE COURIER** will be mailed on Wednesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>.

**THE GUILD CIRCLES** are meeting this week on Tuesday at 7:30 PM and Wednesday at 1:00 PM. All women are invited to attend for a time of fellowship and discussion.

**NEXT SUNDAY** you can still bring in a can of soup or two, which we will donate to the WholeSum Pantry in Norwood.

**Bible Study with Pastor Zach**

Pastor Zach is leading a Bible study on the New Testament Book of Galatians. The Bible study is held after worship on Sundays in Johnson Chapel starting around 11:30 AM. The study will be for six weeks. All are welcome to attend. Please advise if you need babysitting services.



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