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PRELUDE 前奏

We invite you to quietly prepare yourself for worship.

WELCOME & PRAYER 歓迎と祈祷

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***CALL TO WORSHIP 招き**

Based on Psalm 27, Philippians 3-4

One: The Holy One calls us to trust and pray.

All: God is our light and salvation, the stronghold of our lives.

One: The Holy One calls us to take courage, as we travel the path with Jesus.

All: Teach us your ways, O God, and lead us on our journeys.

One: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

All: Behold the beauty of the Holy One, and bless God's holy name.

***OPENING HYMN 讃美歌**

Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling (v. 1)

UM Hymnal #348

*1. Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling, calling for you and for me;
see, on the portals he's waiting and watching, watching for you and for me.*

Refrain: *Come home, (Come home,) come home; (come home;) you who are weary, come home;
earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling, calling, O sinner, come home!*

ACT OF KINDNESS TESTIMONY

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SCRIPTURE LESSON

Mindy Takechi

Luke 13:31-35

At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to him, "Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you." He said to them, "Go and tell that fox for me, 'Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish my work. Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way, because it is impossible for a prophet to be killed outside of Jerusalem.' Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, 'Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.'"

***HYMN OF PREPARATION 賛美歌**

Gather Us In (v. 2)

Faith We Sing #2236

*2. We are the young our lives are a myst'ry, we are the old who yearn for your face,
we have been sung throughout all of hist'ry, called to be light to the whole human race.
Gather us in the rich and the haughty, gather us in the proud and the strong;
give us a heart so meek and so lowly, give us the courage to enter the song.*

MESSAGE 説教

"Under the Wings"

Rev. Motoe Yamada Foor

PREPARATION FOR PRAYER 賛美歌

Cares Chorus

Faith We Sing #2215

*I cast all my cares upon you, I lay all of my burdens down at your feet,
And anytime that I don't know what to do, I will cast all my cares upon you.*

SILENT PRAYER & PASTORAL PRAYER 牧会祈祷

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THE LORD'S PRAYER 主の祈り

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.

***CLOSING HYMN 讚美歌**

On Eagle's Wings (v. 1, 2)

UM Hymnal #143

Refrain *And God will raise you up on eagles' wings, bear you on the breath of dawn;
make you to shine like the sun and hold you in the palm of God's hand.*

1. *You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, who abide in His shadow for life;
say to the Lord, "My refuge, my rock in whom I trust!"*

Refrain *And God will raise you up on eagles' wings, bear you on the breath of dawn;
make you to shine like the sun and hold you in the palm of God's hand.*

2. *For to His angels He's given a command to guard you in all of your ways.
Upon their hands they will bear you up lest you dash your foot against a stone.*

Refrain *And God will raise you up on eagles' wings, bear you on the breath of dawn;
make you to shine like the sun and hold you in the palm of God's hand.*

***BENEDICTION 頌榮**

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