



Loving God, Serving Others, Transforming Lives.

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PRELUDE 前奏

We invite you to quietly prepare yourself for worship.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS 歓迎と祈祷

CENTERING MOMENTS

***OPENING HYMN 讚美歌**

"Together We Serve"

Faith We Sing #2175

1. *Together we serve, united by love, inviting God's world to the glorious feast.
We work and we pray through sorrow and joy, extending your love to the last and the least.*
2. *We seek to become a beacon of hope, a lamp for the heart and a light for the feet.
We learn, year by year, to let love shine through until we see Christ in each person we meet.*
3. *We welcome the scarred, the wealthy, the poor, the busy, the lonely, and all who need care.
We offer a home to those who will come, our hands quick to help, our hearts ready to dare.*
4. *Together, by grace, we witness and work, remembering Jesus, in whom we grow strong.
Together we serve in Spirit and truth, remembering love is the strength of our song.*

***THE PEACE OF CHRIST 平和の挨拶**

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: As a people of God, let us offer one another Christ's joy.

*Please continue social distancing and bow or wave to those around you, and
for those at home you may text, call, email, or write to someone and share with them the Peace of Christ!*

OFFERING 献金

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DOXOLOGY

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

UM Hymnal #94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Stephen Siegel

PREPARATION FOR PRAYER 讚美歌

"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.*

[To Submit your prayer, please click here.](#)

OUR PRAYERS/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.

ANTHEM

"A Harvest of Thanksgiving"

words by Roger Thornhill, music by Stacey Nordmeyer

STEWARDSHIP TESTIMONY

Sue and Dale Fong

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Blaire Luong

Matthew 25: 14-30

"For it is as if a man, going on a journey, summoned his slaves and entrusted his property to them; to one he gave five talents, to another two, to another one, to each according to his ability. Then he went away. The one who had received the five talents went off at once and traded with them, and made five more talents. In the same way, the one who had the two talents made two more talents. But the one who had received the one talent went off and dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money. After a long time the master of those slaves came and settled accounts with them. Then the one who had received the five talents came forward, bringing five more talents, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me five talents; see, I have made five more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' And the one with the two talents also came forward, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me two talents; see, I have made two more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' Then the one who had received the one talent also came forward, saying, 'Master, I knew that you were a harsh man, reaping where you did not sow, and gathering where you did not scatter seed; so I was afraid, and I went and hid your talent in the ground. Here you have what is yours.' But his master replied, 'You wicked and lazy slave! You knew, did you, that I reap where I did not sow, and gather where I did not scatter? Then you ought to have invested my money with the bankers, and on my return I would have received what was my own with interest. So take the talent from him, and give it to the one with the ten talents. For to all those who have, more will be given, and they will have an abundance; but from those who have nothing, even what they have will be taken away. As for this worthless slave, throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.' "

MESSAGE 説教

"Do Something!"

Rev. Dr. Kelley O'Connor

BLESSING THE HARVEST

***CLOSING HYMN 讚美歌**

"Come Ye Thankful People, Come"

UM Hymnal #694

1. Come, ye thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home; all is safely gathered in, ere the winter storms begin. God our Maker doth provide for our wants to be supplied; come to God's own temple, come, raise the song of harvest home.
2. All the world is God's own field, fruit as praise to God we yield; wheat and tares together sown are to joy or sorrow grown; first the blade and then the ear, then the full corn shall appear; Lord of harvest, grant that we wholesome grain and pure may be.
3. For the Lord our God shall come, and shall take the harvest home; from the field shall in that day all offenses purge away, giving angels charge at last in the fire the tares to cast; but the fruitful ears to store in the garner evermore.
4. Even so, Lord, quickly come, bring thy final harvest home; gather thou thy people in, free from sorrow, free from sin, there, forever purified, in thy presence to abide; come, with all thine angels, come, raise the glorious harvest home.

***BENEDICTION 頌榮**

MUSIC OF CELEBRATION 後奏

****Please stand if you are able and willing in body and spirit.***

Serving you today:

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Kelley O'Connor

Liturgist: Jayne Muraki Rasmussen

Choir Director: Lyssa Ogilbee

Pianist: Tavifa Isgandarov

Reader: Blaire Luong

Children's Moment: Stephen Siegel

Stewardship Testimonies: Sue and Dale Fong

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