THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Kevin Channell

PRELUDE Bill Hardie, Pianist

CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor Kevin Channell

Let us bless the Lord at all times;
God's praise will always be on our lips.
Magnify the Lord in all ways;
We will lift up God's name together in worship and in service.
God, send your light and your truth as we gather to worship.
May they lead us into your holy presence.

OPENING PRAYER Pastor Kevin Channell

***OPENING HYMN** "In the Garden " Hymnal # 588

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION Pastor Kevin Channell

God of courage and commitment, we confess we have not always followed the path you set before us. Fear holds us back from fully embracing your gift of new life. Our anxieties prevent us from bearing witness to your love. Forgive us, O God. Give us courage that we may act as your saints in our own time, faithfully following Jesus, no matter the cost.

TIME OF PERSONAL CONFESSION Psalm 51:10 Pastor Kevin Channell

Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Amen **(Silent Confession)**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Pastor Kevin Channell

The Apostle Paul declared: What will separate us from the love of Christ? Hardship? Distress? Peril or sword? No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through the God who loves us. Neither death nor life, nor things present nor things to come can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus. Let us rejoice that, no matter what is happening around us, no matter what we have done, God's deep love will never let us go

***GLORIA PATRI** Hymnal #142

SCRIPTURE 1 Kings 3:4-9, 16-28 Pastor Kevin Channell

YOUTH MESSAGE Pastor Kevin Channell

THE MESSAGE "Seven Ducks in Dirty Water" Pastor Kevin Channell

HYMN OF RESPONSE "Amazing Grace" (first verse)

VIDEO "You Say" – Lauren Daigle Music video++

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

***DOXOLOGY** Hymnal #382

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER *(please see insert)*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER Pastor Kevin Channell

***CLOSING HYMN** "We are One in the Spirit" Hymnal #677

COMMISSION & BENEDICTION Pastor Kevin Channell

LORD DISMISS US WITH THY BLESSING Hymnal #520

POSTLUDE

**The congregation will please stand. The bold type indicates congregational response. A/V – Audio/Visual screens CCLI License # 1786884 OneLicense #A-728529 Music Video*

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