

Order of Service - Traditional Worship

Prelude

"Verso in E Minor"

by Domenico Zipoli Evangelista da Silva, Jr., organ

Introit

"Thankful"

by Milton and Joanne LeDoux Children's Choir

Call to Worship

Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 23

*Doxology

*Hymn #337

"God of Grace and God of Glory"

Prayer of Confession

All: Lord, you have surrounded us with a great cloud of witnesses in the faith who endured hardship and remained loyal to you. Yet we are humbled by the weight of our own sin. We have not laid aside every burden. At times, we have acted selfishly, harbored resentment, and allowed fear to get the better of us. We confess taking our eyes off Jesus. Forgive us, Lord, for growing weary and losing heart. Renew in us the commitment to follow you closely. Thank you for the promise of full restoration in Jesus. (Time for silent confession)

Assurance of Pardon

L: This is love:

P: Not that we loved God,

L: But that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins.

All: Thanks be to God!

*Gloria Patri

*Apostles' Creed

God's Story for All God's Children

Anthem

"It Is Well With My Soul"

arr. Eric Nelson Chancel Choir

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

New Testament Reading: Galatians 1

*Song of Preparation

"His Eye is on the Sparrow"

Verses 1 & 2

Sermon

The Book of Hebrews: Part 26

Rev. Chad Erb Hebrews 11-12:3

Time for Reflection

Closing Prayer

*Hymn #297

"Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus"

*Benediction

You go nowhere by accident.
As you go, God is sending you.
Wherever you go, God is with you there.
God has a purpose in your being there.
Christ lives in you and has something
He wants to do through you where you are.
So believe this and go in the grace and love and power of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Postlude

"Rhapsody, Op. 79, No. 2 Molto passionato"

arr. Johannes Brahms

Dr. John L. Cornelius, II, piano