

Prelude

“Consolation No. 3 in D Flat Major”

by Franz Liszt
Evangelista de Silva, Jr., organ

Introit

“Like a Good Shepherd”

by Erika Stifter
Emma Castello, soprano
Calli Walling, mezzo soprano
Abbigail Collier, flute

Welcome and Call to Worship: Psalm 100

***Doxology**

***Hymn #71**

“Shout to the Lord”

Verse 1

Prayer of Confession

All: Glorious God, we allow doubt and fear to override grace and hope. We look to the world to deliver what it cannot give. We ignore the truth, goodness, and beauty of your good news. Forgive, restore, and renew us, O Lord. Help us to remember your promise of new life here and now, and to place our trust solely in the crucified and risen Savior. By Your Holy Spirit, continue to love and forgive us, to transform and change us every day. (Time for silent confession)

Assurance of Pardon

L: We are saved by grace through faith.

P: This salvation is a gift from God.

L: We cannot earn it through our own efforts.

All: We are God’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus.

***Gloria Patri**

God’s Story for All God’s Children

Anthem

“The Holy City”

arr. by Summer Salter
Erika Stifter, soprano
Chancel Choir

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

New Testament Reading: Ephesians 4

Song of Preparation #221

“Spirit of the Living God”

Verse 1

Sermon

Christ in All of Life: Colossians

Rev. Sabrina Hergert

Colossians 2:6-15

Closing Prayer

***Affirmation of Faith: Apostle’s Creed**

***Hymn**

“Victory In 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

“Dwelling in Beulah Land”

arr. Miles/Cornelius

John L. Cornelius II, piano