

Prelude

by Juliet Calkins
Michael Liu, organ

“O Jesus, I Have Promised”**Introit**

by Mark Hayes
Juan Garza, baritone

“Safe Within Your Arms”**Welcome and Call to Worship: Psalm 146*****Doxology*****Hymn #18****“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”****Prayer of Confession**

All: Heavenly Father, we confess that we do not always live as people who trust that you are with us. We carry burdens you have invited us to surrender. We look for hope in our own plans and strength instead of in your presence and promises. Forgive us when we fail to trust you and restore in us a joyful desire to know you more fully. By your Spirit, shape us into people who reflect your grace and truth in the world. (Time for silent confession)

Assurance of Pardon

L: The Lord says: you have burdened me with your sins; you have wearied me with your iniquities.

P: But God is the only One who blots out our transgressions for his own sake.

All: God will not remember our sins. Hallelujah!

Gloria Patri*God’s Story for all God’s Children****Anthem**

arr. K. Lee Scott

“Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me”**Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer****New Testament Reading: Galatians 6****Song of Preparation #279**

Verses 1 & 2

“Grace Greater Than Our Sin”

Sermon

Resilient Faith: Loneliness and Divine Presence

Rev. Sabrina Hergert
1 Kings 19:1-18

Closing Prayer

*Affirmation of Faith: Apostles' Creed

*Hymn #565

“On Jordan’s Stormy Banks”

*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

“Wondrous Love/Balm in Gilead”

arr. by JLCII
Dr. John L. Cornelius II, piano