

Prelude

arr. by JLC2
Dr. John L. Cornelius II, piano

“Love Lifted Me Trio”**Introit**

arr. H.T. Burleigh
Chancel Choir

“Swing Low, Sweet Chariot”**Welcome and Call to Worship: Daniel 2*****Doxology*****Hymn #390****“In Christ Alone”****Prayer of Confession**

All: Almighty God, we confess resisting the difficult paths that arise before us. We seek comfort instead of trust, answers instead of faith, and certainty instead of dependence on you. In times of struggle, we can lose sight of your presence and your goodness. We try to carry our burdens alone rather than bringing them to you. Forgive us, Lord, and remind us that nothing can separate us from your love. Meet us in our weakness, strengthen us by your grace, and teach us to trust you even when we do not understand your ways.
(Time for silent confession)

Assurance of Pardon

L: God is rich in kindness and grace

P: He purchased our freedom with the blood of his Son.

L: He forgave our sins.

All: God showers his loving kindness on us!

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

by Brandon Waddles
Chancel Choir

“Ride in the Chariot”**Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer****New Testament Reading: Ephesians 4**

Song of Preparation #378

“His Eye Is on the Sparrow”

Verses 1 & 3

Sermon

Resilient Faith: Passing the Mantle

Rev. Chad Erb

1 Kings 19:19-21; 2 Kings 2:1-15

Closing Prayer

***Affirmation of Faith: Apostles' Creed**

***Hymn #33**

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

***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

“Toccata”

by Eugene Gigout
Michael Liu, organ