

**PRELUDE**

◇ A time of quiet preparation

*Sing to His Name/ G. Martin*  
*Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!/ arr. G. Sewell*

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

*Sanctuary; Friendship Singers*

**OPENING PRAYER**

Dwight McKay

**WORDS OF GREETING**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

Friendship Singers  
*We Have Come into This Place*  
*Sacrifice of Praise*  
*This is the Day \*\** (congregation echoes)  
*Jesus Loves Me; Tom Fern, Solo*

**WE CONFESS OUR SIN**

**Unison:** Almighty and creating God; we come before you today as people who are separated from one another by fear and prejudice and ignorance. Through our language, our actions and our facilities too often we decide who are the insiders and outsiders in our lives and in our church. Forgive us and create in us the vision of opening our hearts and minds and doors as wide as the love of Christ, so that no one is left outside. Help us to reach beyond ourselves to discover the joy of community. Give us the patience to discover that all people have gifts and abilities to share with our community of faith. We pray in Jesus name. Amen

**\*WE EXALT OUR LORD**

WORSHIP SONGS

Neal Burkholder, Reader

**Leader:** For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," made his light shine in our hearts to give us the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ. But we have this treasure in jars of clay to show that this all-surpassing power is from God and not from us. We are hard pressed on every side, but not crushed; perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not abandoned; struck down, but not destroyed. We always carry around in our body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be revealed in our body.  
II Corinthians 4:6-10 (NIV)

**WE GREET ONE ANOTHER**

DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN TO CHILDREN'S WORSHIP (4 years old to 1<sup>st</sup> grade)  
WELCOME TO VISITORS

**WE SEEK GOD'S FACE**

Prayers of God's People

**WE OFFER OUR GIFTS**

OFFERING/ CHORAL OFFERTORY *For the Beauty of the Earth/* arr. P. Keveren

**MINISTRY MOMENT**

Friendship Community; Milt Stoltzfus

**SCRIPTURE RECITATION**

Psalm 24, Dennis Carrigan, Reader

**PSALM 139**

video

**FRIENDSHIP CREATIVE MOVEMENT TEAM**

*Who Am I*  
*Your Grace Still Amazes Me*  
*How Beautiful Is the Body of Christ*

**WE HEAR GOD'S WORD**

SERMON

Rev. Thomas E. Nicholas

**\*WE GO FORTH TO SERVE**

HYMN OF RESPONSE 98

*Now Thank We All Our God*

\*WORDS OF PEACE

Dismissal of Children to Music room and Sunday School hour  
(4 years through 5th grade)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

*March/ G. F. Handel*