## **COMMUNION SUNDAY**

March 5, 2023 9:30 a.m.

"God's Kingdom is marked by grace beyond our imagining and generosity beyond our deserving."

## WE GATHER AROUND GOD'S WORD

**ORGAN PRELUDE** 

Bobbi Hunter

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing... Kevin Sadowski (Please use this time to prepare your heart for worship.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

\* HYMN OF PRAISE

No. 356

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

\* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (in unison)

Apostles' Creed

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GLORIA PATRI

No. 579

\* PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lou Pennebaker

## WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

OLD TESTAMENT READING Psalm 16:5-8 Tunde Olagbaju pg. 853

Those who wish may stand.

ANTHEM

Chancel Choir

For By Grace... Don Wyrtzen Richard Dinwiddie, director; Sharon Dinwiddie, accompanist (CCLI #20405356)

NEW TESTAMENT READING

pg. 1529

Matthew 20:1-16

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Rev. Anne Swanson

"Divine Generosity"

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

HYMN OF RESPONSE

No. 298

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

Rev. George Swanson

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

\* SINGING OF THE LORD'S PRAYER

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\* BENEDICTION

\* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Inside Hymnal Cover

Go Now in Peace... Don Besig

POSTLUDE

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy... Paul Manz

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