

March 5th, 2023
2nd Sunday of Lent
GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE:

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

QUIET HYMN: More Like You #2167

SILENT PRAYER

CHOIR INTROIT: *Fill Us with your Love, Lord*

***HYMN: Make Me a Channel of Your Peace** #2171

CENTERING FOR WORSHIP

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Do we dare place our trust in God?

P: God has promised to be with us to guide us.

L: Are we willing to continue the journey when we don't know the dangers and are not sure of the destination.

P: No matter what, God is with us. That's the promise and the hope.

L: Let us step forward boldly, listening for God's call in our lives.

P: Let us place our trust in God always. AMEN.

*** PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

Gracious and glorious God, we come, with questions on our hearts and in our lives. We come hoping someone can help us find answers and healing. But we are also hardened with doubts about self, others, and even you. Grant us healing and openness to your spirit that we may be better servants of your word, your will, and your way. Amen.

ANTHEM: *A Communion Meditation*

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 121

Luke 7:36-48

THE WORD OF GOD EXPLORED

Pastor Joel Holcomb

***HYMN: One Bread One Body** #620

GRATEFUL RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

OFFERTORY

***DOXOLOGY** #95

***DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTOR**

COMMUNION (See pg. 15 Hymnal – Table III)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

PRAYER RESPONSE

***HYMN: We Are Called** #2172

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE:

**Indicates standing if that is comfortable for you.*
