Order of Worship: Sunday, January 8, 2022 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Welcome Rev. Latricia Scriven, Senior Pastor

Prelude Great Is Thy Faithfulness arr. D. Wagner

Lighting of the Candles Acolytes

Opening Prayer Stephanie Corry and Congregation

O God, In mystery and silence you are present in our lives,

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We thank you that you do not leave us alone but labor to make us whole.

Help us to perceive your unseen hand in the unfolding of our lives,

and to attend to the gentle guidance of your Spirit,

That we may know the joy you give your people. Amen Ruth Duck, U.S.A. 20th cent.

Opening Hymn Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service UMH 581

Affirmation of Faith Affirmation from Romans UMH

887

Gloria UMH 70

Passing of the Peace

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer Rev. Scriven

Anthem (11:00) Trust in the Lord J. and A. Barnard Covenant Chancel Choir

Children's Chat Rev. Scriven

Offering Prayer Rev. Rokitowski

Offertory O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go (with Chopin's Etude, op. 10 no 3) C. Berry

Doxology UMH 95

Scripture Genesis 45:1-4 and Romans 12:9-10, 18 Stephanie Corry

Sermon HEALING OUR FAMILIES Rev. Becky Rokitowski

Closing Hymn This Is a Day of New Beginnings UMH 383, vs. 1-4

Sending Forth Rev. Rokitowski

Postlude Christ For the World We Sing arr. H. Hopson