



Order of Worship for Sunday, May 24, 2020

Music

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Joshua Krakos

Centering

“Sanctuary”

*Lord prepare me, to be a sanctuary,
Pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving,
I'll be a living sanctuary for you.*

Hear this assurance from God (Sung to Amazing Grace)

*Be still, O heart, you're not alone;
your beat is shared with me.
Come now, and calm, and center here,
you're mine, secure and free.*

Now sing our response to God...

*Into your care, we offer now,
our worries, fears and strife.
We turn to you and know you're near-
Your light, our love and life.*

Call to Worship

The Schwind Family

One: Welcome! We are gathered here to celebrate the great promise!

Many: Our hearts are ready to receive this good news.

One: Jesus asked all of his friends to live lives reflecting the love of God.

Many: We are numbered among these friends!

One: Open your hearts today. Hear God's special word just for you!

Many: Lord, help us to be ready to receive your word and to live in your love. AMEN.

Shared Unison Prayer

Lord of justice and mercy, be with us today as we seek healing for our pain, hope for our spirits. Encourage us in our various ministries in life. Help us to be faithful witnesses to your good news. In Christ's Name we pray. AMEN.

Opening Hymn	“Heart of Worship”	Amber Kelso
Children's Story		Trish Sorenson
Blessing of the Offerings—to-Come		Pastor Paige
Prayers of the People		
Special Music		
Scripture	Luke 24: 44-53	Pastor Josh
Sermon	“The Heart of the Matter: Open the Eyes of My Heart”	
Prayer of Affirmation		

We know Jesus is present among us... [repeat]
even in this very home... [repeat]
We will not let fear be louder than love... [repeat]
but with glad hearts and rejoicing souls... [repeat]
we will sing God's praise... [repeat]
for we are Easter People...! [repeat]

Hymn	“Reckless Love“	Cavin Clive
Benediction		Pastor Josh

As we close this time together, remember:
God is always with you.
No matter what we face, no matter what trials or hardships come our way,
God is there.
So, acknowledge your fear and your worry
and know it is as true and holy as any feeling,
including joy and hope and love.
Take heart! For this is the heart of the matter.

Postlude		Lamar Fitzgerald
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