

WORSHIP ORDER

PRELUDE

“Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart”

Handbell Choir

GATHERING

CHORAL INTROIT

“Praise Him”

(9:30/11:00) Sanctuary Choir

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: With what shall we come before the Lord? What shall we bring into the presence of our God, as an expression of our worship and praise?

Many: Shall we bring him all that we own—our finest possessions, our life savings, our investments and property? Would God be satisfied if we brought everything we possess?

One: No, that’s not what God is looking for. God has told you what is good, and what he expects of you:

Many: To do justice. To love mercy. To walk humbly before him.

One: May we worship together, seeking justice, offering mercy and living in humility today.

***HYMN**

“Stand By Me” (verses 1, 2, 3, and 5).....#512

***CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

God of Amos and Micah, God of Deborah and Anna, God of all our prophets: on this day, we honor the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, who prophetically witnessed to Your radically inclusive love. Help us to carry forth Your call to justice beyond this week and into our daily lives. Help us to have the courage of Dr. King to stand with the oppressed, to lift up the poor, to live into God’s ways of peace demonstrated by Jesus Christ. Give us the strength to build a better future for all of our children. (continued on back)

****PLEASE STAND IN PRAISE TO GOD IF YOU ARE ABLE***

(continued) May we be challenged by this call and by the example of Dr. King, to live into Christ’s ways of love, justice, and peace. Amen.

PASSING OF THE PEACE & WELCOME

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

(11:00) Axel James Tate, Reese Elizabeth Battaglia

WITNESS IN MUSIC

“Use Me”

(9:30/11:00) Sanctuary Choir with John Findlay, soloist

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY

“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

(8:00) John Findlay, soloist

“He Never Failed Me Yet”

(9:30/11:00) Sanctuary Choir with John Findlay, soloist

***DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

SCRIPTURE: Amos 5:24

SERMON

***HYMN**

“Do, Lord, Remember Me” (1, 2, 3, and 5).....#527

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

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