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CONGREGATIONAL

**SUNDAY
WORSHIP**
JULY 27, 2025

Children's Message

Brandyn Miller

Director of Music

Luke Overton

Senior Pastor

Brandyn Miller

Guest Organist

Carol Teare

Office Manager

Michelle Wolfe

Custodian

Kyle Lindaman

No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here.

Prelude *Psalm XIX* - B. Marcello Carol Teare

Welcome and Announcements Brandyn Miller

***Call to Worship** *Based on Psalm 85* Brandyn Miller

Pastor: Let us come together, remembering God's mercy and love.

People: God has forgiven us and restored us.

Pastor: May God's steadfast love and faithfulness meet us here.

People: May righteousness and peace embrace in our lives.

Pastor: The Lord grants what is good, and our land yields abundance.

All: Let us worship God with joyful hearts, giving thanks for God's enduring grace.

***Opening Hymn** *God's Eye on the Sparrow* #475 (NCH - Black)

***Prayer of Invocation** (unison)

Gracious God, we gather in Your presence, seeking the joy that comes from knowing You. Open our hearts to Your word and Your ways. Teach us to pray with sincerity and to trust in Your provision. May our lives be rooted in Christ, overflowing with gratitude and joy. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

Special Music John Mardis Ensemble

Invitation to Offertory

Offertory *Largo* - A. Vivaldi Carol Teare

***Doxology** #515 (Pilgrim - Red)

***Prayer of Dedication**

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Scripture Reading Luke 11:1–13 & Colossians 2:6–15

Leader: This is the word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

“Abounding in Joy”

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***Song of Reflection**

I've Got Peace Like a River

#478 (NCH - Black)

Joys & Concerns

Leader: Lord, in your mercy

People: **Hear our prayer**

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer (unison)

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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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

***Parting Hymn**

My Life Flows On in Endless Song

#476 (NCH - Black)

***Benediction**

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Postlude

Trumpet Voluntary - G. Young

Carol Teare

* Please Rise in body and spirit

*Children are welcome to worship with their families.
There are quiet activities available at the back of the Sanctuary
as Sunday School will not be held during the summer months.*