

GATHERING

Prelude: Dale Alexander

Welcome & Land Acknowledgement: Jennifer Stockdale

Opening Hymn: Pour Your Freedom Over Me (from *Songs for the Holy Other*) – Cheryl Bragg

TEACHING

Spiritual Practice for Resistance: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Sung Refrain: *His Eye Is On The Sparrow*, (vs. 1), CH #82

Resistance Through a Youthful Eye: Deb Murphy & Rev. Dan Adolphson

Sung Refrain: *His Eye Is On The Sparrow*, (refrain), CH #82

Sharing the Peace of Christ: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Scripture Reading: Revelation 13:1-18 – Jennifer Stockdale

Sermon: Rev. Ben Masters

Music for Reflection: Tyler Frankhouse – It Is Well With My Soul – Phillip P. Bliss, arr by Brenda Crofts Reep

OFFERING PRAYERS AND OUR GIFTS

Joys and Concerns: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Prayer Song: *Glory to God*, CH #34

Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo!
Gloria, gloria, alleluia, alleluia!

Glory to God, glory to God, glory in the highest!
Glory to God, glory to God, alleluia, alleluia!

Pastoral Prayer: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Offering Reflection & Prayer: Arlene Hillestad

CELEBRATING THE FEAST

Invitation to the Table: Justin Carlson

Communion Hymn: *Christ Our Health* (from *Songs for the Holy Other*) – John Francis Wade, words by Edward Moran

Communion Prayer & Words of Institution: Justin Carlson

Partaking of Holy Communion

All are truly welcome to partake.

Music for Meditation: Dale Alexander

GROUNDING TO GO FORTH

Spiritual Practice for Resistance: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Sending Hymn: *My Eyes Have Seen the Glory*, NCH #610

Closing Words: Rev. Ben Masters

Benediction: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Postlude: Dale Alexander

Thank you to all who helped with this Sunday's service.

Worship Leader: Jennifer Stockdale

Deacons: KC Helmeid, Jennifer Stockdale

Elders: Justin Carlson, Arlene Hillestad

Technicians: Mike Cackoski, Mark Carlson

Spiritual Practice Leader: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Music Director: Dr. Caroline Povolny

Music Leader: Tyler Frankhouse

Pianist: Dale Alexander

Director of Faith Formation for Children: Deb Murphy

Administrator: Seth Anderson-Matz (seth@fccmpls.org)

Intentional Interim Minister: Rev. Ben Masters

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Associate Minister: Rev. Dan Adolphson

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July 5th, 2026 Discerning Resistance



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