

Worship Participants

Gary Dawes, Joy Barrett, Randy Umfleet,
Samantha Mecca, accompanist
The Sanctuary Choir

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This week

Sunday	10 am	Fair Trade Coffee Sales
	12 pm	Rezound Handbells Rehearsal
Monday	6:30 pm	Parent Group
	6:45 pm	Monday Night Bible Study
Tuesday	5:30 pm	Messy Church Leadership
Wednesday	6:30 pm	Pastoral Transition Team
	7 pm	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
Saturday	5:30 pm	Halloween Rest Stop

Next Sunday, November 1

Daylight Savings Time Change

9 & 11 am sanctuary worship; 11 am Parables worship
All Saints Remembrance, Communion
and Faith In Action Food Drive.

See the blue bin (in the lobby) for the donation list.



11 am Worship

October 25, 2026



Here I Am: Calling, Excuses, and God's Promise
Scripture: Exodus 3:1-14

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Order of Worship

We invite you to participate in worship as we connect with God
and each other. You are welcome to remain seated, stand,
or move around, whichever you prefer.

Gathering Music

Lord, Here Am I

Welcome

**All: We are a vibrant, intentionally inclusive,
justice-seeking faith community.**

Musical Call to Worship *God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending*
Robert L. Edwards

Verse 1

God, whose giving knows no ending,
from Your rich and endless store,
Nature's wonder, Jesus' wisdom, costly cross,
grave's shattered door:
Gifted by you, we turn to you, offering up ourselves in praise;
Thankful song shall rise forever, gracious donor of our days

Verse 2

Treasure, too, you have entrusted,
gain through pow'rs your grace conferred;
Ours to use for home and kindred,
and to spread the gospel Word.
Open wide our hands in sharing, as we heed Christ's ageless call,
Healing, teaching, and reclaiming, honoring you by loving all.

Unison Prayer

God who calls our names, sometimes we wonder if we are ready.
Sometimes we think we are too young, too old, too busy,
too afraid, or simply not enough.
But you remind us, "I will be with you."
So open our eyes to the places where you are calling us.
Open our hearts to the gifts you have already given us.
And give us courage to say, "Here I am."
Help us remember that we never answer your call alone.
You are with us, and you give us one another. Amen.

Opening Hymn

Here I Am, Lord
red hymnal #593

Sharing Peace

Leader: *The Peace of Christ be with you.*
All: And also with you.

Call to Prayer

Take My Life, and Let It Be
red hymnal #399

Community Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Anthem

Be Not Afraid

Message

Closing Hymn *Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service*
red hymnal #581

Benediction

Postlude

This Little Light of Mine