

ENTRANCE

Gathering

Prelude

*Call to Worship (responsively)

Be assured that God is among us;

**Open wide the sanctuary doors, there's
enough love for all!**

Be assured that God is not contained;

**We are invited to create, experiment, to
evolve!**

Be assured that God is on the move;

**Let us join God in the redemptive
adventure of the world**

Where everything is being made new,

Even us, even now.

*Hymn of Praise "Healing Rain"

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*Opening Prayer (in unison)

Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Share the
news of God's saving work every single day!

Declare God's glory among the nations;
declare God's wondrous works among all
people because the Lord is great and worthy
of praise. Amen. [1 Chronicles 16:23-25]

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Scripture Lesson John 10:22-30, NIV

*Hymn "Blessed Assurance" #369

Scripture Lesson Acts 13:15-16, 26-33, NIV

Sermon Shari Houdeshell

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

God of power and might, we are so often afraid. You call us to greatness, and we protest that we are weak. You show us your ways, and we complain that they are too hard. You promise to protect us, and we do not trust your word. Forgive our weakness, and our lack of faith. Strengthen us for your work, and your ministry in the world. In the name of Jesus, our Savior, we pray.

The Lord's Prayer #895

Offering

Offertory

* Doxology UMH #95

*Prayer of Blessing

*Passing the Peace

Please take a quick moment to welcome those seated near you as an affirmation of our faith preparing us to go forth in service to God and one another.

SENDING FORTH

*Hymn #292
"What Wondrous Love Is This"

*Benediction

*Postlude

* Denotes stand as you are able

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16th Sunday after Pentecost

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8:00 am

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