Invitation to Centering Shelly Clark

Welcome and Announcements Chuck Kestle

Welcoming the Christ Light Acolytes

Call to Worship *(standing) (responsively)*

Voice of One: How shall we sing the Lord's song in a land of suffering?
Voice of Many: We shall sing of courage and the strength of the Lord.
One: How shall we sing the Lord's song when we feel so lonely?
Many: We shall sing of unity and faithfulness, of reconciliation and hope.
One: Come, let us sing the lord's song this day.
Many: Let us praise God in all our ways forever. AMEN.

Opening Hymn *(standing)* #430 UM Hymnal
"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

Lambs of God Moment Pastor Seth

DISMISSAL FOR CHILDREN'S CHURCH
(children 4 years-5th grade are invited downstairs)

Sharing the Peace of Christ *(standing)* (Turn in orange cards and Pew Pads)

Joys and Concerns Chuck Kestle

Prayer Hymn #2193 Faith We Sing
"Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"

Pastoral Prayer Chuck Kestle
Silent Prayer
Lord's Prayer #895 UM Hymnal

Doxology *(standing)* #94 UM Hymnal
"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

Offertory Prayer *(standing)* Pastor Seth

Message Pastor Seth "She Could Have Stayed Home"
Ruth 1– Chuck Kestle

Hymn of Preparation #2025 Faith We Sing
"As The Deer"

Holy Communion *United Methodists practice "open communion" where everyone is welcome to receive. Everyone!*

Hymn of Benediction *(Standing)* #723UM Hymnal
"Shall We Gather at the River"

Benediction *(standing) (all read together)*

> **I will pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, and gentleness. I will live boldly, trusting God with everything I am and everything I have. I will take hold of the life to which God calls me. I will go forth, rejoicing in God**

Postlude Shelly Clark