



Our Mission: To serve and unite those we touch with the Grace of God.

Our Vision: Transforming lives to become the heart, hands and feet of Jesus in the world.

June 6, 2021

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

10:00 a.m. Service

### Prelude

“Adante”

- Guilmant

### Welcome and Announcements

### Call to Worship

One: Day by day, God is with us, in all places, in all time.

**All: Day by day, Jesus calls us to go, teach, and serve with love.**

One: Day by day, the Spirit shows us the people we might be, the gifts we share, the community we might become.

**All: This is the day; to worship, celebrate, serve and pray!**



### Hymn #89

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

### Prayer for Guidance *Unison*

New every morning is your love, Great God of light, and all day long you are working for good in the world. Stir up in us desire to serve you, to live peacefully with our neighbors, and to devote this day, and all days, to your Son, our Savior, Jesus the Christ. Amen.

### Children’s Message

### Special Music

“Andante from Oboe Sonata in A Minor”

- Teleman

*Oboe solo by Lainey Patzloff – Granddaughter of Paige and Bill Macklin*

### Scripture

Matthew 11:2-6 New International Version

When John, who was in prison, heard about the deeds of the Messiah, he sent his disciples to ask him, “Are you the one who is to come, or should we expect someone else?” Jesus replied, “Go back and report to John what you hear and see: The blind receive sight, the lame walk, those who have leprosy are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the good news is proclaimed to the poor. Blessed is anyone who does not stumble on account of me.”

The Message Version

John, meanwhile, had been locked up in prison. When he got wind of what Jesus was doing, he sent his own disciples to ask, “Are you the One we’ve been expecting, or are we still waiting?” Jesus told them, “Go back and tell John what’s going on: The blind see, the lame walk, lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, the wretched of the earth learn that God is on their side. “Is this what you were expecting? Then count yourselves most blessed!”

### Message

What Are You Expecting?

### Hymn #408

“Gift of Love”

### Prayers

### The Lord’s Prayer *Unison*

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.



## Offering Invitation

### Offertory Music

“Interlude”  
Mark Anderson, piano

- Anderson

### Doxology – Hymn #94 *Projected*

### Offertory Prayer *Unison*

God of vision, may this offering become a work of your Holy Spirit, to do love, give hope, and inspire hearts. Let this become a sign of compassion for others as followers of Christ today. Amen.

### Sacrament of Communion

*All Are Welcome*

### Benediction

### Song of Peace

Go in peace, my friend, till we meet again.  
May God’s blessing be on you, may you be a blessing too.  
May God’s Spirit burning bright, be your ever-guiding light.  
God go with you, making all things new.

### Postlude

“Jubilate”

- Blake

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*Spring being a tough act to follow,  
God created June.  
Al Bernstein*

**PLEASE NOTE**

1. There will be a Church Conference TODAY in the sanctuary at 11:00 a.m. On the agenda is compensation approval for incoming pastor Amanda Lunemann.
2. Pastor Rory’s last service as pastor here at Grace UMC will take place on Sunday, June 13, 2021. The choir will be singing and a reception with coffee, juice and a light snack will be served following the service.
3. Pastor Amanda Lunemann’s first service with Grace will take place on Sunday, June 27, 2021. The choir will sing, and a welcome reception will follow this service as well.

## *Volunteering is a Work of Heart*

As we move forward with regard to Worship Helpers for Sunday’s services, if you volunteered in the past, we will continue to put you on the schedule. You will be used in the same capacity as in the past. If you are no longer interested in helping out or are willing to branch out to another position (greeter, usher, sound, liturgist, acolyte, nursery and communion), please contact the office (see above). If you have not volunteered in the past and would like to start, we would love to have you on Grace’s team.

