

Miami – Prelude &

Ringing of the Church Bell – Break Forth, Ye Heavens - E Broughton

Gail Jones

Osawatomie – Prelude – Rejoice Greatly, O My Soul - J Mansfield

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Announcements

Paola – Prelude – Rejoice Greatly, O My Soul - J Mansfield

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Osawatomie – Ringing the Chimes

Call to Worship

Leader: Come as you are to worship the Lord.

People: Let us bring our songs, our prayers, and our worries.

Leader: For the Lord is our shepherd, and we shall not want.

All: The Lord is our redeemer, and we shall be free.

‡ **Glory to God Hymn #321 – The Church’s One Foundation**

We are called to confess

Let us confess our sin, confident in God’s love for us.

We confess our sins to God and one another

God of green pastures, we confess that we can get so busy and distracted that we lose sight of your love and care for us. We forget to live in gratitude and fail to live lives of goodness and mercy.

Forgive us, heal us, and lead us down gentle paths that restore our souls. Amen.

Time for silent, personal confession

We receive the assurance of pardon

As your sibling in Christ, I remind you that you have been restored to the grace of God. Therefore let us share a sign of peace with one another, for this congregation is the feast that God has prepared for us.

‡ **Glori Patri**

Passing the Peace

Message for the Young at Heart

WE PROCLAIM GOD’S GOOD NEWS

We Pray Together, the Prayer of the Day

Holy One, we want to be the sheep of your pasture. Care for us, feed us, and lead us, we pray. Once we are strengthened by your presence, raise us up to be shepherds ourselves who tend to those who fear and dismay so that our lives may reflect our Good Shepherd, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Today’s Scripture Reading:

Psalm 23 (From the Message)

Liturgist

Mark 6:30–34, 53–56

Pastor Paul

Reflecting on Scripture – Rest

Pastor Paul

Special Music -

Gail Jones

Allegretto - LN Clerembault

Prayers of the People/The Lord's Prayer (Please use debts and debtors)

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Call to stewardship

Think of the beginning of the 23rd Psalm and the words we pray every week, "Give us this day our daily bread." Taken together, God promises to provide us with what we need to live today so we may see tomorrow. When we think of what we actually have, though, we have more than enough. We give honor and thanks to God when we make our generous offering from our abundance.

We ask for blessings on our tithes and offerings

Thank you, God, for the ministries of the people of your church. Thank you, God, for the bounty of your blessings you have poured out upon us. We have taken a portion of our abundance and given it to you in grateful thanksgiving. Consecrate this offering. May it help to support the ministries of this church that will dismantle the walls that divide us so all people will be one in the new family gathered in Christ Jesus. Amen.

† Doxology

WE RESPOND AND GO IN GOD'S NAME

† Glory to God Hymn #796 – We Come to You for Healing

Charge & Benediction

Closing Response

"Go ye now in peace and know that the love of God will guide you...Feel his presence here beside you, showing you the way...go ye now in peace, go ye now in peace."

Postlude -

Gail Jones

Finale in F - Widor, arr D Paxton