Our color in worship today is Green. In the Christian year the color green symbolizes growth, bountifulness, hope and life. The acolytes this morning are Mary Kate Bradley, Eleanor & Julia Buckley. The candlelight in worship represents God's presence. Acolytes will light their tapers during the last hymn, extinguish the candles, and exit the sanctuary, symbolizing the light of Christ leading us out into the world.

## United Methodist Church Mission Statement:

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world!

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## Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost November 10, 2024

### **Order of Worship**

Greet one another as we gather in the sanctuary. Welcome those who may be visiting us. Open your heart to God as you offer praise and thanksgiving.

**Prelude** Debbie Logue

**Bringing the Light Into the Sanctuary** Acolytes

Welcome, Registration of Attendance and Announcements

Introit Give Thanks Chancel Choir

\*Greeting (Psalm 106:1-5)

Rev. Lori Holliman

Praise the Lord!

O give thanks to the Lord who is good; whose steadfast love endure for ever!

Who can utter the mighty doings of the Lord, or show forth all God's praise?

Blessed are they who observe justice, who do righteousness at all times!

Remember me, O Lord, when you show favor to your people; help me when you deliver them.

that I may see the prosperity of your chosen ones, that I may rejoice in the gladness of your nation, that I may glory with your heritage.

\*Hymns of Praise #66 Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven (verses 1 & 4)

#384 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling (verses 1 & 3

\*Affirmation of Faith #880 The Nicene Creed

\*Response #70 Glory Be to the Father

Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men. A-men.

#### **Sharing Joys and Concerns**

#### ~~~~ Reflection and Prayer ~~~~

#### **Pastoral Prayer**

#### Presentation of God's Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Anthem

\*Doxology #95 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; praise him, all crea-tures here be-low; praise him a-bove, ye heaven-ly host; praise Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost. A-men. \*Prayer of Thanksgiving

**Anthem:** We Thank You Lord Chancel Choir

#### Scripture: Colossians 3:15-17

Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts. And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Message: "Be Thankful" Rev. Brad Holliman

Hymn #540 I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

\*Taking the Light Into the World

Acolytes

\*Dismissal with Blessing

\*Choral Sending Forth #536 (Choir and Congregation)

#### **Precious Name**

Take the name of Je-sus with you, child of sor-row and of woe; it will joy and com-fort give you; take it then, where-e'er you go.

#### **Refrain:**

Pre-cious name, O how sweet! Hope of earth and joy of heaven.

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\*Postlude \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please stand as you are able