



OVERLAND PARK CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(Disciples of Christ) 



The Spiritual Rhythms of Hospitality

Words of Welcome

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE GATHERING – We Enter into God's Presence

Sharing Christ's Peace

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Gathering in the Light

Prelude to Worship

“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us” arr. Phillip Keveren

Julie Dean, piano

*Invitation to Worship

Roy Nickum

one: God shepherds us towards pastures of compassion,

*all: **the Holy leads us to wide, roaming fields of connection,***

one: the Lord calls us by name & blesses our lives, saying:

*all: **Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest***

one: for I am gentle and lowly in heart,

*all: **and here you will find rest for your souls.***

*Opening Hymn

“Gather Us In”

Chalice Hymnal #284; vv 1, 2, & 4

Invocation

Roy Nickum

Prayer Response

“Make Me a Servant”

Chalice Praise #99

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Prayer of Illumination

“Be Still”

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Worship & Wonder Scripture

“Exile and Return”

Pastor Lisa Engelken

a Worship & Wonder story written by Sonja M. Stewart and Jerome W. Berryman,

based on Ezra 1-6

told in the Worship & Wonder room

Scripture

Matthew 25:31-46 (Common English Bible)

Judy Nickum

Sermon

“The Spiritual Rhythms of Hospitality”

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Special Music

“Love Is Greater Than Fear” by The Many

video

THE RESPONSE – We Respond in Worship

Prayers of the People

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Our Lord's Prayer

**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.**

Response in Song

“Sister, Let Me Be Your Servant”

Chalice Hymnal #490; vv 1-3 & 5

Invitation to Stewardship

Judy Nickum

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*Doxology

“All Creatures of Our God and King”

Chalice Hymnal #22; v 1

Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to Communion

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Communion Prayer

Words of Institution

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Communion Response

“You Who Are Thirsty”

SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

*Closing Hymn

“I See a Church”

Chalice Praise #133

*Blessing and Benediction

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Postlude

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Julie Dean, piano

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