

Sunday, July 23rd, 2023

Worship Leader: Rev. Kaitlyn Ostrander

Greetings, Caring, Sharing

Christ Candle

Call to Worship

In our singing God be our note of Joy

In our praying be the heartfelt word

In our search be the will to stretch ourselves

In our need, be the source of hope

Let us worship God

Opening Prayer

Hymn: Walk with Me VU 649

Children's Time

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

God of tender mercies, we admit that sometimes we don't know what to do with ourselves. We anger at the slightest insult and imagine great vengeance upon those who wronged us. We laze about in the good news of our faith and do not consider the deep commitment of faith. We care for ourselves but not for others. Forgive us, we

pray. Forgive us, help us to repent, and make us whole. Amen.

Responsive Psalm:

Psalm 139 VU 861

Scripture

Genesis 28:10-19

Matthew 13:24-43

Hymn: Give To Us Laughter VU 624

Sermon: Friends with God

Offertory Hymn: Grant Us, God, the Grace VU 540

Offering Dedication

Communion

Hymn: Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise VU 264

Benediction