



August 20, 2023

Prelude "Wonderful Grace of Jesus" arr. Johnson

Welcome The peace of the risen Christ be with you. **Dwight Herin**
And also with you.

Greeting One Another

Call to Worship

Leader: We gather together to worship God,
who comes to us when we least expect it,

**People: who calls us out of the safety of our ordered lives
and invites us to join Him in the adventure of faith.**

All: Let's worship God together!

Hymn "Wonderful Grace of Jesus" #362 (1 & 2)

Prayer **Dwight Herin**

Hymn "Gather Us In" #649 (1, 2 & 4)
(During the hymn, the ushers will collect prayer cards)

Invitation to Prayer

(We invite you to come forward to light a candle at either candle station.)

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Scripture & Sermon **Lydia Herin**

Matthew 14:22-33 "Walking on the Water"

Offering *(Ushers will come forward)* **Dwight Herin**

Offertory Prayer

We thank you, O God, for the countless blessings that come to us every day. Help us to be as welcoming, as caring, as generous as you, Loving God, as we share our gifts with you and the world. Amen.

Offertory "Blessed Jesu, At Thy Word" Bach

Doxology*

Announcements **Dwight Herin**

Hymn "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" #393 (1)

Benediction

Postlude "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" arr. Shackley