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Welcome to

First Mennonite Church Denver, CO



Sunday Worship May 5, 2024

Welcome to the Priesthood

*That you may know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge,
so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. – Ephesians 3:19*

We invite you to join the congregation in singing the songs marked with ♪ .

Entering Worship *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* arr. L. Shackley

♪ *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* Voices Together 98

♪ *Let Us Build a House* VT 36

♪ *Seek Ye, First* VT 417

Welcome

Christ Candle Procession ♪ *This Little Light of Mine* VT 762

Children's Time

♪ *Gloria* VT 94

Call to Worship

Rita: Come to the Living Stone rejected as worthless by humanity, but chosen as valuable, by God.

People: Come as living stones and let yourselves be used in building the spiritual temple, where you will serve as holy priests.

Rita: You are a chosen people.

People: You are God's own people.

Rita: You are chosen to proclaim the wonderful acts of God.

People: God calls you from darkness into marvelous light.

Silent Faith Reflection

Invocation *On Eagle's Wings*, Michael Joncas

You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord who abide in this shadow for life, say to the Lord, "My refuge, my rock in whom I trust!" And He will raise you up on eagles' wings bear you on the breath of dawn make you to shine like the sun and hold you in the palm of His hand. For to His angels, He's given a command to guard you in all of your ways. Upon their hands they will bear you up lest you dash your foot against a stone. He will raise you up on eagles' wings bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun and hold you in the palm of His hand.

♪ *They that wait upon the Lord* WB 584

Silent Faith Reflection

♪ *One is the Body* VT 386

Scripture Exodus 19:3-6

I Peter 2:4-10 Responsive Reading VT 381

Meditation Welcome to the Priesthood

I Need Thee Every Hour arr. Mary McDonald

High School Senior Celebration Magdalena Burkholder

Offering and Announcements

♪ *You Are Salt for the Earth* VT 297 (v. 1&2)

Benediction

Congregational Sharing and Introductions

Pastoral Prayer

♪ *You Are Salt for the Earth* VT 297 (v.3&4)

Directly After Service

Donuts and Coffee (Community Ctr)
Congregational Process with Childcare provided

Leadership for this Service

Meditation: Rev. David Miller

Worship Leader: Rita Sommers

Song Leader: Arlen Hershberger

Musician: Romaine Anderson

Chimes: Annika Stutzman

Children's Storytime: Rachel Barnes

Lead Ushers: Brad and Marylou Shelly

Audio Tech: Kim Kauffman

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