

# MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

As a Congregational church, Meadowbrook traces its roots to the Pilgrims. We continue to explore our faith as a people free to interpret God's Word according to the dictates of our own conscience and in mutual support and love of one another. Not bound by any one creed or statement of faith, Congregationalists are gathered around a local church covenant in which we promise to serve alongside one another as followers of Jesus Christ.

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January 25, 2026  
Annual Meeting Sunday / Third Sunday after Epiphany

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

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## PRELUDE

"O How I Love Jesus" arr. by Mark Hayes

Dave Howland

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: May the peace of the Lord be with you.

Congregation: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us share with one another a sign of Christ's peace.

## CHORAL INTROIT

Watchman, tell us of the night, what its signs of promise are. Traveler, what a wondrous sight: see that glory beaming star.

\*Stand in body or spirit

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP (in unison)

Dave Milligan

***The LORD is my strength and my shield; in Him my heart trusts; so I am helped, and my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to Him. The LORD is the strength of His people. Bless us by Your presence, O God, and remind us of Your faithfulness.***

## \*GATHERING HYMN

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" #19

## \*INVOCATION (in unison)

Dave Milligan

**Lord, by Your prophet Hosea, You called on Your people of Israel to return to You. We, too, have stumbled because of our iniquity. Bless us by Your presence, Lord, and give us the words of praise and contrite hearts to return to You for the glory of Your holy name.**

## \*THE LORD'S PRAYER (using Debts and Debtors)

**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, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

## CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:

"Bless the Lord, O My Soul" #11

## A TIME TO REMEMBER

## PSALTER READING

Psalm 27: 1, 4-9 | Page #503 OT

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: **Thanks be to God.**

## ANTHEM

"Ascribe to the Lord" by Rosephanye Powell

Denise Parr

Dave Milligan

Chancel Choir

Denise Parr

## A TIME OF SILENCE & MORNING PRAYER

CHORAL AMEN

## OFFERTORY

"The Summons" #317

## \*DOXOLOGY (sing in unison) #563

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.**

**Praise Him all creatures here below.**

**Praise Him above ye heavn'ly host.**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

## \*OFFERING PRAYER

## SERMON SCRIPTURE READING:

Philippians 3: 12-16 | Page #198 NT

Denise Parr

CHORAL RESPONSE

Let Thy word abide in us, O Lord.

## MESSAGE

"Good to Great"

Denise Parr

## \*SENDING HYMN

"Lord of the Dance" #163

Denise Parr

## \*BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

"Psalm of Glory" by Dorothy Wells

Dave Howland

**MUSICIANS:** Dave Howland, Danny Reeves and Chancel Choir | **TECHNICIAN:** Moe Elmasry  
**GREETERS:** Carrie Skronek | **LITURGIST:** Dave Milligan

The 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of Meadowbrook Congregational Church will be held in Fellowship Hall following worship. Refreshments are provided by the Advisory Council.