

October 12, 2025

Welcome and Announcements:
Dave Tom

Mental Health & Care Moment Melissa McKinney
Title slide for this to be run all of October

Music to Prepare Our Hearts:
Michael Snyder

"Shout to the Lord"
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Call to Worship: *

Bev Svoboda

Leader: Come, all who are weary, all who carry burdens too heavy to name.

People: We come to find rest in God's unfailing love.

Leader: Nothing can separate us from the love of Christ Jesus our Lord.

People: In our weakness, God's strength is made perfect.

Leader: Come as you are: whole or broken, confident or uncertain.

People: For God is not afraid of our struggles, and we are not damaged goods.

Leader: Let us worship the One whose grace is sufficient, whose mercy never ends, and whose love makes all things new.

**People: We come to worship with open hearts and hopeful spirits.
Amen.**

Opening Hymn: * **"God of Love and God of Power"** **UMH #578**

Opening Prayer:
Bev Svoboda

Gracious God, You meet us at the wells of our lives — in our doubts, our weariness, and our hidden hurts. You see us completely and love us completely. When we feel unworthy, You remind us that Your grace is enough. When we feel broken, You whisper that Your

power is made perfect in weakness. Pour out your living water upon us this morning. Wash away our shame, refresh our spirits, and renew our strength. Help us to see ourselves as You see us, not as damaged goods, but as beloved children made whole by Your mercy. In the name of Jesus Christ, who meets us where we are and loves us into new life, Amen.

A Time of Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Philip

Time of Quiet for Personal Prayer

The 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation and deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading #1: Romans 8:31-39

Bev Svoboda

What, then, shall we say in response to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all--how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things? Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies. Who then is the one who condemns? No one. Christ Jesus who died--more than that, who was raised to life--is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us. Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword? As it is written: "For your sake we face death all day long; we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered." No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Scripture Reading #2: Isaiah 43:1-2

But now, this is what the LORD says--he who created you, Jacob, he who formed you, Israel: "Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned you by name; you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze.

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God

All: Thanks be to God

**Hymn of Reflection: * "How Firm a Foundation" (vs 1-4)
UMH #529**

Message: "No Damaged Goods Here" Pastor Philip

We Share Our Gifts Pastor Philip
Noisy Change

Music During Offering: Michael Snyder

"You Are Mine"

David Haas, arranged by Mark Hayes

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Doxology: *
UMH #95 **"Praise God From Whom all Blessings Flow"**

Closing Hymn: **"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" UMH #121**

Benediction:

Music for Going Forth:

Michael Snyder

"Call to Victory"

David Paxton

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