

Order of Service

September 1, 2024

9:30 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

We gather to worship the One who crafted creation out of chaos,

**Our cries of joy join the anthems of the universe.**

We gather to lift our praise to the God who gives us voice,

**We bring the songs which have echoed in our hearts all week long.**

We gather as the children of God, our joy unbroken in God's love.

**Young and old, tone deaf and perfect-pitched, lift the new, new songs of faith.**

Hymn No. 8

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Morning Prayer & Offering

Scripture Lessons

Psalm 30:1-5

(pew bible pg. 867)

John 15:9-11

(pew bible pg. 1677)

Sermon

Hymn vs. 1-3 (opposite)

“I Come with Joy”

Communion Prayer

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 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.**

Distribution of the Bread and Juice

Prayer of Thanksgiving

**Bountiful and gracious God, we give thanks that you have refreshed us at your table where we have tasted your nourishing and nurturing presence revealed in the Risen Christ. We have rested in the depth of your love and accepted you into our bodies and our lives. Now send us forth to be your presence of hope, love, grace, and forgiveness. Amen.**

Hymn No. 62

“God Be With You Till We Meet Again”

Blessing

Postlude

# I Come with Joy to Meet My Lord

1. I come with joy to meet my Lord, For -  
 2. I come with Chris - tians far and near To  
 3. As Christ breaks bread and bids us share Each  
 4. And thus with joy we meet our Lord. His  
 5. To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound, We'll

giv - en, loved, and free, In awe and won - der  
 find, as all are fed, The new com - mu - ni -  
 proud di - vi - sion ends. The love that made us  
 pres - ence, al - ways near, Is in such friend - ship  
 go our dif - f'rent ways, And as his peo - ple

to re - call His life laid down for me.  
 ty of love In Christ's com - mu - nion bread.  
 makes us one, And stran - gers now are friends.  
 bet - ter known; We see and praise him here.  
 in the world, We'll live and speak his praise.



**Next Sunday, September 8th at 10:00 a.m.: TCC Open House**

TCC Open House will be outdoors, weather permitting, and there are some wonderful activities in the works as well as drinks/snacks. We are looking forward to a morning of fellowship and connection, as well as showing everyone our wonderful community. You are all invited to attend!

**This Morning's Greeters:** Barbara Janczunski

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**Ways to Give:**

- Place an offering in the plate near the door of the sanctuary.
- Give online via our TCC website: [www.tccnorton.org/giving](http://www.tccnorton.org/giving)
- Use your mobile device by downloading the free Vanco Mobile app.



**TCC Prayers and Blessings:**

The family and friends of Richie Chiasson, on his passing.

Sandy Anderson; Pat Wedge; Mal Haskins; Jim Stewart; Becky McGrath; Karen Antonio;  
Pat Scagnoli; Ed Dearborn; Margaret Blake; Lauren Penta, friend of Donna & Paul Salvas;  
Colin Fisher, son in-law of Marsha & Ted Christensen; Cathy Silvia, friend of Pat Hamilton;  
Jay Marquis, cousin of Paul Salvas

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**Thank you for joining us today!**

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No matter who you are...

or where you are  
on life's journey...

**YOU are  
welcome here.**

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