

Welcome to our Service of Worship

*In God's house there are no strangers.
If you have come as a visitor today,
We hope you will leave as a friend!*

Mission Statement

***To make Christ visible in our lives, our church,
our community and our world***

GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

Announcements

Contemporary Song

Children message

Old Testament Lesson: Psalms 98

Call To Worship:

**Leader: Praise the LORD! Yes! Give praise, O
servants of the LORD. Praise in the name of the
LORD! Rejoice that the name of the Lord shall
be blessed forever.**

**People: From the east to the west, and everywhere.
We praise the name of the LORD. For the LORD is high
above all nations. And His glory is far greater than the
heavens.**

**Leader: Who can be compared with the LORD
our God? He who is enthroned on high? For, far
below Him, are the heavens and the earth.**

**All: There isn't and shall never be anyone
greater! He lifts the poor from the dirt, and the
needy from the garbage dump. He sets them
along princes, even the princes of His own
people!**

Prayer

**Almighty Father, All praise to You, who has
turned our fears to joys, and our sighs to song.
We ask Thee to fill our lives in every part with
praise. We ask Thee, that our whole beings,
may proclaim Your being, in Your ways. We lift
up to Thee in praise and offering, for You
touched us and we remain in Your peace. Amen.**

***Hymn # 246**

**Message: "I don't sing because I'm happy, I'm
happy because I sing." – William James**

HYMN: # 139

GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND TO THE WORD

JOYS AND CONCERNS PRAYER REQUEST

Offering and Prayer

**PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR
OFFERINGS**