

ORDER OF WORSHIP

November 9, 2008

8:30 A.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Welcome, Registration, & News)

*OPENING PRAYER

*God of promise and presence, you have brought us here in your love.
Help us feel your presence and become ready again to proclaim
your healing mercy to all people.
Challenge us and awaken our spirits to the awesome journey
that lies ahead. In Christ's name, we pray. AMEN.*

*OPENING PRAISE

Give Me Oil in My Lamp

More Precious than Silver

Christ Beside Me

TFWS 2065

TFWS 2166

TIME OF PRAYER

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Song for Prayer

Surely the Presence of the Lord

UMH 328

Pastoral Prayer

COMMUNITY TIME (All children are invited to come forward.)

STEWARDSHIP PRESENTATION

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

On Jordan's Stormy Banks

Hayes

*DEDICATION SONG

Give Thanks

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*OFFERING PRAYER

HEBREW SCRIPTURE

Psalm 78:1-7

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 25:1-13

ANTHEM *Carillon Ringers*

Fairest Lord Jesus

arr. Sherman

Mike Mantz, Kim Kucharski, flutes

MESSAGE

"Be Prepared for the Trip"

Dr. Jerry Larsen

*THE PEACE (Greet one another with the words and signs of God's peace.)

*CLOSING SONG

I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

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*LORD'S PRAYER

*Please stand as you are able.

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