

We are an imperfect community striving to live into the beautiful story of God in our wonderful yet broken city. We invite you to join us as we seek God's glory and neighbor's good together!

WORSHIP NOTES:

- Welcome! If you would like to find out more about our community or speak with one of the pastors, text WELCOME to 773.645.9335 or email Pastor Aaron (aaron@rescov.org). We'd love to connect with you.
- Children are welcomed and encouraged to join us in the worship service. During the summer, we provide a nursery for infants (unstaffed) on the main floor and childcare for toddlers in the basement for the duration of worship. There is also a "quiet space" in the back of the sanctuary where children are welcome to play.
 - Pre-K Activities: Following the Passing of the Peace, Pre-school through Kindergarten aged children are invited to line up in the Narthex for class lasting until communion.
- "Be Thou My Vision" is a hymn text dating from at least the eighth century that takes its inspiration from the story of St. Patrick defying the High King Logaire of Tara. The king declared that no one was to light any fires before the pagan spring festival, when a ceremonial fire would be lit on Tara Hill. Defying the orders, St. Patrick lit the ritual fire for the Easter Vigil, declaring his allegiance to the High King of heaven rather than any earthly king.
- "El Señor Es Mi Pastor" is the refrain of a longer version of Psalm 23 by Ricardo Villarreal.
- "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" is a metric version of Psalm 23 written by Sir Henry William Baker and first appeared in the 1868 Appendix to *Hymns Ancient & Modern* (1861). Our version includes a new melody and added refrain from the group I Am They.
- The bulletin art is an anonymous Persian depiction of the Sermon on the Mount.

Ordinary Time is the span of the church calendar that runs between Eastertide and Advent. It received its name not because of its ordinariness, but from the word "ordinal" which simply means counted. It is the time also known as the Season of the Church where we celebrate the growth and mission of the Church through the work of Christ. Because the themes of growth and new life are so prevalent, the color of the season is green.

Aaron Johnson, Dave Bjorlin, Jen Gillan, and
Kyle Mecher serve as our pastors.



Sermon on the Mount

GATHERING

Call to Worship*

The Lord is our shepherd:

we will lack nothing.

When we are led by still waters:

we will lack nothing.

When we are led through the valley of the shadow of death:

we will lack nothing.

When we eat at God's table in the house of the LORD:

we will lack nothing.Come and worship our Shepherd God,
who gives us all that we need.

Songs of Faith and Praise*

*El Señor Es Mi Pastor/My Shepherd is the Lord**Your Grace Is Enough**The King of Love My Shepherd Is*

Prayer of Confession

God of abundance,**you have called us to store up our treasures in heaven,
yet we confess our idolatry to wealth.****We find our value in what we own,
grasp after our neighbor's belongings,****and hoard the possessions you have called us to share.****Forgive us and set us free from our consuming prison,
that we may be centered on your Son's way of simplicity
for the sake of our neighbors and the world.**

~silent confession~

Assurance of Pardon

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

Passing of the Peace*

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Song*

*Jesus, Be the Centre***WORD**

Old Testament Lesson

Proverbs 16:1-3, 8-9, 16-20

Gospel Lesson*

Matthew 6:19-23

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Reading and Reflection

Pastor Aaron

RESPONSE

Hymn*

Be Thou My Vision (#412)

Prayers of the People

Lord's prayer (*debts, debtors*)

Offering

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Holy Communion

SENDING

Life Together

Charge & Benediction*

*Stand, as you are able