

Confirmation Sunday

**PRELUDE** | *Praise to the Lord the Almighty* by Jason D. Payne | Susan Carroll, organ

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** | *Rev. Jordan Bucey* 

#### \*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP | K.C. Claflin, 2024 Confirmand

- One: Family of God, we gather as who we are, and we bring what we have.
- All: Let us encounter the new thing God is doing among us.
- One: Everything we do is changed by each new person among us.
- All: We are ready to do what God has called us to do.
- One: God is with us in the change. God promises to help us navigate life's new paths.
- All: Thank God we are all here and has called us into this new thing. Amen.

\*OPENING HYMN #493 | In the Bulb There Is a Flower

## **\*PASSING OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER | *Noelle Thompson and Maya Thompson, 2024 Confirmands* 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. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil; For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**OFFERTORY** | *The Times They Are A-Changing* by Bob Dylan, arr. Adam Podd | AHCC Sanctuary Choir Violet Falkowski, soloist

Come gather 'round, people, wherever you roam, And admit that the waters around you have grown, And accept it that soon you'll be drenched to the bone. If your time to you is worth saving, And you better start swimmin' or you'll sink like a stone, For the times, they are a-changin'. Come mothers and fathers throughout the land, And don't criticize what you can't understand. Your sons and your daughters are beyond your command, Your old road is rapidly agin'. Please get out of the new one if you can't lend your hand, For the times, they are a-changin'. The line, it is drawn, the curse, it is cast. The slow one now will later be fast. As the present now will later be past, The order is rapidly fadin'. And the first one now will later be last, For the times, they are a-changin'.

# \*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SCRIPTURE | 1 John 3:16-24 and John 10:11-18 | Maya Mattamana and Zachary Orsey, 2024 Confirmands

**SERMON** | *Inspired* | *Rev. Jordan Bucey* 

**ACT OF CONFIRMATION** | *Elise Hopkins Gallegos, 2024 Confirmation Leader While the individual confirmand is receiving their blessing, family & friends are invited to stand as witnesses of support and love.* 

CLOSING HYMN #464 | Take My Life and Let It Be

### BENEDICTION

**POSTLUDE** | Be Thou My Vision arr. by Joseph Martin | Susan Carroll, piano

\*Please rise on your feet or in your heart.

### 2024 CONFIRMANDS

Anslea Aucoin Janai Ayala Ashton Beckett Zoe Buffat Ella Chabot Kadin Claflin-Coy Anya Dausey Trae Ford Gianna Giacchi Mia Magnusson Maya Mattamana Elsie Muska Zachary Orsey Sophie Scurr Stella Scurr Benjamin Sturm Maya Thompson Noelle Thompson Faraja Williams Aryana Zahn Victorya Zahn