

# 24th Sunday after Pentecost

October 30, 2016 ♦ 11:00 a.m. Worship

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## GATHERING

### Welcome

**Prelude**                      *Prelude on Amazing Grace*                      Christiansen

### \*Call to Worship

Leader: Bless the Lord, O my soul!

**People: And all that is within me, bless God's holy name!**

Leader: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all God's benefits.

**People: The Lord forgives all our iniquity, and heals all our diseases.**

Leader: The Lord redeems our lives from the pit, and crowns us with steadfast love and mercy:

**People: God satisfies us with good as long as we live so that our youth is renewed like the eagle's. Amen.**

\*Hymn #110    *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

### Opening Prayer

**Almighty and everlasting God, who can banish all affliction both of soul and of body, show forth your power upon those in need, that by your mercy they may be restored to serve you afresh in holiness of living, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## PROCLAMATION

**Old Testament Reading** – Isaiah 43:1-3a, 18-19, 25

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

\*Psalter – Psalm 103:1-19    Hymnal, Page 824, Response 1

### \*Gloria Patri #70

**Epistle Reading** – James 5:14-16a

\*Hymn #375    *There Is a Balm in Gilead*

\*Gospel Reading – Mark 5:21-43

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

### Children's Message

**Sermon** - "Healing and Wholeness"

Pastor Alan

## RESPONSE

\*Affirmation of Faith #881 – The Apostles' Creed

### Prayers of the People

*The Pastor will lift up a series of petitions. After each petition:*

Leader: Lord in your mercy

People: Hear our Prayer.

### Invitation

**Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon** (UMH, #890)

\*Passing of the Peace

**Offering & Offertory**

*It Is Enough*  
Sanctuary Choir

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\*Doxology (UMH #95)

## THANKSGIVING & COMMUNION

\*The Great Thanksgiving (UMH, pg. 17, Setting A)

\*The Lord's Prayer

**Thanksgiving Over Oil**

**Sharing of the Bread & Cup**

**Prayer After Receiving** (UMH, pg. 11)

## SENDING FORTH

\*Hymn #399

*Take My Life, and Let It Be*

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

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*\*For those who are able, please stand*