

ORDER OF SERVICE FOR REIGN OF CHRIST/SCOTTISH SUNDAY

PRELUDE

Brad Slocum

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Wes Nordman

CALL TO WORSHIP

May a joyful noise to the Lord,
All the earth
Worship the Lord with gladness;
Come into God's presence with singing.

HYMN OF PRAISE Crown Him with Many Crowns

CALL TO CONFESSION

With sincere and repentant hearts,
let us name our sins against Christ and one another.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

**Sovereign God, we confess
that we are not ready for your holy realm.
You guide us toward right paths,
but we refuse to follow where you lead.
You love and feed and care for us,
but we fail to love and serve others.
Forgive us, merciful God,
so that we may return to your fold
and rejoice in your presence;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
the Lamb upon the throne. Amen.**

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

However long we wander,
however far we stray,
God's steadfast love endures forever.
Sisters and brothers, be assured:
in Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

PASSING CHRIST'S PEACE

As our Lord gives peace to us, let us share this peace
with each other saying, "The peace of Christ be with you."
And also with you.
Let us exchange words and signs of peace.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Wes

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Joseph Gormley

Go out into the world with courage,
supporting the ways he gives light to those who sit
in darkness
and guides our feet in the way of peace.

POSTLUDE