

November 19, 2023  
10 am

## Anniversary Sunday



### Prelude

### Call to Worship

One: We remember the presence of God

**All: as we look to our past.**

One: We encounter God today

**All: as we celebrate the gifts of faith community.**

One: We look to the future

**All: confident in the presence and love of God.**

### Hymn 799 *God is here! as we your people meet*

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### Welcome & Land Acknowledgement

#### Gathering Prayer *concluding with the sung Lord's Prayer*

Contemporary Lord's Prayer. Music: Richard Langdon,  
adapted by Mary-Catherine Pazzano. Public Domain

### Assurance of God's Grace

#### Peace Invocation: *Walking the path of peace*

Words David Adam, Music Margaret Rizza

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I am walking a path of peace (x3)

lead me home, lead me home.

### Fun with the Young at Heart

#### Reflection *You Raise Me Up with Be Still My Soul*

Knox Chancel Choir

Words & Music Rolf Lovland and Brendan Graham, arr. Tom Fettke,  
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**Scripture** 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11  
Matthew 25:14-30

**Wondering** The Rev. Amanda Currie

### Hymn 663 *God, whose giving knows no ending*

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### Life and Ministry of Knox Waterloo

### Invitation to Offering

#### Offertory *Touch the Earth Lightly*

Music Swee Hong Lim, arr. Tamryn Parker-Carver

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### Doxology: *We give you but your own*

Words William Walsham How, Music Konig's harmonischer  
Liederschatz, arr. William Henry Havergal  
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We give you but your own,

whate'er the gift may be;

all that we have is yours alone,

a trust, O God, from thee.

### Prayer of Thanksgiving and Hope

### Hymn 743 *Lead on, eternal Sovereign*

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### Blessing

#### Sending Song: *Walk with me*

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Walk with me;

I will walk with you

and, hand-in-hand

throughout the land,

let love shine through.

## **Postlude**

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### **Worship Leaders:**

The Rev. Amanda Currie

The Rev. Courtney Crawford (she/her)

The Rev. Hugh Donnelly (he/him)

Mary-Catherine Pazzano (she/her)

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