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LIFE IN THE WILDERNESS is our Lenten theme this year. And we are being invited to:

LISTEN for the singing bowl that will call us to attention.

LISTEN for the voice of the Spirit as we spend moments in silence.

COME to the TABLE in communion more often.

And WAIT for our untamable GOD to bring WILDLY GOOD NEWS to our Life in the Wilderness.

# Call to Worship

Songs: *I owe my Lord a morning song* green,112

Singing Bowl

Welcome and Opening Words

Prayer

Songs: Come to me, come to us purple, 60

We are often tossed and driv'n purple, 72

Have mercy on us, Lord purple, 67

# **Hearing God's Word**

Song: *Will the children?* insert Children's Time Bob Gerber

Offering

Song: *I am the God that leads* insert

Scripture: John 2: 13-17

Sermon: "Getting angry with Jesus" Joanne Gallardo

# Responding

Confession Silence

Words of Assurance

Song of Response: *I bind my heart this tide* blue, 411 Congregational Sharing and Prayer Judy Weaver

# Transition to Fellowship and Sunday School

Welcome & Introduction of Visitors

(Please pass the friendship registers.)

**Announcements** 

Sending Song: *The peace of the earth be with you* green, 77

#### **Worship Participants**

Worship Leader: Hannah Heinzekehr

Song Leader: Greg Smucker

Accompanist: Andy Martin, Seth Krabill, Dan Schrock

Offertory: Grant Miller Visuals: Leah Garboden

Ushers: Anita and Dale Snyder AV Operator: Phil Bauman

Hearing assistance devices are available in the room beside the doors to the sanctuary. Please see the A/V operator if you would like one.

We offer childcare during worship after children's time for infants & toddlers. Children under 2 years of age may go to the Cherub Corner room, while 2 and 3 year olds may go to the MYF room.

Infant Care: Leah Garboden, Sherry Wenger Toddler Care: Joe Locke, Jenny Miller, Anna & Isaac Sawatzky

#### **Nurture Hour**

Sunday school begins at 11:00 a.m. and ends at 12:00 p.m. First enjoy a time of fellowship after the worship service.

- INFANTS & TODDLERS (ages 0-2) Cherub corner
- PRESCHOOL I (age 3) Joyful class
- PRESCHOOL II (ages 4-5) Forgiveness class
- PRIMARY (grade 1-2) Peaceful class
- MIDDLER (grade 3-5) Gentleness class
- JUNIOR YOUTH JYF (grades 6-8) off Jubilee Hall
- HIGH SCHOOL MYF (grades 9-12) off Jubilee Hall
- COLLEGE Library
- ADULTS
  - Better than a Donut end of hallway
  - Colossian Way (closed group) off Jubilee Hall
  - Women's Bible Study Sanctuary
  - Sermon Response off Jubilee Hall
  - Sojourners (30s and 40s) Sanctuary
  - Women Tending Our Souls Office

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