

## ORDER OF WORSHIP - March 22, 2020

Gathering Thoughts: *The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want.* - Psalm 23:1

Announcements

Call to Worship: *(Ephesians 5:8-9)*

Leader: For once you were darkness,

**People: but now in the Lord you are light.**

Leader: Live as children of light

**People: for the fruit of the light is found in all that is good and right and true.**

Unison Prayer: *(adapted from Junius Dotson. The Africana Worship Book: Year A. Copyright 2006 (Nashville: Discipleship Resources, 2006), 57.*

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

**The world offers busy schedules and more stuff to do, but God offers rest. The world offers faster cars and bigger houses, but God offers comfort. The world offers war and terror, but God offers protection. The world offers material goods that satisfy temporarily, but God offers goodness and mercy. The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not be in want! Amen.**

Opening Hymn: "Come and Find the Quiet Center" TWFS 2128

Scripture: Psalm 23 Anne Jackson

Sermon: "**Balance**" Hannah Jackson / Pastor Kent Jackson

Special Music Adam Jackson

Pastoral Prayer / The Lord's Prayer

Closing Hymn: "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" UM Hymnal 138

Benediction