# AACRC Worship Order • 10:30am January 14, 2024 • 2nd Sunday after Epiphany

**Prelude:** O Give the Lord Wholehearted Praise

Albin Whitworth

## Call to Worship

**Song:** Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Red Hymnal 575

# **Prayer of Confession**

God of all mercy, in our baptisms you mark us as your own. You give us a new identity and graft us into body of Christ, calling us to rise to new life and live together in community. Forgive us for selectively hearing this call. We have forged our own identity and sought security in other places. We have failed to welcome others, broken bonds with brothers and sisters, and served ourselves more than you. Forgive us, we pray, for the sake of Christ, our Savior. Amen.

#### Words of Assurance

Call to New Obedience: Baptisms and Welcome of New Members

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

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We welcome you into the body of Christ and into the mission we share.

Join us in giving thanks and praise to God,

And in bearing God's creative and redeeming Word to all the world.

## Children's Blessing

(3-5-year-old children are invited to Children's Worship in room 29)

Song: Speak, O Lord

Red Hymnal 755

Scripture: I Samuel 3:1-20

**Sermon:** The Lamp of God Pastor Mike Hoogeboom

The Lord's Supper

**Communion Songs:** 

God, We Sing Your Glorious Praises As We Gather at Your Table Red Hymnal 519 Green Songbook 245

As you come forward, there is an offering plate available to present your gifts and offerings for the Lord's work through AACRC.

Prayers of the People

Sending Song: We Will Extol You, God and King

Red Hymnal 562

We Receive God's Blessing

Postlude: We Will Extol You, God and King

Pastor Noah (Worship Leader), Pastor Mike & Pastor Kristen (Liturgists) Jack Stephenson (Bass), Adam Langs (Drums), Marilyn McLaughlin (Keys), Jan Musch (Organ/Piano), Kim Hubers (Vocals)