

Order of Worship
Tenth Sunday After Pentecost
August 6, 2023

The Rev. Dr. Rosanna Anderson, Designated Term Pastor
Diane Dawson Dexter, Organist

Prelude “To a Wild Rose” Edward MacDowell

Welcome and Announcements Dr. Anderson

Call to Worship (from Psalm 145)
The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding
in steadfast love.

**God is good to all, and his compassion is over all that he has
made.**

The LORD upholds all who are falling, and raises up all who are
bowed down.

Let us worship God!

Opening Prayer

**Dear God, giver of life and health, your Son Jesus Christ has
called us to hunger and thirst for right to prevail. Refresh us
with your grace, that we may not be weary in well-doing, for
the sake of him who meets all our needs: Jesus Christ our
Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one
God forever. Amen.**

Hymn 171 “Jesus, There Is Something About That Name”

Prayer of Confession

**Eternal God, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and
whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: cleanse
us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts
and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we
may draw near to you, confiding in your grace, and finding in
you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ, the way,
the truth, and the life. Amen.**

Assurance of Forgiveness

Old Testament Psalm 148:1-14

New Testament Mark 13:14-27

Sermon “All You Shining Stars” Dr. Rosanna Anderson

Offertory “Make Me a Servant” Kelly Willard

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

**God of peace, you are kind and generous to all who seek you.
By your Spirit, incline our hearts to compassion for our
neighbors so that we will share what we have received. We
pray through Christ our Lord, who loves each person. Amen.**

Invitation to the Lord’s Supper

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

(Prayer continues.) ... Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices
with the choirs of angels, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and
with all the faithful of every time and place who forever sing to the
glory of your name:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in
the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

(Prayer continues.) ... Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Prayers of the Church and the Lord's Prayer (*trespasses*)

Sharing of the Elements and Prayer After Communion

Hymn 585 "This Little Light of Mine"

Benediction

Postlude "Hallelujah" G. F. Handel

Church Calendar

Wednesday, August 2 **Bible Study:** Chapters 10 and 11
8:00 – 9:00 am Join us at Union Chapel or online.

Thursday, August 10 **Vespers on the Beach**
6:00 – 6:30 pm at South Beach through August 31

Friday, August 11 **Pizza & Games Night at Union Chapel**
6:00 – 7:30 pm Families with students in grades 6 – 12

Sunday, August 13 **Beach Church** 8:00 – 8:30 am
Worship 10:00 – 11:00 am at Union Chapel and live stream

Wednesday, August 16 **Bible Study:** Chapters 12 and 13
8:00 – 9:00 am Join us at Union Chapel or online.

Friday, August 18 **Launch of the Media Lab for Good**
5:00 - 6:00 pm Enjoy refreshments, hear about upcoming projects

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