

Traditional Worship Service

When Religion Gets In The
Way of God

February 9, 2025

When Jesus Makes Our Lives
Difficult

Length
in mins

5:00 Prelude

1:30 Live Stream Startup

5:00 Welcome & Announcements

1:00 Call To Worship

Liturgist: Rev. Doug McKinney

Leader: Throughout all our lives God is with us.

People: Praise be to God for God's mercy and love.

Leader: Even when we begin to worship the wrong things, God's presence is near.

People: When we sin and go astray, God will forgive us and call us to come home.

L: Open your hearts today to God's generous love and grace.

All: We open our lives to God, that we may faithfully serve God all our days. Amen.

0:00 *O God, Our Help In Ages Past*

UMH #117, vs, 1-4

1:00 Unison Prayer

All: Gracious God, as we gather here, we realize that sometimes we put things of this world over our love and worship of you. Help us to be faithful disciples in all that we think, do and say. And as we worship you today, forgive us, heal us, and let your great love be revealed in us and through us. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

3:30 Special Music

"Be Still," Chorale

0:00 Children's Music

"I've Got The Joy, Joy, Joy", Children's Choir and Recorder Ensemble

5:00 A Time for Children

Noelle Allison, Director of Children and Families

Indicate special props, placement and movement if known.

1:00 Scripture Readings

Psalm 146

5:00 Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

0:00 Offering Moment

Announcement from Endowment Committee about Youth Scholarships

1:00 Offering Our Gifts to The Lord - Breakthrough Prayer

O God, we offer ourselves to you. We are your people and this is your church. Use our gifts and breakthrough in new ways as we seek to love our neighbors and be a beacon of Christ-centered hope to our community. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

4:00 Offertory

"How Great Thou Art," Gene Olvera, Soloist

1:00 *Doxology*

20:00 Message

Title: When Religion Gets In The Way of God

Pastor Cody Anderson

Scripture: Mark 7:1-23

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0:00 *O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee*
UMH #430, vs. 1-4

1:00 **Benediction**

2:00 **Postlude**

48:30
