

# 6th Sunday of Easter

## May 5, 2024

### In Preparation for Worship

John's Gospel lesson today is about "finding", and "seeing". Jesus found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him...Come and see." When Jesus saw Nathanael he told him how He had seen him under a fig tree. Soon, the time would come when Nathanael would see greater things. "You will see Heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man." When Jesus finds us, our eyes are opened and we see things more clearly.

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude and Silent Meditation

"Brethren, We Have Met to Worship" (arr. Tedd Smith)

### Invocation

Words of Welcome and Concerns of the Church

Call to Worship

Leader: O Lord, you have searched me and known me. You discern my thoughts from far away.

People: Even before a word is on my tongue, O Lord, you know it completely.

Leader: I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works.

People: How weighty to me are your thoughts, O God! I try to count them, they are more than the sand.

Invocation and Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn of Praise

"As the Deer" #626

\*Apostle's Creed

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\*Gloria Patri

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### Dedication

Reading of the Word: John 1:43-51

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\*Doxology

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\*Prayer of Dedication

Anthem

8:30 a.m. "Revelation Song" Jeff Clise  
(words and music by Jennie Lee Riddle, arr. by Lloyd Larson)

11:00 a.m. "Agnus Dei" The Adult Choir  
(by Michael W. Smith)

### Supplication

Morning Prayer

Prayer Response

"Spirit of the Living God" #288

### Exposition

Children's Message/Kids of the Kingdom

\*Hymn

"Fairest Lord Jesus" #630

Preaching of the Word: "The Call of Philip & Nathaniel"

Prayer of Application

### Consecration

\*Hymn of Consecration

"I Sing the Mighty Power of God" #32

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

"When In Our Music God is Glorified" (arr. Sue Mitchell-Wallace)

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\* Congregation will stand if able

Offering plate is at the entrance to sanctuary!

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