

August 28, 2022  
 Message: Reset

Prelude	<i>Battle Belongs</i>	Praise Band
Welcome/Announcements		Rev. Melissa Porter-Miller
Opening Song	<i>Church (Take Me Back)</i>	

Opening Prayer		Rev. Melissa Porter-Miller
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Pastor: Let us pray.

**Spirit of the Living God,  
 we seek Your guidance.**

**We come in need of direction and encouragement,  
 for the life of faith can be challenging.**

**Equip us for faithfulness,  
 empower us to discern true kingdom values,  
 and inspire us to embody the gospel each day. AMEN.**

Children's Moment		Linda Biscardo
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Baptism	<i>Madison Elizabeth Langan</i>
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Leader: Do you, as Christ's body, the Church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?

**People: We do.**

Leader: Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include this child now before you in your care?

**People: With God's help we will proclaim the Good News and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround Madison with a community of love and forgiveness, that she may grow in her service to others. We will pray for her that she may be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to eternal life.**

Leader: Let us join together in professing the Christian faith as contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments. Do you believe in God the Father?

**People: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.**

Leader: Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

**People: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Leader: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

**People: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

### **Thanksgiving over the Water**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Pastor: Let us pray.

Eternal Father:

When nothing existed but chaos, you swept across the dark waters and brought forth light. In the days of Noah you saved those on the ark through water.

After the flood you set in the clouds a rainbow. When you saw your people as slaves in Egypt, you led them to freedom through the sea. Their children you brought through the Jordan to the land which you promised.

**People: Sing to the Lord, all the earth. Tell of God's mercy each day.**

Pastor: In the fullness of time you sent Jesus, nurtured in the water of a womb. He was baptized by John and anointed by your Spirit. He called his disciples to share in the baptism of his death and resurrection and to make disciples of all nations.

**People: Declare Christ's works to the nations, his glory among all the people.**

Pastor: Pour out your Holy Spirit, to bless this gift of water and she who receives it, to wash away her sin and clothe her in righteousness throughout her life, that, dying and being raised with Christ, she may share in his final victory.

**People: All praise to you, Eternal Father, through your Son Jesus Christ, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns forever. AMEN.**

Pastor: Now it is our joy to welcome our new sister in Christ.

**People: Through baptism you are incorporated by the Holy Spirit into God's new creation and made to share in Christ's royal priesthood. We are all one in Christ Jesus. With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you as a member of the family of Christ.**

Baptismal Song

*God Claims You*

Prayers of the People

Sarah Chambers

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name,  
 Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,  
 On earth as it is in heaven.  
 Give us this day our daily bread  
 And forgive us our trespasses  
 as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
 And lead us not into temptation,  
 But deliver us from evil.  
 For Thine is the kingdom,  
 and the power and the glory. Forever. AMEN.**

Offering Song	<i>The Heart of Worship</i>	Praise Band
Offering Prayer		
New Testament Reading	Galatians 5:24-6:10	Lisa Dickinson
Message	Reset	Rev. Melissa Porter-Miller
Closing Song	<i>God My Rock</i>	Praise Band
Benediction		Rev. Melissa Porter-Miller
Postlude	<i>Church (Reprise)</i>	Praise Band