

## MORNING WORSHIP

January 24, 2010

9:30 A.M.

(\* indicates congregation will please stand)

### WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome-Ron Ackerman

\* Call to Worship:

*Leader: Sing praises to God, O you saints, and give thanks to His holy name!*

**People: We exalt you, O God, for you have restored us to life!**

*Leader: We may cry through the night, but your joy comes with the morning.*

**People: You hear us, O God, and you are gracious in our distress.**

*Leader: You turn our mourning into dancing! Our souls cannot be silent!*

**People: O God, our Savior, we give thanks to you forever!**

\* Opening Hymn: *I Worship You, O Lord* #30, *Psalter Hymnal*

\* We Greet One Another

\* Song of Commitment: *In the Bleak Midwinter* (see insert)

\* Opening Prayer

### WE ARE RENEWED IN GOD'S GRACE

Prayer of Confession and Intercession:

*The Lord Is My Light* #206, *Sing! a new creation*

Assurance of Pardon: 1 John 1:5-7

### WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon-Jeff Kopaska

Scripture: John 4:14-30 (p. 948)

Message: **Good News to the Poor**

Prayer of Application

### WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

\* Hymn of Response: *Your Hands, O Lord, in Days of Old* #363, *Psalter Hymnal*

Morning Prayer

Offering (The second offering is for CRWRC-Haiti.)

Offertory sung by Nancy Berns

(While the offering is being taken, please sign and pass the red fellowship pads.)

\* Hymn of Dedication: *Take Us As We Are, O God* #125, *Sing! a new creation*

### WE DEPART TO SERVE

\* Blessing from God

\* Closing Hymn: *Blest Are They* #122, *Sing! a new creation*

\* Postlude

Organ/Piano: John Verkade