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We acknowledge that we are gathered on land that was entrusted by Creator God to the Anishinaabeg, Ininiwak, Anisininewuk, Dakota Oyate and Dene, the National Homeland of the Red River Métis, Treaty One land.

January 5, 2025
Theme: The Road Isn't Straight

### **God Gathers Us In Community**

Land Acknowledgment

Welcome

Call to Worship

Songs: ...... Go Tell It On The Mountain Hymn Book #133

Arise And Shine

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Passing the Peace

Announcements:

**BIG Deal Sunday** 

Offering

### We Listen to God and Respond in Faith

Song: ...... We Three Kings Hymn Book #173

Scripture: Isaiah 43:16-21

Matthew 2:1-12

Message: The Road Isn't Straight Affirmation of Faith (Unison - on screen)

We believe in a with-us God.

a God who is beside us in the mountains and valleys,

holding our hand through every bump and turn.

And in the chaos of our journey,

we believe that God sees

what we cannot always see:

a path home by another way.

Therefore, trusting in this ever-present and guiding God,

we lace up our shoes.

We look for God's fingerprints in the world.

We trust that there are paths still unexplored,

paths that God has only begun to invite us down.

And like the Magi, we dare to follow.

May it be so, Amen.

#### **We Share Communion**

Song: ..... Let There Be Light Hymn Book #727

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving (no responses)

Words of Institution

Communion

## Prayer After Communion

# We Are Sent Out with Joy

Song: ..... All To Us

Benediction

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