**Hymns for**

**January 12, 2025**

**9:30 a.m.**

**These are the hymns and responses that will be sung during the service.**

Hymn 480:  *Take Me to the Water* (all 4 verses)

**Take me to the water. Take me to the water.  
Take me to the water to be baptized.**

**I love Jesus. I love Jesus.  
I love Jesus, yes, I do.**

**He’s my Savior. He’s my Savior.**

**He’s my Savior, yes, he is.**

**Glory hallelujah. Glory hallelujah,  
Glory hallelujah to be baptized.**

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Hymn 482: *Baptized in Water* (all 3 verses)

**Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit,  
Cleansed by the blood ff Christ our King;  
Heirs of salvation, trusting the promise,  
Faithfully now God’s praises we sing.**

**Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit,  
Dead in the tomb with Christ our King;  
One with his rising, freed and forgiven,  
Thankfully now God’s praises we sing.**

**Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit,  
Marked with the sign of Christ our King;  
Born of the Spirit, we are God’s children;  
Joyfully now God’s praises we sing.**

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Hymn 488: *I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry* (all verses)

**“I was there to hear your borning cry;**

**I’ll be there when you are old.**

**I rejoiced the day you were baptized**

**To see your life unfold.**

**I was there when you were but a child**

**With a faith to suit you well;**

**In a blaze of light you wandered off**

**To find where demons dwell.”**

**“When you heard the wonder of the Word,**

**I was there to cheer you on.**

**You were raised to praise the living Lord**

**To whom you now belong.**

**If you find someone to share your time**

**And join your heart as one,**

**I’ll be there to make your verses rhyme**

**From dusk to rising sun.”**

**“In the middle ages of your life,**

**Not too old, no longer young,**

**I’ll be there to guide you through the night,**

**Complete what I’ve begun.**

**When the evening gently closes in**

**And you shut your weary eyes,**

**I’ll be there as I have always been**

**With just one more surprise.”**

**“I was there to hear your borning cry;**

**I’ll be there when you are old.**

**I rejoiced the day you were baptized**

**To see your life unfold.**

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Hymn 475:  *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing* (all 3 verses)

**Come, Thou Fount of every blessing;  
Tune my heart to sing thy grace;  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,  
Call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
Sung by flaming tongues above;  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,  
Mount of God’s unchanging love.**

**Here I raise my Ebenezer;  
Hither by thy help I'm come;  
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure,  
Safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger,  
Wandering from the fold of God;  
He, to rescue me from danger,  
Interposed his precious blood.**

**O, to grace, how great a debtor,  
Daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let that grace, now, like a fetter,  
Bind my wandering heart to thee.  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,  
Prone to leave the God I love;  
Here's my heart, O take and seal it;  
Seal it for thy courts above.**

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