



GRACE UNITED CHURCH

The Baptism of the Lord

February 15, 2026, at 10:30 a.m.

Guest Worship Leader: Jennifer Franczek

Presider: Myrna Adams-Falujo

Music Director: Don Salfarlie

GATHERING TO WORSHIP GOD

Band Prelude: Love Divine, All Loves Excelling R. H. Prichard

Welcome, Announcements

& Traditional Land Acknowledgment Myrna Adams-Falujo

Call to Worship

Myrna Adams-Falujo

One: We gather today in a season full of reminders about love—love that shows up in history, love that shows up in courage, and love that sometimes shows up with chocolate and awkward cards.

All: We come to worship the God who is love.

One: We remember stories of Black leaders, elders, artists, and everyday people who loved justice enough to speak, loved community enough to stand firm, and loved God enough to hope for more.

All: We come to honour love that acts, love that resists, love that heals.

One: Whether our hearts feel full, bruised, hopeful, or a little tired today—God meets us here.

All: Let us worship the God whose love is wider than history, stronger than fear, and always still unfolding. Amen.

Lighting the Christ Candle

Myrna Adams-Falujo

Opening Prayer

The Lord's Prayer:

Voices United #960

Praise and Worship 1:

Every Praise

H. Walker & J. F. Bratton

Children's Moment:

Song: Jesus Loves Me

Led by Andy Keay VU #365

Children leave for Sunday School

TO DISCOVER THE WORD OF GOD FOR TODAY

Scripture Reading: Revelation 7:9

NIV

Eugenie Dover

One: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

All: Thanks be to God!

Choir Anthem: Think About His Love

Walt Harrah

Sermon: A LOVE that looks like everyone

Jennifer Franczek

TO RESPOND IN FAITH AND HOPE

Offering Invitation

Band Offertory: There is a Balm in Gilead

Voices United #612

Offering Response: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

VU #541

Offertory Prayer

Prayers of the People

Praise and Worship 2:

Salvation Belongs to Our God

Adrian Howard & Pat Turner

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO LIVE ITS FAITH IN THE WORLD

Commissioning and Benediction

Choral Blessing: Go Now in Peace

D. Besig & N. Price

Band Postlude: He's Got the Whole World in His Hands Traditional