

## Traditional Worship | 9:00am | Sanctuary

### Welcome to Worship/Ways to Connect

#### Prelude

#### Call to Worship

Let us speak these words together,

As life tries to make us cynical,  
we strive to live like Christ.  
To compromise, stay connected,  
find relevance, live humbly in the face of pride,  
use our gifts to serve You while avoiding burnout  
and emptiness.

Let us worship God together! Amen!

**Gathering Hymn:** Son of God, Eternal Savior (ELW 655)

**Kyrie/Glory to God:** Setting 3 (pg 138)

#### Prayer of the Day

**Musical Offering:** Draw Me Nearer, Diane Sheets  
Traditional Choir

**Text:** 1 Kings 10

**Sermon:** Didn't See It Coming - Emptiness  
Pastor Doug Warburton

**Hymn of the Day:** God, When Human Bonds Are Broken  
(ELW 603)

#### Prayers

**Lord's Prayer/Communion/Offering**

**Lamb of God:** Setting 3 (pg 146)

**Communion Hymn:** My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less  
(ELW 597)

#### Communion Blessing

**Doxology:** Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow  
(ELW 885)

#### Benediction

**Sending Hymn:** Soon and Very Soon (ELW 439)

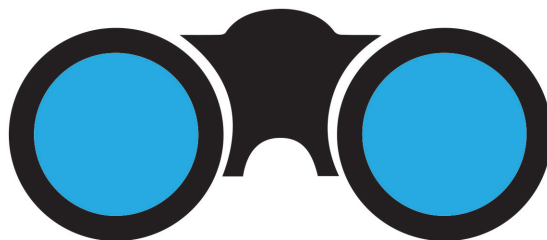
#### Sending Words

When we don't see it coming,  
**You are our vision.**  
When life's challenges threaten to overcome,  
**You are our peace.**  
Love like Christ and go in peace.  
**Thanks be to God!**

#### Postlude

### Welcome to Peace.

We are an active and open-minded community of believers, working to live out the love of Christ in a local and global setting. Our purpose is simple: to love God, neighbor, and self. If you are new to Peace, we encourage you to stop by our welcome desk to fill out a visitor form, this helps us get to know you better. Please visit our website for upcoming events, classes & groups.



## DIDN'T SEE IT COMING

### Sermon Series: Didn't See It Coming

We have been discussing the book, "Didn't See it Coming" by Cary Nieuwhof. Discussion questions are available on our website ([www.peacegahanna.org](http://www.peacegahanna.org)) that will follow our sermon series.

### Altar Flowers

**Sanctuary:** In memory of Rick Mileff on his birthday, today, by the Mileff family.

### Pet Blessing Sunday - October 2nd

Next Sunday we will be celebrating and blessing our pets in a special outdoor worship during our 10:30am service. Please remember to bring your chairs, blankets, and even treats for your pets. All pets are welcome!

### Get Connected at Peace

We have a lot of new and returning small groups that are starting to meet this fall. Small groups are a wonderful way of staying connected here at Peace. We have study groups, social groups and service groups available. Check out our website to see which group is the best for you!

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