

**First Baptist Church of West Allis
October 6, 2024**

Prelude "Entrée on 'We Gather Together'"
Arr. by Roberta Rowland-Raybold

Welcome

***Call to Worship** (from Psalm 124)

Leader: If it had not been for the LORD on our side,
People: Then they would have swallowed us up alive.
Leader: If it had not been for the LORD on our side,
People: Then the flood would have swept us away.
Leader: Blessed be the LORD!
People: Our help is in the name of the LORD!

***Opening Hymn** "Praise to the LORD, the Almighty" #319

Mission Moment

Offering

Musical Offering "Behold the Lamb"
Arr. by Larry Shackley
(The Communion Hymn)
Mary Schecher, Piano

We Lift Up Our Prayers

***Hymn** "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" #48

Scripture Esther 7: 1-10
James 5: 13-18

Sermon "Poetic Irony or Providential Care?"
Pastor Stephen

***Communion Hymn** "We Are One in Christ" #467

We Gather at the Lord's Table

***Closing Hymn** "Christians, Let Us Go and Serve Him" #514

Benediction

Postlude "In Thee is Gladness"
Arr. by Douglas E. Wagner