

Leader 1: The world asks us to measure our devotion, to calculate our risks, and to protect our own borders.

People: But Jesus sends us beyond the horizon, calling us to love without reservation.

Leader 2: You are sent to love the Lord with all your heart, soul, and mind.

People: We bring our passions, our deepest longings, and Spirit led ideas. We lay our whole selves before you, O God.

Leader 1: You are sent to love your neighbor as yourself.

People: Lord, break down the walls of our comfort. Open our eyes to see—the refugee, the hungry, the lonely, the stranger—and welcome all as family.

Leader 2: On these commandments hang all the law and the prophets. On these words rests our future.

People: We won't look back with longing for past ways of being, nor look forward with trembling fear.

Leader 1: The future waits. "The path will not always be easy, the choices will not always be clear, but the cause is sure..."
(Doctrine and Covenants 161:7)

All: Shaped by God and filled with the Holy Spirit, together with Christ we bravely step into the future, boldly sharing love with all we meet.

*Hymn of Sending Forth	CCS 624
"God of Grace and God of Glory"	
*Blessing	Deb Luce
*Postlude and Recessional	

INTO THE FUTURE

BOLD LOVE

BRAVE STEPS

CEDAR VALLEY-NAUVOO
MISSION CENTER CONFERENCE
OCTOBER 25, 2026

Evelyn Dustin
Robin Linkhart
presiding

Lindsay Hartman, pianist
Bruce Hagge, AV

All are welcome to stay for the
Noon meal.

Information Session 1:00 p.m.
Legislative Conference 1:30 p.m.

WELCOME TO CAMP NAUVOO

Prayer for Peace Lisa and Duane Webster
By Ryan Pitt, paraphrase from “Let There Be Peace on Earth,” CCS 307 (adapted)

Gathering Hymns
“For the Beauty of the Earth” CCS 130
“Now Sing to Our God” CCS 108

Welcome Evelyn Dustin
Call to Worship Psalm 100 NRSVue

*Hymn of Praise “Now in This Moment” CCS 96
*Invocation Mark Parrott
*Musician Response

Drama “The Measuring Tape of Love”

Hymn of Reflection “Speak O Lord” CCS 66
Verse one: **LOW** voices only
Verse two: **HIGH** voices only
Verse three: **ALL** Voices

Scripture Reading Matthew 22:34-40 NRSVue

The Message Debbie Bartlett

Embracing Presence John Saur

Hymn of Preparation “At the Heart of Sacred Calling” CCS 509

Ordination of Patrick Fairbrother to the office of high priest
High Priest Bishop Debbie Bartlett
High Priest Deb Batey, assisting

Charge to New Leaders Robin Linkhart

Setting Apart New Leaders

Hymn of Preparation CCS 636
“I Have Called You by Your Name” (**verse one**)

Mission Center President Team

Patrick Fairbrother
Evelyn Dustin, Robin Linkhart assisting
“I Have Called You by Your Name” (**verse two**)

Julie Parrott
Robin Linkhart, Evelyn Dustin assisting
“I Have Called You by Your Name” (**verse three**)

Mission Center Financial Officer Team

Cathy Reeves
Denise White, Robert Cook assisting
“I Have Called You by Your Name” (**verse four**)

Christine Fairbrother
Robert Cook, Denise White assisting

*Hymn of Gratitude CCS 53
“Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow”
*Community Prayer for our New Leaders

Disciples Generous Response Denise White
Receiving Community Generosity Piano Meditation

Sending Forth Robin Linkhart, Evelyn Dustin
(see back of bulletin for responsive reading)

*Please stand

CCS: *Community of Christ Sings* (hymnal)

All are welcome to share in our Noon meal.

Conference: Information Session 1:00 p.m. Legislative Session 1:30 p.m.