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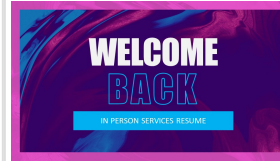
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**9:00am Virtual Service**

Welcome & Announcements  
Invocation  
Psalm 90  
Confession & Absolution  
Hymn  
God's Word-  
Exodus 24:9-18  
John 7:14-24  
Apostles' Creed  
Song  
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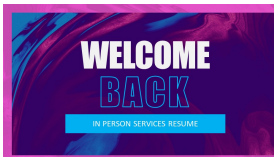
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