

GATHERING MUSIC AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

PRELUDE "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" (tune by St. Theodulph)

Tim Barnes, organ and Sam Heichelbech, clarinet

*Opening Hymn "We Are Called"

The Faith We Sing # 2172

OPENING PRAYER

Cultivate within us attentive tenderness, oh Steady God. Bolster our creativity and deepen our interdependence that we may divest from mindless consumerism, that we may love solidarity with our neighbors, that we may practice the everyday work of compassion, that we may root our lives in the ancient story of Love. Amen.

WELCOME STATEMENT OF COMMUNITY AND CONNECTION

[Please use the Friendship pads or the QR code to mark your presence with us.]

Welcome to worship, God's beloved!

YES, I Am Welcome! Bienvenidas y bienvenidos!

*Passing of the Peace

ANNOUNCEMENTS



^{*} Please rise, in body or in spirit.

CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY: EDGAR DANIEL NIXON

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

MUSIC MINISTRY

"Ain't Got Time to Die" (Francis Hall Johnson)

Francis Hall Johnson (March 12, 1888–April 30, 1970) was an American composer/arranger. His grandmother, an ex-slave, spent countless hours singing plantation songs to him. In 1903 Johnson graduated from Knox College in Galesburg, IL. Johnson continued his post-graduate studies at several colleges, including The Juilliard School. In 1914, Johnson and his wife (also a musician) moved to Harlem and opened a music school, welcoming students of all races, providing one-on-one instruction in piano, violin, and other instruments.

TIME FOR PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE PRAYER OF JESUS [You are invited to say this prayer in the language of your heart.]

Our God in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kindom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kindom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

HYMN OF PRAYER "God, How Can We Forgive" The Faith We Sing # 2169

READING FROM THE WORLD "Enemy" by Rev. Steve Garnaas Holmes

TIME FOR OFFERING

Invitation to Offering

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*THE DOXOLOGY

United Methodist Hymnal # 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Eradicate within us the lie of separation, O Divine Creator. Loosen our anxiety so we do not hold on to more than we need. Open our hearts that we may learn from the generosity of the trees and the flock-wisdom of the birds. Bless our offerings to mutual abundance. Amen.

SECOND READING Luke 6:27-38

[Jesus said:] "To you who hear me, I say: love your enemies. Do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, and pray for those who mistreat you. When they slap you on one cheek, turn and give them the other; when they take your coat, let them have your shirt as well. Give to all who beg from you. When someone takes what is yours, don't demand it back. Do to others what you would have them do to you. If you love those who love you, what credit does that do you? Even 'sinners' love those who love them. If you do good only to those who do good to you, what credit does that do you? Even 'sinners' do as much. If you lend to those who expect to repay you, what credit does that do you? Even 'sinners' lend to other 'sinners,' expecting to be repaid in full. Love your enemies and do good to them. Lend without expecting repayment, and your reward will be great. You'll rightly be called children of the Most High, since God is good even to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be compassionate, as your loving God is compassionate. Don't judge, and you won't be judged. Don't condemn, and you won't be condemned. Pardon, and you'll be pardoned. Give, and it will be given to you: a full measure—packed down, shaken together and running over—will be poured into your lap. For the amount you measure out is the amount you'll be given back."

Here ends the reading of the Gospel. This is the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

Message Rev. Alka Lyall

CLOSING HYMN "What Does the Lord Require of You" The Faith We Sing # 2174

SENDING FORTH

Beloveds, let us go forth giving and receiving in a web of grace-filled reciprocity, for the Living God flows forth Love, through our care for one another. That is what our God requires of us! That is how the Divine lives through us! Thanks be to God. **Amen.**

POSTLUDE "Christ for the World We Sing" (Samuel Wolcott)

Tim Barnes, organ and Sam Heichelbech, clarinet

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We are black, brown, red, yellow, white, and all the colors of God's created rainbow. We are lesbian, gay, bisexual, asexual, and straight. We are transgender, intersex, female, male, gender fluid. We are queer. We are questioning. We are every age. We are every ability.

We are every economic & theological location. We are YOU.

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