



*June 02, 2024*  
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# COVENANT at WORSHIP

Liturgical Color: GREEN

June 02, 2024

10:00am Worship

## HOLY COMMUNION 2nd Sunday after Pentecost

### GATHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

#### PREPARATION

#### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### VOLUNTARY

*Marchin' to the Beat of God*

John D. Horman

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

The God who has searched us and knows us,  
who is acquainted with all our ways,  
that God calls us each by name.

**Speak, Holy One, your servants are listening!**

The God who liberated slaves from Egypt,  
the Lord of the Sabbath who bids us rest,  
that God empowers us  
to make Jesus' life visible in our very bodies.

**Speak, Holy One, your servants are listening!**

Let us sing aloud to God, our strength,  
and shout for joy to the God of our salvation.

#### \*HYMN 28

"You Are Before Me, Lord"

SURSUM CORDA

#### CALL TO CONFESSION

*Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Ever present God, you call us to be your hands in this world.

**Forgive us for the times we have been afraid to reach out toward those left out or kept away. Help us to recognize the harm we have done in our actions and inactions, and lead us to work toward a different way.**

You call us to be your feet in this world.

**Forgive us for the times we have not tread lightly. Guide us to live in harmony with Earth that gives us life instead of treating it as something to be conquered.**

You call us to live in this world with open hearts.

**Forgive us for the ways we have closed ourselves off from you. Remind us of your expansive love, that we might recognize your presence everywhere we go. Amen.**

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

\*PRAISE HYMN 586

(singing twice)

"Alleluia"

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

ALLELUIA 7

LISTEN FOR THE GOOD NEWS

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

PSALM READING

Psalms 139: 1-6, 13-18

OLD TESTAMENT READING

1 Samuel 3: 1-20

PROCLAMATION

Rev. Teresa Franklin

\*HYMN 746

"Send Me, Jesus"

THUMA MINA

## RESPOND TO THE GOOD NEWS

OFFERING 530

*One Bread, One Body*

John D. Foley

PRESENTATION OF THE COMMUNION ELEMENTS

The Adams Family

What do you bring to the Lord's Table?

The gifts of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER, *including Concerns and Celebrations*

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

*Server:* The body of Christ was broken for you. *Served:* Thanks be to God.

*Server:* The blood of Christ was shed for you. *Served:* Thanks be to God.

COMMUNION MUSIC

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

\*SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

\*HYMN 749

"Come! Live in the Light!"

WE ARE CALLED

\*BENEDICTION

\*SENDING HYMN 540

"Farewell, Good Friends!"

SHALOM, CHAVERIM

**Farewell, good friends! Farewell, good friends! Shalom, shalom!**

**Till we meet again, till we meet again, shalom, shalom.**

\*POSTLUDE

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