

OFFERING

Many in our community give their tithes and offerings online (rescov.org/give) and yet we believe it is still good and right to give God thanks as part of our worship. If you have offering this morning you are welcome to place it in the basket in the center aisle as we give God thanks.

DOXOLOGY*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

HOLY COMMUNION

As we continue to navigate the implications of Covid we invite you to come down the center aisle, receive the bread and then proceed to the front side aisles to partake of the cup which is in individual portions. Place your empty cups in one of the baskets that can be found on the end-seats in the front rows of the side aisles.

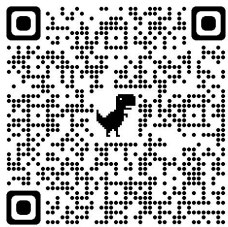
SENDING

SONG* - God, Give Us Eyes to See Your Reign (*see insert*)

CHARGE & BLESSING*

*Stand, as you are able

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GATHERING

CALL TO WORSHIP*

Day by day, God leads us:

**to the deep, deep pools of peace,
to the green, lush fields of grace.**

Day by day, Jesus calls us:

**to pour out ourselves in service,
to anoint the stranger with hope.**

Day by day, the Holy Spirit shows us:

**the way we can see the world through God's eyes
and become the community of love
we are called to be.**

Let us worship God!

SONG* - Goodness Is Stronger Than Evil

Goodness is stronger than evil.
Love is stronger than hate.
Light is stronger than darkness.
Life is stronger than death.

Victory is ours, victory is ours,
through God who loved us.
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SONG* - Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

1. Praise the one who breaks the darkness,
with a liberating light;
praise the one who frees the pris'ners,
turning blindness into sight.
Praise the one who preached the gospel,
healing ev'ry dread disease,
calming storms and feeding thousands
with the Father's word of peace.

2. Praise the one who blessed the children
with a strong yet gentle word;
praise the one who drove out demons
with a piercing, two-edged sword.
Praise the one who brings cool water
to the desert's burning sand;
from this well comes living water,
quenching thirst in ev'ry land.

3. Let us praise the Word incarnate,
Christ, who suffered in our place;
Jesus died and rose victorious
that we may know God by grace.
Let us sing for joy and gladness
seeing what our God has done;
let us praise the true Redeemer,
praise the one who makes us one.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(adapted from Rev. Marilyn Kennedy Levine)*

Holy Jesus,
we confess that we fail to question
the way we see the world.
Being so sure of our sight,
we miss the beauty and truth
you would teach us.
With your love, correct our vision
and open our eyes to our own failures and faults,
that we may see ourselves and our neighbors rightly,
through your eyes of love and grace.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel;
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

PASSING OF THE PEACE*

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

MINISTRY MOMENT

Jake Jacott, Covenant Point

SONG* - Jesus, Be the Center

Jesus, be the center,
be my source, be my light, Jesus.

Jesus, be the center,
be my hope, be my song, Jesus.

Be the fire in my heart,
be the wind in these sails,
Be the reason that I live,
Jesus, Jesus.

Jesus, be my vision,
be my path, be my guide, Jesus.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

1 Samuel 16:1-13

GOSPEL LESSON*

John 9:1-41

SERMON

The Need for New Lenses

Pastor Dave

RESPONSE

HYMN* - Be Thou My Vision (#412)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD'S PRAYER