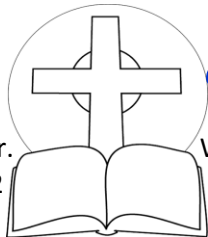


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World Food Day

(Portions of the service that are in **BOLD** are to be said by all.)

All points marked * those who are able are invited to stand.)

Approach

Prelude

Call to Worship

One: We have come together as a community to worship God.

All: We have the power to choose.

One: We have wisdom to discern what has value and meaning in this world.

All: Where power and wisdom meet, faith begins in earnest.

Joyful Noise – “How Can I Keep From Singing”

Children’s Time / Lord’s Prayer

* Hymn VU #231 – “I Sing The Mighty Power”

Prayer of Approach and Confession

We like you Creator, when we experience your compassion and your love. We relish being understood and comforted. This helps us feel secure. We are not usually ready for you to leap out at us in power and accusation. Sometimes, though, we need to regain perspective. So we come to worship to learn anew what it means to be a servant in a culture that honours power. We come to discover our humbleness before a divine one who has no limits. If we have any confession today it is that we are guilty, often, of trying to make you like us. We can never fully appreciate the scope of your power but, thankfully, we trust the blessing of your grace in Jesus to bridge the gap. AMEN.

Assurance of Pardon

The Word

📖 Scripture Readings – Job 38: 1-7, (34-41)
Mark 10: 42-45

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

THANKS BE TO GOD!

* Hymn VU #593 – “*Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love*”

Meditation – “Where were you? A lesson in humility”

(a quiet time for your personal reflection and prayer)

Anthem – “Find in Me a Thankful Heart”

The Response

Announcements / Minute Person – Dawn Sherritt

* Offering / Response (tune VU #227 vs 3)

**For the harvests of the Spirit,
Thanks be to God.
For the good we all inherit,
Thanks be to God.
For the wonders that astound us,
For the truths that still confound us,
Most of all that love has found us,
Thanks be to God.**

Pastoral Prayer

* Hymn VU #288 – “*Great is Thy Faithfulness*”

* Benediction / Response (tune MV #223)

**We will go with God! Ho, ho, ho!
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We will go with God! Ho, ho, ho!
We will go with God!
On this day of great joy, We will go with God.
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