

Sunday, July 5, 2026
Theme – Justice with Compassion

Welcoming

Mission & Service Birthday/Anniversary Recognition

Happy birthday to you,
To Jesus be true,
May God's gracious blessings
rest always with you.

Announcements

Centring Music I Love You, Lord

Laurie Klein, Arranged by Fred Bock

Lifting the Water (Hilde)

Introit

Spirit of the Living God
(Voices United 376)

Words v.1: Daniel Iverson 1926, v.2: Michael Baughen 1982

Music: Daniel Iverson 1926, arr. Darryl Nixon 1987

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- 1 Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mould me,
fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on me.

- 2 Spirit of the living God,
move among us all;
make us one in heart and mind,
make us one in love:
humble, caring,
selfless, sharing.
Spirit of the living God,
fill our lives with love!

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Hymn **Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You** (Voices United 232)

*Words: Henry van Dyke 1907, alt.; Music: Ludwig van Beethoven 1824; adapt. Edward Hodges 1864
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- 1 Joyful, joyful we adore you,
God of glory, life and love;
hearts unfold like flowers before you,
opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness,
drive the gloom of doubt away;
giver of immortal gladness,
fill us with the light of day.
- 2 All your works with joy surround you,
earth and heaven reflect your rays,
stars and angels sing around you,
centre of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
flowery meadow, flashing sea,
chanting bird and flowing fountain,
sound their praise eternally.

3 You are giving and forgiving,
ever blessing, ever blest,
wellspring of the joy of living,
ocean depth of happy rest!
Source of grace and fount of blessing,
let your light upon us shine;
teach us how to love each other,
lift us to the joy divine.

4 Mortals join the mighty chorus
which the morning stars began;
God's own love is reigning o'er us,
joining people hand in hand.
Ever singing, march we onward,
victors in the midst of strife;
joyful music leads us sunward
in the triumph song of life.

Morning Prayer

A Time to Wonder

Scripture Reading

Luke 6:27-36

Choral Response **Open Our Hearts** (More Voices 21)

Words and Music: Jim Strathdee

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Open our hearts, open our minds.
Open our live to you O loving God.

Open our hearts, open our minds.
Open our live to you O loving God.

Open our hearts.

Reflection 'Rolling out Justice' the Rev. Hilde J. Seal

Hymn of the Day **Christ Has No Body Now but Yours** (More Voices 171)

Words: Adapted by Stephen C. Warner, 2003, from St. Teresa of Avila

Music: Rick Gunn. 2006

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Refrain Christ has no body now but yours
No hands, but yours
Here on this earth yours is the work,
To serve with the joy of compassion

1 No hands but yours to heal the wounded world,
No hands but yours to soothe all its suffering,
No touch but yours to bind the broken
Hope of the people of God. *Refrain*

2 No eyes but yours to see
As Christ would see,
To find the lost,
To gaze with compassion
No eyes but yours to glimpse
The holy joy of the city of God. *Refrain*

3 No feet but yours to journey
With the poor to walk this
World with mercy and justice.
Yours are the steps to build
A lasting Peace For the children of God. *Refrain*

4 Through every gift, give back to those in need;
As Christ has blessed, so now be his blessing,
With every gift a benediction
Be to the people of God. *Refrain*

Invitation to Offering

Offering Music

Spirit God, Be Our Breath

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Arr. Karen Shumka

Offering Response **Spirit God, Be Our Breath** (More Voices 150 v.4)

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- 4 Spirit God: be our breath, be our song.
Blow through us, bringing strength to move on.
Through change, through challenge
we'll greet the new dawn.
Spirit God, be our song.

Offering Prayer

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayers

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

Adapted from Matthew 6: 9-13 Words & Music Glenn Parsons

Our God, who is in Heaven
Holy is Your name.
Your kingdom come,
Your will be done
on earth as it is in Heav'n.
Give us this day our daily bread,
forgive the ways that we turn from You
and help us to forgive.
Lead us not to things that tempt us,
save us from all evil,
for Yours is the kingdom
the pow'r and the glory
for ever and ever. Amen.

Parting Hymn **O for a World** (Voices United 697)

Words: Miriam Therese winter 1987; Music: Carl Gotthelf Glaser 1828; arr. Lowell Mason 1839

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- 1 O for a world where everyone
respects each other's ways,
where love is lived and all is done
with justice and with praise.
- 2 O for a world where goods are shared
and misery relieved,
where truth is spoken, children spared,
equality achieved.
- 3 We welcome one world family
and struggle with each choice
that opens us to unity
and gives our vision voice.
- 4 The poor are rich, the weak are strong,
the foolish ones are wise.
Tell all who mourn: outcasts belong,
who perishes will rise.
- 5 O for a world preparing for
God's glorious reign of peace,
where time and tears will be no more,
and all but love will cease.

Benediction

Postlude **Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee**

Music by Ludwig Van Beethoven,

melody from Ninth Symphony;

Adapted by Edward Hodges; Arranged by James Koerts (BMI)

Worship Leadership – Rev. Hilde J. Seal
Music Leadership – Karen Shumka
Welcoming and Announcements – Stephen Godfrey
Morning Prayer and Scripture – Margaret Chambers
Greeters – Willa Burke and Joanne Thomas
Technical Support – Rob Glenn and Louise Johnston
Fellowship Time – Andy and the Queens of Caffeine

During July and August the Spirit Kids are invited to remain for the entire service. There are special activities at the Spirit Kids table.