

June 14, 2020 10:00 AM
Order of Worship

Meditation Prayer

Ever-present God, to whom each of us is fully known, and before whom we bow in awe, grant that we may live as children of your realm, listening for your word, responding to your call, and following the way of Christ. Inspire us to witness to your glory, bear fruit to benefit all your children, and grow together in light and love, that all the world may come to know you and honor your reign. Amen.

Prelude *Sing a Happy Alleluia*

Announcements

Introit *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Call to Worship (responsively)

L: God has searched us and knows us.
God knows when we sit down and when we rise up.

C: God searches out our path and our lying down.
God is acquainted with all our ways.

L: Before a word is on our tongues, God knows it.
God's hand is ever available to guide us.

C: Such knowledge is a wonder to us.
It is beyond anything we can attain.

L: We cannot escape from God's spirit.
There is nowhere to flee from God's presence.

C: Darkness is as light to our God.
God illuminates the way before us.

Hymn *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

Prayer of Invocation (in unison)

Search us, O God, and know our hearts. Test us and know our thoughts. We gather with eager longing to know you, ever-present God, and to be known by you. We want to live as your beloved children. Assure us in these moments that you hear our prayers, even as your will is revealed to us. Fill our dreams and our waking hours with radiant hope. May every time of encounter move us to awe and fervent worship. Lead us in your way everlasting. Amen.

Old Testament Genesis 32:22-32

Sermon At the Stream

Hymn *Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness*

Offertory Invitation

Offertory *Reflection*

Doxology: Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication (in unison)

Thank you, God, for the rich heritage of faith we have received from our ancestors. We are grateful that your Spirit is ever with us, assuring us of your acceptance and love. May our offerings share this good news with other children of God who have not yet discovered their identity. May all of us grow in righteousness that we might together experience the reality of your realm in our daily lives, here and now and for all eternity. Amen.

A Time of Silent Prayer Pastoral, and The Lord's Prayer

Musical Response *Take, O Take Me as I Am*

Hymn *God of Grace and God of Glory*

Benediction

Postlude *Light Dawns on a Weary World*