

Call to Worship

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People: We are the People of God!

Leader: Though we differ in language, custom, and tradition

People: We are brothers and sisters in Christ!

Leader: For there is one Lord, one faith, and one baptism

People: We are One in God's Spirit!

Leader: We are one and together we remember our Lord Jesus

People: For we are the people of Redemption!

Leader: He gave himself up for us, so we could be reconciled to God.

People: Come, let us worship the God of our Salvation!

Opening Prayer

Most Gracious God, you hold each person's life as more precious than we can imagine. When we turn aside from following your way, you urgently call us back to your way. Send your Spirit to give us a new heart to live as faithful people who show forgiveness to others. We dedicate our lives and our money to help share your good news with our neighbors. We pray through Christ your Son, who gave his life for the sake of the world. Amen. (Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32)

Sending Forth

Blessings upon you, upon those you love and those you shall never know.

Blessings upon your steps and upon the vision of your eyes.

Blessings upon you in all circumstances; joy and sorrow, for wisdom rests in them, twin experiences with different faces.

Blessings be upon what lies before you, the challenges and decisions, the pain and the relief.

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The Calling To Care
Daniel 4:19-27
Pastor Harold Long
October 4, 2020

1. ____ are the ____? Those Jesus called "____ ____ ____." (Matthew 25:40)
2. As children of God we have his nature in us, and that means we all have at our disposal an incredible power called _____.
3. You might feel powerless against poverty. There may be a hundred different reasons you would say, "____." But I want you to know - ____ ____ ____!

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- A. It's the right _____ thing to do.
 - B. We can't help but be filled with _____.
 - C. It's a way of spreading the ____ ____.
 - D. Doing to others as you would have them do to you is a _____ (Luke 6:31). I
 - E. If you want know God better, ____ ____ ____!

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4. Loving the vulnerable is pleasing to ____ (James 1:27).
 5. We grow closer to ____ by doing what He ____ (Jeremiah 22:16, Psalms 68:5).
 6. He became ____ so we could become ____ (2 Corinthians 8:9).
 7. When we serve "____ ____ ____" we are directly serving ____ (Matthew 25:34-40).
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 9. Lord ____ my ____ for what ____ ____.
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