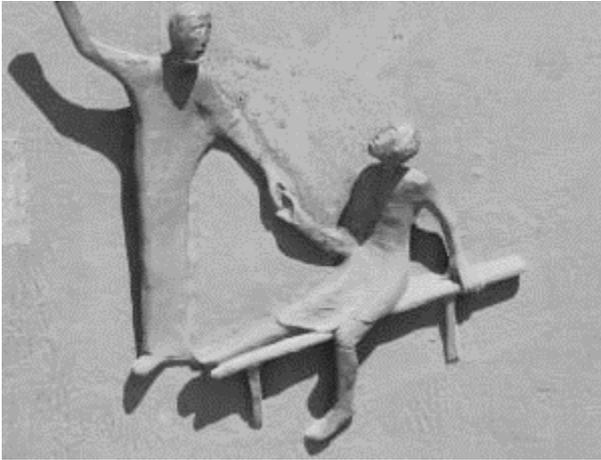


AN EVER-WIDENING CIRCLE OF GRACE



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August 21, 2022 | 10:00 am

WE GATHER IN GRACE

A “+” indicates all are invited to stand.

Reminders: Our worship service is being live streamed and is on Zoom.

PRELUDE: HYMN #775: *I WANT JESUS TO WALK WITH ME*

WORDS OF WELCOME

+HYMN # 681: *THIS IS THE DAY THE LORD HATH MADE*

+CALL TO WORSHIP

One: He saw those who others ignored; he called those who were never invited; he raised those who were bent down; he honored those who others belittled.

All: As God drew near to us, in Jesus, so, now, we draw near to him. Let us worship God

+HYMN #157 vv. 1, 2, 5: *I DANCED IN THE MORNING*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

One: Parent God, we gather as brothers and sisters, bound by our love for you. Drawn here by our love for Jesus. We come to listen and learn more of your love, and to understand more of what we are called to do in this amazing world.

All: We come humbly into your presence aware of our faults and failings. Regretting all we failed to do this past week. We ask your forgiveness and seek to turn back to you and choose to follow in your ways. We know we have work to do to bring peace and justice for ourselves and for our brothers and sisters. Give us strength and courage to step out in your name. Help us take your love to all in need. So be it. Amen.

HYMN # 70: *WHAT DOES THE LORD REQUIRE OF YOU?*

WE GO IN GRACE

+BENEDICTION

+SENDING: THE LORD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU

Peter C. Lutkin

*We gather in grace, we grow in grace, we go in grace...
The journey continues in an ever-widening circle of grace.*

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Hymn 775: I Want Jesus to Walk With Me

I want Jesus to walk with me;
I want Jesus to walk with me;
all along my pilgrim journey,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

In my trials, Lord, walk with me;
in my trials, Lord, walk with me;
when my heart is almost breaking,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

When I'm in trouble, Lord, walk with me;
when I'm in trouble, Lord, walk with me;
when my head is bowed in sorrow,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

Hymn 681: This is the Day the Lord Hath Made

This is the day the Lord hath made;
the hours are all God's own.
Let heaven rejoice; let earth be glad,
and praise surround the throne.

Hosanna to the anointed King,
to David's holy Son!
Help us, O Lord; descend and bring
salvation from the throne.

Blest be the Lord, who comes in power
with messages of grace,
who comes in this accepted hour
to save our sinful race.

Hosanna in the highest strains
the church on earth can raise!
The highest heavens in which God reigns
shall now resound with praise.

Hymn 157: I Danced in the Morning

I danced in the morning when the world was begun,
and I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,
and I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth.
At Bethlehem I had my birth.

Dance, then, wherever you may be;
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,
and I'll lead you all, wherever you may be,
and I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.

I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee,
but they would not dance and they would not follow me.
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John.
They came with me and the dance went on.

Dance, then, wherever you may be;
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,
and I'll lead you all, wherever you may be,
and I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.

They cut me down and I leapt up high.
I am the life that will never, never die.
I'll live in you if you'll live in me,
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

*Dance, then, wherever you may be;
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,
and I'll lead you all, wherever you may be,
and I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.*

Hymn 70: What Does the Lord Require of You

What does the Lord require of you?
What does the Lord require of you?

Justice, kindness,
walk humbly with your God.

To seek justice and love kindness
and walk humbly with your God.

Hymn 137: He Came Down

He came down that we may have love;
he came down that we may have love;
he came down that we may have love;
hallelujah forevermore.

(Additional stanzas)

... that we may have light
... that we may have peace
... that we may have joy

Hymn 720: Jesus Calls Us

Jesus calls us: o'er the tumult
of our life's wild, restless sea;
day by day his sweet voice soundeth
saying, "Christian, follow me."

Jesus calls us from the worship
of the vain world's golden store,
from each idol that would keep us,
saying, "Christian, love me more."

In our joys and in our sorrows,
days of toil and hours of ease,
still he calls, in cares and pleasures,
"Christian, love me more than these."

*Jesus calls us: by thy mercies,
Savior, may we hear thy call,
give our hearts to thy obedience,
serve and love thee best of all.*