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WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT OF SILENCE

CHORAL INTROIT

LIGHTING OF THE PEACE CANDLE

*RESPONSE

“DE LA PAZ” (VS. 4)

With each step that time of peace draws near

Even though it may not dawn today.

For we know through humble acts of our short lives

God's love will somehow work it's way. God's way.

CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: The world is changing rapidly before us;

PEOPLE: God's love endures forever.

LEADER: Our ways of understanding have been challenged and stretched;

PEOPLE: God's love endures forever.

LEADER: What we once knew has passed away, and we do not know what lies before us.

PEOPLE: God's love endures forever.

LEADER: May we move forward as the body of Christ, assured of God's presence;

PEOPLE: May we embrace the future with hope. May we know God's love endures forever. Amen.

***HYMN 376 “LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING” (VERSES 1-3)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, when lashed by life's windstorms we often lash out in return. Forgive us when we blame you or others for our troubles. Teach us to find you in the eye of the storm. Show us the calm center that comes from a word of peace for the sake of Christ, we pray. Amen.

PROMISE OF GOD

LEADER: Friends, believe the Good News.

PEOPLE: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

*RESPONSE

“NOTHING CAN TROUBLE” (TAIZÈ)

Nothing can trouble, nothing can frighten

Those who seek God will never go wanting

Nothing can trouble, nothing can frighten

God alone fills us.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

FIRST LESSON

MARK 9:33-37

ANTHEM

“THE STORM IS PASSING OVER”

WORD TO THE CHILDREN

SECOND LESSON

MARK 4:35-41

SERMON

“NEW STORMS”

***HYMN 373

“LONELY THE BOAT”

WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND PETITION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (DEBTS/DEBTORS)

Our Father, who art in Heaven,

Hallowed be Thy name.

Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done,

On Earth as it is in Heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,

*And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil
For thine is the kingdom and the power
And the glory forever. Amen.*

THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY

*RESPONSE (TMB) “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.*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Merciful God, we thank you for the many ways that gifts are offered in your service. We especially thank you for all the ways you have granted us peace when life seems chaotic and we are overcome with anxiety. Accept our gifts, we pray, and bless now this morning's offering, that we might do your will in this place and in all the world. Amen.

WE DISPERSE IN GOD'S NAME

*HYMN 286

“GIVE TO THE WIND THY FEARS”

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

*POSTLUDE

***Those Who Are Able Are Invited To Stand**

*****Latecomers May Be Seated**



“Peace, be still”

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