



Morning Worship  
10:00 AM  
August 2, 2026  
Pentecost 10

***GATHERING AROUND THE WORD***

**RINGING OF THE BELLS**

**GREETING**

Leader: The Lord Be with You.

People: And Also with You.

**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**SONG OF GATHERING (Sung twice)**

# 692 Spirit, Open My Heart

Refrain Capo 3: (D) (G) (D) (G) (A7)  
F B $\flat$  F B $\flat$  C7



Spir - it, o - pen my heart to the joy and pain of

(Bm) (D/A) (G) (A7) (Bm) (D/A) (Em)  
Dm F/C B $\flat$  C7 Dm F/C Gm



liv - ing. As you love may I love, in re - ceiv - ing

(D) (G) (Em7) (D) (G) (D)  
F B $\flat$  Gm7 F B $\flat$  F



and in giv - ing. Spir - it, o - pen my heart.

*Fine*

## MOVING FROM GETTING HERE TO BEING HERE

### PRELUDE

*"There is beauty in feeding others when you are spiritually or physically hungry yourself."*

-- Lisa Donovan

### ✠CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: All who are thirsty, come!

**People: God is the fountain for our lives.**

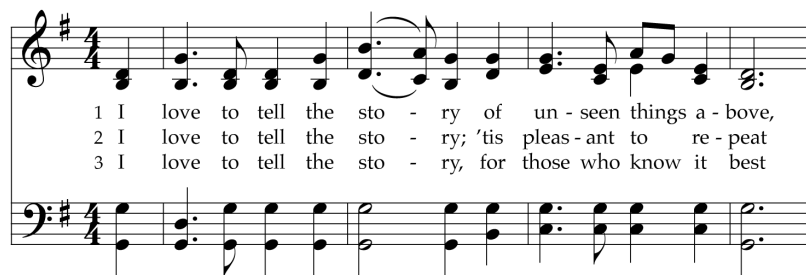
Leader: All who are hungry, come!

**People: Jesus feeds us with goodness and grace.**

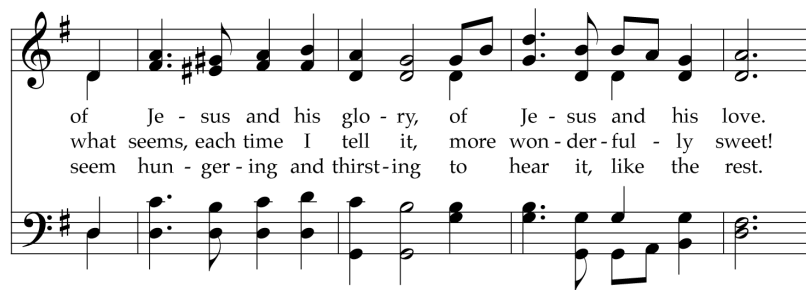
Leader: Rich and poor, young and old, neighbor and guest, come!

**People: The Holy Spirit gathers everyone around the Table.**

# 462 I Love to Tell the Story



1 I love to tell the sto - ry of un - seen things a - bove,  
 2 I love to tell the sto - ry; 'tis pleas - ant to re - peat  
 3 I love to tell the sto - ry, for those who know it best



of Je - sus and his glo - ry, of Je - sus and his love.  
 what seems, each time I tell it, more won - der - ful - ly sweet!  
 seem hun - ger - ing and thirst - ing to hear it, like the rest.



I love to tell the sto - ry, be - cause I know 'tis true;  
 I love to tell the sto - ry, for some have nev - er heard  
 And when, in scenes of glo - ry, I sing the new, new song,



it sat - is - fies my long - ings as noth - ing else could do.  
 the mes - sage of sal - va - tion from God's own ho - ly Word.  
 'twill be the old, old sto - ry that I have loved so long.

## Refrain



I love to tell the sto - ry; 'twill be my theme in glo - ry



to tell the old, old sto - ry of Je - sus and his love.

## ✦CALL TO RECONCILIATION

Leader: The Lord is not mean-spirited or vengeful. God is gracious and merciful, always willing to listen to Our prayers, and to hear our hearts. Let us join in the prayer for forgiveness, saying,

## ✦PRAYER OF CONFESSION

We are sure we do not have enough to end hunger in our communities. Holy God. Forgive us that we forget that, by your presence and power, very little can do so much. We believe that we are the only ones who carry heartache around with us. Forgive us, Compassion's Heart, that we do not see, or embrace the despair of those around us. We think we do not have the words with which to offer hope and healing to strangers. Forgive us, Welcoming God, for not having the courage to run up to them with your grace. We convince ourselves that we need to devote all our time, our energy, our resources, our lives on keeping up with others. Forgive us for not living that joyful, gracious life modeled for us by you, Jesus our Brother.

## TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION

## ✦ASSURANCE OF GRACE

Leader: Listen! Come to the One who covers us with compassion, who feeds us on grace and mercy.

People: What good news! Everyone who thirsts is given water; everyone who hungers is fed; everyone who sins is forgiven. Thanks be to God. Amen.

## ✦ RESPONSE OF GRACE #582

The musical score is written for four staves in G major (one sharp) and 12/8 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. Chord symbols are placed above or below the staff to indicate harmonic accompaniment.

1 Glo - ry to God, whose good - ness shines on me,  
and to the Son, whose grace has par - doned me,  
and to the Spir - it, whose love has set me free.  
As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now and ev - er shall be. A - men.

Chord symbols: B<sup>b</sup>, F, B<sup>b</sup>, F, B<sup>b</sup>, F, Gm, F, F, B<sup>b</sup>, E<sup>b</sup>, B<sup>b</sup>, Gm7, C7, C7, F, A, Dm, Dm7, F, Ddim7, Gm7, Fm, C7, F.

## SCRIPTURE READING

**Matthew 14:13-21**

When Jesus heard about John, he withdrew in a boat to a deserted place by himself. When the crowds learned this, they followed him on foot from the cities. When Jesus arrived and saw a large crowd, he had compassion for them and healed those who were sick. That evening his disciples came and said to him, "This is an isolated place and it's getting late. Send the crowds away so they can go into the villages and buy food for themselves." But Jesus said to them, "There's no need to send them away. You give them something to eat." They replied, "We have nothing here except five loaves of bread and two fish." He said, "Bring them here to me." He ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. He took the five loaves of bread and the two fish, looked up to heaven, blessed them and broke the loaves apart and gave them to his disciples. Then the disciples gave them to the crowds. Everyone ate until they were full, and they filled twelve baskets with the leftovers. About five thousand men plus women and children had eaten.

Leader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to you and to the church.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

## MUSICAL OFFERING

***"Caprice #3 (Allegretto giocoso)"***

*Anton Stamitz*

*Performed by Ellen Powell*

## MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN

*Vanna Ortiz*

*(Children K-5 are then invited to accompany the leader to Children's Chapel)*

## SERMON

*"More Than Enough"*

*Tanya Blankinship*

## JOYS AND CONCERNS\*\* *(A Silence)*

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**Buffie Saavedra**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER (New Zealand Prayer Book)

**Eternal Spirit, Earth-Maker, Pain-bearer, Life-giver, source of all that is and that shall be, Father and Mother of us all. Loving God, in whom is heaven. The hallowing of your name echoes through the universe! The way of your justice be followed by the peoples of the earth! Your heavenly will be done by all created beings! Your commonwealth of peace and freedom sustain our hope and come on earth. With the bread we need for today, feed us. In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us. In times of temptation and test, spare us. From the grip of all that is evil, free us. For you reign in the glory of the power that is love, now and forever. Amen.**

## THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

### THE STORY OF THE TABLE

#### EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Leader: Standing at the edge of chaos, you took all the goodness in your heart,...we join our voices with all who forever sing to your glory:

Holy, Holy, Holy 556

G G7 Am G

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,

G A9 Cmaj7 D7

God of power and might,

G G7 Am E Am

heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

Ddim Am A9 C C/G G D7

san - na in the high - est.

You are Holy, Redeemer of the lost,...we speak of that faith which is often a mystery:

# 557 Christ Has Died; Christ Is Risen

Christ has died; Christ is ris - en;  
 Christ will come a - gain.  
 Christ has died; Christ is ris - en;  
 Christ will come a - gain.

As we gather at the edge of your kingdom,...God in Community, Holy in One.  
 Amen.

## COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## CALL FOR OFFERING

## OFFERING

## ✠RESPONSE OF THANKSGIVING #398

How ver-y good and pleas-ant when we live in u-ni-ty. It is  
 like pre-cious oil, like fresh morn - ing dew. We  
 gath-er here to- geth-er with our hearts and voic-es raised to  
 God, who's the cen-ter of our u - ni - ty and praise!

# PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ✠HYMN

## 463 How Firm a Foundation

1 How firm a foun - da - tion, ye saints of the Lord,  
2 "Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dis-mayed,  
3 "When through the deep wa - ters I call thee to go,  
4 "When through fi - ery tri - als thy path - way shall lie,  
5 "The soul that on Je - sus hath leaned for re - pose,

is laid for your faith in God's ex - cel - lent Word!  
for I am thy God, and will still give thee aid;  
the riv - ers of sor - row shall not o - ver - flow;  
my grace, all suf - fi - cient, shall be thy sup - ply;  
I will not, I will not de - sert to its foes;

What more can be said than to you God hath said,  
I'll strength - en thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,  
for I will be near thee, thy trou - bles to bless,  
the flame shall not hurt thee; I on - ly de - sign  
that soul, though all hell should en - deav - or to shake,

to you who for ref - uge to Je - sus have fled?  
up - held by my righ - teous, om - nip - o - tent hand.  
and sanc - ti - fy to thee thy deep - est dis - tress.  
thy dross to con - sume, and thy gold to re - fine.  
I'll nev - er, no, nev - er, no, nev - er for - sake."



## ✠BENEDICTION

## ✠POSTLUDE

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## ✠THOSE WHO ARE ABLE, PLEASE STAND

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