

With Christ as the Cornerstone, we will build a church of living stones, where every member is a minister and is equipped to express God's love by word and deed to all people.

Based on I Peter 2:5, 6

Today's flowers are given by Pete and Jane Cregger in honor of their 41st wedding anniversary.

# The Worship of God

Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

**Gathering Music** 

"Great Are You Lord" GBC Worship Band

Words and Music by Jason Ingram,

Leslie Jordan, and David Leonard

Words and Music by

October 19, 2025

"My Lighthouse"

"Build My Life"

"This Is Us"

"I Need Thee Every Hour"

Cynthia Griesedieck

Gareth Gilkeson and Chris Llewellyn

Words and Music by Brett Younker, Karl Martin, Kirby Kaple, Matt Redman and Pat Barrett

Words and Music by Christian McIvor ©2017

Welcome

**Prelude** 

Christian McIvor

arr. Cindy Berry

†Call to Worship

In the quiet, in the calm, in the stillness, One:

All: We seek the Lord. One:

In the clamor, in the cry, in the grief, All: We seek the Lord.

One: In this time, in this place, with each other,

All: We seek the Lord.

As we seek, let us worship God together. One:

† Please rise in body or spirit.

# **†Opening Hymn #575** "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

What a fellowship, what a joy divine, leaning on the everlasting arms; what a blessedness, what a peace is mine, leaning on the everlasting arms.

### Refrain:

Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms; leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.

O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way, leaning on the everlasting arms;
O how bright the path grows from day to day, leaning on the everlasting arms.
(Refrain)

What have I to dread, what have I to fear, leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near, leaning on the everlasting arms.
(Refrain)

Children's Sermon Emily Tuttle

Pastoral Prayer Steve Rose

Offertory Anthem

"Seekers of Your Kingdom"

Words and Music by Cindy Berry

We join our hearts to worship You. We join our hands to do Your will. We join our voices to sing praises to you, our Savior and King. And as we serve together,
You'll supply our every need.
May all that we do bring glory to You
as we follow where You lead, where you lead.

#### Refrain:

We are seekers of Your kingdom.

We exalt You. We praise and magnify Your name.

May we give You first place upon the throne of our hearts.

We are seekers of Your kingdom, O Lord.

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness. And all these things shall be added unto You.

(Refrain)

Seekers of Your kingdom, Lord, seekers of your kingdom, Lord.

# **†Doxology**

"O Bless the Gifts"

LAMB OF GOD Words by Samuel Longfellow, alt. Music by Twila Paris

O bless the gifts our hands have brought; and bless the work our hearts have planned. Ours is the faith, the will, the thought; The rest, O God, is in Your hand. (Repeat)

### **†Prayer of Dedication**

Michael-David Rowe

Scripture Isaiah 55:6-7 Sandra Hunt

One: The Word of God, for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

**Sermon** Seek the Lord Bo Prosser

# †Hymn of Response

"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

**NETTLETON** 

Words by Frederick William Faber (alt.) Music from Wyeth's Repository of Sacred Music, Part Second

There's a wideness in God's mercy, like the wideness of the sea.
There's a kindness in God's justice, which is more than liberty.
There is no place where earth's sorrows are more felt than up in heaven.
There is no place where earth's failings have such kindly judgment given.

For the love of God is broader than the measures of the mind. And the heart of the Eternal is most wonderfully kind. If our love were but more faithful, we would gladly trust God's Word, and our lives reflect thanksgiving for the goodness of our Lord.

## **Celebrating Community**

Christian McIvor

**†Sending Song** 

"Seek Ye First"

Words and Music by Karen Lafferty (alt.)

Seek ye first the kingdom of God seek, and you shall find; knock, and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

**†Benediction** 

Bo Prosser

**Postlude** 

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

by William R. Runyon arr. Douglas E. Wagner

Pam Weis

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