

NOVEMBER 15, 2015

Worship – 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School – 10:50 a.m.

PRELUDE

Rosi Penner Kaufman, Accompanist

WELCOME

Ruth Harder, Worship Leader

CALL TO WORSHIP

#103 *Jubilate Deo* (sing 1x in unison)

L: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the lands!

Serve the Lord with gladness!

Come into God's presence with singing!

C: Know that the Lord is God!

It is God that made us, and we belong to God;

We are God's people, and the sheep of God's pasture.

L: Enter the gates with thanksgiving,

And the courts with praise!

Give thanks, and bless the name of the Lord!

C: For the Lord is good;

God's steadfast love endures forever,

And God's faithfulness to all generations.

#103 *Jubilate Deo* (sing 2x in round, as directed)

CHILDREN'S TIME

Mike Horner

SCRIPTURE

Ecclesiastes 3:1-10

Mark 10:17-31

ANTHEM

If all you want, Lord
(see hymn #512 for text)

SERMON

The Man with the Question

Debra Sapp-Yarwood

RESPONSE

East: When it was our time, we were born;
When our time comes, we will die.

West: For some plants, it is time to sink their bulbs in soil;
And for others, it is time to eat their fruits.

East: We accept those who sense a time and call to kill;
We press toward the time to heal.

West: Over time we break things and build things.
We weep and laugh, mourn and dance, accumulate and purge,
All in time.

East: Sometimes we embrace and other times we offer privacy.
We seek, we lose, we keep, we dispose, we rip, we repair,
All in time.

West: There is a time for silence and a time for words.
Sometimes we love and sometimes we hate.
We suffer war, then we work for peace.
All in God's time.**

*HYMN #145

There's a wideness in God's mercy

CROSSLINES REFLECTION

Rachel Hostetler

COMMUNITY BUILDING TIME

INTRODUCTIONS

We are glad you are here. Once the attendance register reaches the center aisle, please pass it back to the outer aisle.

SHARING JOY

SHARING CONCERNS

PRAYING TOGETHER

Slips of paper are available in the attendance register for those who wish to offer joys and concerns silently and anonymously. These papers, if put in the offering plate, will be placed in the prayer bowl at the front of the sanctuary.

OFFERING

If you brought mittens, gloves, or hats for Cross-Lines, please pass those items to the center aisle at this time.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN #383

God, whose giving



Children in K - 5th grade are dismissed for WorshipArts (Room 114), a time for children to respond to worship, ask questions and learn more about the language, ritual, movement, sound and art incorporated in worship.

6-12th grade women are dismissed to Ruth's office for choir rehearsal.

*SENDING FORTH

L: As we go from this place let us present ourselves:

C: **our work and play,
our joys and sorrows,
our thoughts and deeds,
our gifts and resources,
to be used for the sake of all people everywhere,
through Jesus Christ, our Lord. AMEN.**

*POSTLUDE

* Please stand as you are able.

Unless otherwise indicated, hymns are in the blue *Hymnal: A Worship Book*.

Songs designated "SJ" are in the green *Sing the Journey* hymnal.

**Written by Debra Sapp-Yarwood

Now **Here** God

Here is a place for worship reflections. What are you sensing about God in the here and now?
What words, images or questions do you want to take with you into this new week?

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