

MAY 8, 2016

Worship -9:30 a.m.

Sunday School - 10:50 a.m.

PRELUDE

Janelle Campbell, Accompanist

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

Women's Ensemble

Poor wayfaring stranger

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Ruth Harder, Worship Leader

*HYMN #61

Let all creation bless the Lord

CHILDREN'S TIME

Mike Horner

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 23:1-3b; Psalm 25:1, 4-6; Psalm 26:1-3; Luke 5:17-26

Robert Carlson

SERMON

A healing hole in the roof

Clyde Coriell

HYMN

When peace, like a river

St. 1, solo; st. 2-4, congregation (see next page)



COMMUNITY BUILDING TIME SILENT REFLECTION

SHARING JOY

We welcome the introduction of guests and visitors during this time. One way we get to know one another is by signing the friendship registers. Once the register reaches the center aisle, please pass it back to the outer aisle.

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN #377

Healer of our every ill



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.

*SENDING FORTH

- L: God nurtures and cares for us beyond our knowledge
- C: And sustains us beyond our understanding.
- L: We go now to take healing outside these walls
- C: To find the holes in our lives and our community and fill them with the gracious Spirit of the Christ who binds us together.

*POSTLUDE

* Please stand as you are able.

Unless otherwise indicated, hymns are in the blue *Hymnal: A Worship Book*. Songs designated "STS" are in the purple *Sing the Story* hymnal.

When peace, like a river:

St. 1,4 from Hymnal: A Worship Book #336

Text: Horatio G. Spafford, 1876 Music: Philip P. Bliss, 1876

St. 2 Adpt: Stuart Townend & Phil Baggaley, ©2011 ThankyouMusic St. 3 By Horatio G. Spafford, part of original text not included in HWB

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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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