

heart speak
earth kingdom inherit
hunger mourn
merciful poor God thirst
utter filled sake disciples
evil sat
Jesus
receive see mountain revile
Blessed
kinds will called persecuted comforted
pure saw account mercy
peacemakers
people righteousness
crowds came saying
began taught children falsely went
spirit meek

August 25, 2019

Worship 9:30am

Safe Sanctuary Training 10:50

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Carol Buller, organist

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Duane Graber, worship leader

*HYMN #13

Blessed Jesus, at your word

WE LISTEN AND LEARN

CONVERSATION WITH CHILDREN

Jan Good-Bollinger

SPECIAL MUSIC

*Seek Ye First
Come, Thou Fount*

Rainbow Strings

Duane Krehbiel, Steve Goeke, Gail Goeke, Jesse Graber, Ella Wiebe,
Kate Wiebe, Emmeline Walker, Jon Wiebe, Paul Zehr

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 5:1-12
Kennedy Kaufman and Duane Graber

SERMON

A sermon for the ages

*HYMN #94 SJ

Blest are they

WE RESPOND AND SHARE

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 pew racks 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 table at the front of the sanctuary.

OFFERING

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you did not have time to submit a written announcement, or if something new needs highlighting, please hand your written announcement to the worship leader or pastor before the worship service.

WE GO INTO THE WORLD WITH LOVE

*SENDING FORTH

*HYMN

I bind my heart this tide

Please remain standing for the closing hymn and postlude.

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of two systems of music. The first system has a treble and bass staff. Above the treble staff are the chords: Dm, Gm, Dm, Gm, F. The lyrics are: 1 I bind my heart this tide to the Gal - i - le - an's side, to the 2 I bind my soul this day to the neigh - bor far a - way, and the 3 I bind my faith and call to the God, the Lord of all, to the 4 I bind my - self to peace, to make strife and en - vy cease. God! The second system also has a treble and bass staff. Above the treble staff are the chords: Dm, F, Gm, F, Dm, C, G, Dm. The lyrics are: wounds of Cal - va - ry, to the Christ who died for me. stran - ger near at hand, in this town, and in this land. Christ, the poor one's friend, and the Spir - it he did send. Knit se - cure the cord that u - nites me to my Lord! A - men.

Text: Lauchlan M. Watt (Scotland), *The Tryst: A Book of the Soul*, 1907, alt.
Music: J. Randall Zercher (USA), 1965, *Mennonite Hymnal*, 1969, © 1965 J. Randall Zercher

* POSTLUDE

* Please stand in body or in spirit.

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

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

As we sing, please use language that makes worship most meaningful, enriching and inclusive.

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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