

February 23, 2025

Worship 9:30am

Fellowship 10:30am

Learning Hour for all ages 10:50am

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Karen Goering Hostetler, pianist

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Duane Krehbiel, worship leader

*HYMN VT 95

Praise the Lord, Sing Hallelujah

WE LISTEN AND LEARN

MOMENT OF WONDER

Sara Mwangura

ANTHEM

Be Thou My Vision

arr. Parker

SCRIPTURE

Luke 10:38-42

SERMON

Rosi Penner Kaufman

*HYMN (see next page)

O God in Restless Living

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.

As we share our joys and concerns, please be mindful of those gathered remotely.

SHARING CONCERNS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYING TOGETHER

VT 434 *O God, Our Refuge*

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

If you would like to take advantage of electronic giving, please find the QR code printed in the newsnotes.

WE GO INTO THE WORLD WITH LOVE

***HYMN VT 38**

Life-Giver, Maker, God of All

***SENDING FORTH**

***POSTLUDE**

***You are invited to stand**

557 O God, in restless living

RUTHERFORD 76. 76. 76. 75

1 O God, in rest-less liv-ing we lose our spir-it's peace.
 2 Teach us, be-yond our striv-ing, the rich re-wards of rest.
 3 Re-cep-tive make our spir-its, our need is to be still.
 4 We grow not wise by strug-gling, we gain but things by strain.

Calm our un-wise con-fu-sion, bid thou our clam-or cease.
 Who does not live se-rene-ly is nev-er deep-ly bless'd.
 As dawn fades flick-ring can-dle, so dim our anx-ious will.
 We cease to wa-ter gar-dens, when comes thy plen-teous rain.

Let anx-ious hearts grow qui-et, like pools at eve-ning still,
 O tran-quil, ra-diant Sun-light, bring thou our lives to flow'r,
 Re-veal thy ra-diance through us, thine am-ple strength re-lease.
 O, beau-ti-fy our spir-its in rest-ful-ness from strife,

till thy re-flect-ed heav-ens all our spir-its fill.
 less wea-ried with our ef-fort, more a-ware of pow'r.
 Not ours, but thine the tri-umph in the pow'r of peace.
 en-rich our souls in se-cret with a-bun-dant life.

Text: Harry E. Fosdick, 1931

Music: Edward F. Rimbault, *Psalms and Hymns for Divine Worship*, 1867

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