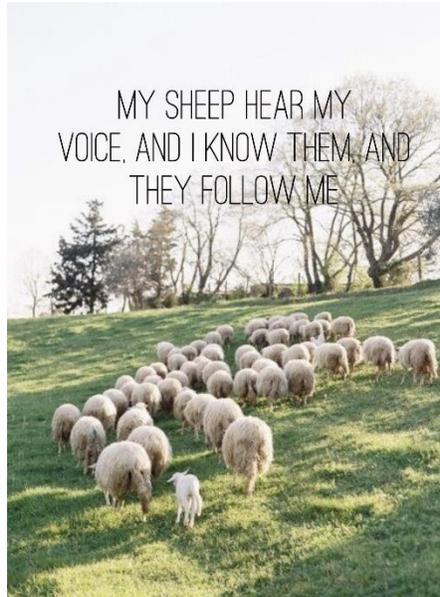


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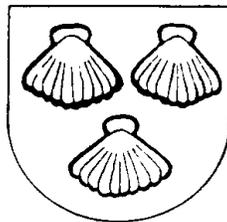


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Invitation and Gathering

Prelude "O Master Let Me Walk with Thee" *Offered by Jane Ohlmacher*

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Welcome *Nancy Everstine, CLS*

Gathering Song "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" *UMH 334*

Verse 1

There's a sweet sweet Spirit in this place
And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord
There are sweet expressions on each face
And I know they feel the presence of the Lord

Chorus

Sweet Holy Spirit
Sweet heavenly Dove
Stay right here with us
Filling us with your love
And for these blessings
We lift our hearts in praise
Without a doubt we'll know
That we have been revived
When we shall leave this place

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Call to Worship *Nancy Janson*

ONE: The gate stands open, ready for us to travel onward.

ALL: But we are stubborn and fear to enter the gateway.

ONE: His voice, speaking our names, draws us to him.

ALL: His voice will we listen and obey.

ONE: Our hearts rejoice and we can place our trust in the Good Shepherd.

ALL: Come, let us enter the gate with thanksgiving!

All: Enliven this time of worship, that we may find true life as we join with others; praising your name, celebrating your great goodness, and sharing your love for all people. Amen!

Opening Hymn "Lead On, O Cloud of Presence" *TFWS 2234*

1. Lead on O cloud of Presence
The exodus is come
In wilderness and desert
Our tribe shall make its home
Our slavery left behind us
New hopes within us grow
We seek the land of promise
Where milk and honey flow

2. Lead on O fiery Pillar
We follow yet with fears
But we shall come rejoicing
Though joy be born of tears
We are not lost though wandering
For by your light we come
And we are still God's people
The journey is our home

3. Lead on O God of freedom

And guide us on our way
And help us trust the promise
Through struggle and delay
We pray our sons and daughters
May journey to that land
Where justice dwells with mercy
And love is law's demand

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Passing the Peace

Nancy Janson

Children's Message

Donna Benson

Scripture

John 10: 1-10, 27-28

Nancy Janson

Hymn

"Who Is My Mother, Who Is My Brother"

TFWS 2225

1. Who is my mother who is my brother
All those who gather round Jesus Christ
Spirit blown people born from the Gospel
Sit at the table round Jesus Christ

2. Differently abled differently labeled
Widen the circle round Jesus Christ
Crutches and stigmas cultures' enigmas
All come together round Jesus Christ

3. Love will relate us color or status
Can't segregate us round Jesus Christ
Family failings human derailings
All are accepted round Jesus Christ

4. Bound by one vision met for one mission
We claim each other round Jesus Christ
Here is my mother here is my brother
Kindred in Spirit through Jesus Christ

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Message

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Prayer of the People, Church & World

Nancy Janson

The Lord's Prayer

Nancy Janson

Offering

***Doxology**

"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

UMH 94

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise God All creatures here below
Alleluia alleluia
Praise God the source of all our gifts
Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts
Praise the Spirit Holy Spirit
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

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*Please stand as able

Offering Prayer

*Closing Hymn

“I’m Gonna Sing When the Spirit Says Sing”

UMH 333

1. I’m gonna sing* when the Spirit says sing
I’m gonna sing* when the Spirit says sing
I’m gonna sing* when the Spirit says sing
And obey the Spirit of the Lord
2. *pray
3. *moan
4. *shout

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Benediction

Nancy Everstine, CLS

One: We have been refreshed and restored.

ALL: We have been called and guided.

One: Let us go forth knowing our shepherd and gate. We have heard the voice of God calling our name, calling us to the path of life, secure in the knowledge that goodness and mercy will follow us all the days of our life.

ALL: Amen

Postlude

“Brethren, We Have Met to Worship”

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Question for Reflection

As believers, we can take comfort in Jesus’ role as our Good Shepherd, knowing that he cares for us and leads us in our spiritual journey. How can we stay attentive to his voice and teachings, so that we can experience the fullness of life that he has come to give us?

Household Prayer: Morning

Praise the Lord, for it is your new mercy that woke me this morning.
I praise you as I see your wonderful works through the window of day.
I praise you as I feel the movement of your mysterious works in me.
May this new day be a song to my Creator,
who is willing to befriend me in renewed grace. Amen.

Household Prayer: Evening

Lord, I close this day acknowledging you as my God,
my helper, my refuge, for it is your grace that sustained me all day.
I lay down my burdens of the unwise choices, the unfinished tasks;
I humbly ask that you may cover me in the blanket of mercy.

I praise you with a joyful song of your salvation
in which I find peace and hope through Jesus Christ. Amen.

Resources:

Ascribe to God. Discipleship Ministries, 2024.

[The Abingdon Worship Annual 2024](#);

Feasting on the Word Worship Companion: Liturgies for Year B, Volume 2

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