

Welcome

Song: *Here I Am To Worship*

Call to Worship

We join together as hungry eaters
to be nourished by the food that you offer us.

God of sustenance, give us this day our daily bread.

As you care for the wheat fields that turn into bread
and the vineyards that labor to produce sweet wine,
tend to our bodies by feeding us what we need for healthy growth.

God of abundance, give us this day our daily bread.

The rich crops that you have prepared are now ready
to be harvested by our hands and our hearts.

Holy Spirit, come! Give us this day our daily bread.

(re-worship.blogspot.com)

Song: *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*

God's Greeting

We Greet Each Other

Song: *No Longer Slaves*

Confession

You call us to be your voices in this world
and we stay silent.

You call us to be your hands in this world
and we keep them hidden.

You call us to be your feet in this world
and we go our own way.

When we meet those who are doubting
and say nothing, forgive us.

When we meet those who need your touch
and do nothing, forgive us.

When we are called to take up your cross
and carry nothing, forgive us.

Breathe life into these bones
bring freedom to these lives
That we might declare
with heart and soul and voice
that you are our Lord and our God.
Amen

Assurance

God abides in you!
God is breathing, living,
forgiving, restoring you in this moment,
and in the days to come.
This is the good news for us!

**As God is in us,
so we can live, work,
care for others, so that love,
hope and joy might touch all people.
Thanks be to God, we are forgiven.**

(Thom Shuman via Lectionary Liturgies)

Song: *My Jesus, I Love Thee (Evert Izjerman BDay Song)*

Congregational Prayer

Offering

- 1) Woody Nook Ministries
- 2) World Renew

Song: *Yet Not I but Through Christ In Me*

Children's Blessing

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Matthew 7:13-29
Sermon: The Choice of a Lifetime

Communion Liturgy
Song: *All Who Are Thirsty*
Song: *My Soul Finds Rest (LUYH 370)*

Parting Blessing
Song: *There is a Redeemer (LUYH 833)*