\*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

The Lord’s Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

\*Singing Our Faith # **389** *“Freely, Freely”*

\*Blessing and Dismissal

\*Postlude

**Scatter to Serve God & Neighbor**

*Welcome to all! We gather to praise God for the innumerable blessings given to us and to grow deeper in the Spirit. Joyfully, let us lift our hearts to God.*



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10:30 a.m. ~ June 25, 2023 ~ Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Our ministry vision for the Virginia Annual Conference is ***“to be disciples of Jesus Christ who are lifelong learners, who influence others to serve.”***

***Welcome! Join us in worshiping God!***

Prelude *“I Worship You, Almighty God”* By Sondra Corbett-Wood

Welcome and Ministry Announcements

*Welcome in the name of Christ our Lord. Please register your attendance, printing your name, address, phone, and email, on the attendance pad provided on your pew. Thank you for silencing cell phones as we gather to worship God.*

Invocation

Greeting

More love to Thee, O Christ,

**More love to Thee!**

Hear Thou the prayer I make

**On bended knee;**

This is my earnest plea:

**More love, O Christ, to Thee,**

**More love to Thee!**

Once earthly joy I craved,

**Sought peace and rest;**

Now Thee alone I seek,

**Give what is best;**

This all my prayer shall be:

**More love, O Christ, to Thee,**

**More love to Thee!**

Then shall my latest breath

**Whisper Thy praise;**

This be the parting cry

**My heart shall raise;**

This still its prayer shall be:

**More love, O Christ, to Thee,**

**More love to Thee!***(Elizabeth Prentiss, 1856)*

Singing Our Faith **# 593** *“Here I Am, Lord”*

\*Opening Prayer

**Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

Special Music Rev. White

Greeting Friends and Neighbors

Prayer for Illumination

**God, source of all light, by your Word you give light to the soul. Pour out upon us the spirit of wisdom and understanding that, being taught by you in Holy Scripture, our hearts and minds may be opened to know the things that pertain to life and holiness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Scripture Lesson Matthew 10:24-39

The Word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

Singing Our Faith **# 393** *“Spirit of the Living God”* (Sing twice)

The Good News ***“Now That’s Awkward…”***

Bringing Forward God’s Tithes and Our Gifts

\*Doxology **# 95 Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all Creatures here below;** **praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

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