

**UNITE IN LOVE**

**Pre-service Music**

**Welcome**

**Prelude**

**\*Call to Worship**

One: We have been given minds to know God,

**ALL: hearts to love God,**

One: and voices to sing God's praise.

**ALL: Let's seek God's wisdom together!**

**\*Gathering Hymn #174**

"Come and Seek the Ways of Wisdom"

*all verses*

**Invitation to Confession**

**Prayer of Confession**

**Gracious God,  
our sins are too heavy to carry,  
too real to hide,  
and too deep to undo.  
Forgive what our lips tremble to name,  
what our hearts can no longer bear.  
Set us free from a past that we cannot change;  
open to us a future in which we can be changed;  
and grant us grace to grow more and more  
in your likeness and image;  
through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.**

**Quiet Reflection**

**Assurance of Grace**

One: Friends, hear and share the good news:

**ALL: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven and made whole. Thanks be to God!**

**Response to Grace #659**

"Know that God is Good"

**Passing the Peace**

**GROW IN FAITH**

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Scripture Reading**

Judges 4:1-9

**Time for Wonder** *children are invited forward*

**Reflection on the Word**

**\*The Word in Song #409**

“God is Here”

*all verses*

**Invitation to the Table**

**The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving**

One: The Lord be with you. **ALL: And also with you.**

**One:** Lift up your hearts. **ALL: we lift them to the Lord.**

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**ALL: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

One: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Living God. You love us with the faithful care of a parent. For this reason, we join with all creation to proclaim your glory:

**ALL: Holy One, God of power, God of Love.**

**Earth, sea, and sky are full of your glory.**

**With joy we praise you!**

*[celebrant continues]*

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**Our Creator in heaven, holy is your name, your kin-dom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kin-dom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

**Sharing the Meal**

One: The bread of heaven.

**ALL: We are one in the bread we share.** *[all partake of bread]*

One: The cup of salvation.

**ALL: We are one in the cup we share.** *[all partake of the cup]*

**Prayer**

**REACH OUT TO OTHERS**

**Offering Invitation & Dedication**

**\*Doxology 606**

**Our Life Together**

**\*Sending Hymn #747**

“The Lord Now Sends Us Forth”

*all verses*

**Blessing & Charge**

**Postlude**