



Sunday, August 15, 2021 at 10:00 am

Prelude—*March on Innocents and St. Bees* (P. C. Lutkin)

Sungyun Kim

Welcome

Rev. Cheryl Scramuzza

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Rev. Ruby Hines Henry

Leader: Christ is with us!

People: Christ is in our midst!

Threshold & Call to Worship

Rev. Ruby Hines Henry

In Christ we find our method. We have hoped and prayed having sought God's vision. We are created in Christ Jesus for life abundant. May we engage in mission together.

**Rooted and grounded in love, rooted and grounded in love,
here in this place, we find mercy and grace, rooted and grounded in love. (2x)**

We, as God's people, are hardwired for relationship and created for community. The last eighteen months have distanced and disoriented us physically, emotionally, and spiritually. But in Ephesians 5, we are reminded to ground ourselves in the wisdom of the Holy Spirit, and be intentional about how we live and walk in the world.

Leader: This is the Call!

Leader: May we be strengthened in our inner being.

People: Strengthened with power through God's Spirit.

Leader: Let us sing songs of thanksgiving at all times.

People: May we be rooted and grounded in love!

Opening Hymn—#595 *Be Thou My Vision* (vs. 1, 2, 4)

*Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me, save that thou art
Thou my best thought by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.*

*Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word;
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;
thou my redeemer, my love thou hast won,
thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.*

*Great God of heaven, my victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.*

Morning Prayer

Rev. Ruby Hines Henry

Children's Moment

Rev. Megan Turner

Passing the Peace

Rev. Cheryl Scramuzza

Words of Institution

Rev. Cheryl Scramuzza

Prayers of Thanksgiving

Donna Schmidt, Judd Austin

Leader: The Body of Christ was given for us.

People: Amen

Leader: The Blood of Christ was poured out for us.

People: Amen

Communion Music—*An Upper Room Did Our Lord Prepare*

Sungyun Kim

Moment for Mission

Leanne Seabright

Offering

Doxology—#46 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Prayer of Dedication

Rev. Cheryl Scramuzza

Scripture Reading— Ephesians 5:15-20

Chuck Britain

Anthem—*Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God* (K. Getty & S. Townend)

Chrissy Lasater, soloist

The Morning Message— "*A Method for the Madness*"

Rev. Megan Turner

Invitation

Rev. Megan Turner

Invitation Hymn— *We Are One in Christ Jesus/Somos Uno en Cristo*

REFRAIN: *We are one in Christ Jesus, all one body,
All one spirit, all together. (2x)*

*We share one God, one mighty Lord,
One abiding faith, one binding love, one single baptism,
One Holy Comforter, the Holy Spirit, uniting all. (REFRAIN)*

Benediction

Rev. Megan Turner

Postlude— *Postlude in F major Op. 28, No. 7* (C. Cappelen)

Sungyun Kim



*The flowers on the Chancel are in loving memory of my parents,
Jack & Fanelle Thurman and brothers, Jack, Jr. and Rob, given by Lyn T. Robinette.*

*The flowers on the baptistery rail are in celebration of our birthdays this week,
given by Jerry & Wanda Hickman.*

*The red carnation is in celebration of the birth of Noah Lee Pickering to parents Savannah and Johnny,
and big brother, Luke. Proud grandparents are Judd and Jennifer Austin.*

Register your attendance here:

