



*“Things I Don’t Know”*

**PRELUDE**—*Communion, Op. 8* (L. Vierne)

Sungyun Kim

**WELCOME**

Rev. Virzola Law

\* **LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE**

Rev. Cheryl Scramuzza

Leader: Christ is with us;

People: **Christ is in our midst.**

\* **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Rev. Cheryl Scramuzza

One: God, this morning we hear your commandments reimagined by your Son.

**All: With your grace, in this place, may we be open to think again.**

One: Jesus our Savior, we see the ways we have divided what you seek to unite.

**All: With your curiosity, in this time, may we be open to wonder again.**

One: Precious Spirit, we feel the ways our hearts have hardened towards your Kingdom on Earth.

**All: With your compassion, in this world, may we be open to love again so that we may leave this place to serve again.**

One: With God’s grace, curiosity, and compassion around us, let us worship.

**All: Amen.**

\* Please rise, in body or in spirit.

\* **OPENING HYMN**—#277 *Christians, We Have Met to Worship* (vs. 1, 3)

*Christians, we have met to worship and adore the living God;  
Will you pray with all your power, while we try to preach the Word?  
All is vain unless the Spirit of the Holy One comes down;  
Christians pray, and holy manna will be showered all around.*

*Let us love our God supremely, let us love each other, too;  
Let us pray for all earth's people till our God makes all things new.  
Christ will call us home to heaven, at the table we'll sit down;  
Christ will welcome us and serve us living manna all around.*

**MORNING PRAYER**

Rev. Cheryl Scramuzza

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT**

Rev. Virzola Law

**MOMENT FOR MISSION**

Rev. Dr. Ken Crawford

**OFFERING**

\* **DOXOLOGY**—#46 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\* **PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

Rev. Dr. Ken Crawford

**SCRIPTURE READING**—Mark 10:2-5, 15-16

Emily Hohnstein, Joe Semones & Andrew Reinhart

**ANTHEM**—*For Everyone Born* (arr. T. Trenney)

Northway Chancel Choir

**THE MORNING MESSAGE**—“*Things I Don't Know*”

Rev. Virzola Law

\* **PASSING THE PEACE**

Rev. Dr. Ken Crawford

As part of our Table centered spirituality, the “peace of Christ” is offered as a sign of our reconciliation to God and neighbor. It is a visible symbol of our being “a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world,” preparing us to “welcome all to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us.”

\* **COMMUNION HYMN**—#425 *Let Us Break Bread Together* (vs. 1-3)

*Let us break bread together on our knees. 2x REFRAIN  
Let us drink wine together on our knees. 2x REFRAIN  
Let us praise God together on our knees. 2x REFRAIN*

REFRAIN: *When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun,  
O Lord, have mercy on me.*

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

Rev. Dr. Ken Crawford

**PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING**

Roderick Fisher, Insun Park

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

**People: Amen**  
**People: Amen**

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

**SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP**

We believe in “open communion” as a church, which means that we do not require you to be a member of Northway in order to participate in the service of the Lord’s Supper. Remember what God has done for you in Christ and respond by faith. You don’t have to have it all figured out or recite a creed; it is not a requirement of the head, but an invitation addressed to your heart.

Committed to our value of an Open Table—inviting all to the table where our diversity finds unity in Christ.

**INVITATION**

Rev. Virzola Law

\* **INVITATION HYMN**—#113 *Jesus Loves Me* (vs. 1-3)

*Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so.  
Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong.*

REFRAIN: *Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus, loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.*

*Jesus loves me! This I know; as he loved so long ago,  
Taking children on his knee, saying, “Let them come to me.”* (REFRAIN)

*Jesus loves me still today, walking with me on my way,  
Wanting as a friend to give light and love to all who live.* (REFRAIN)

**BENEDICTION**

Rev. Virzola Law

**POSTLUDE**—*Trumpet Postlude on “Lord, Enthroned in Heavenly Splendor* (F. D. Ashdown)

Sungyun Kim



*The flowers on the Chancel are provided by the Clyde Driscoll Fund.*

## WELCOME

We are glad you have chosen to worship with us today!

Northway's mission is to Share Christ with those seeking meaning and purpose. That's why, in addition to worship, we also provide ways for you to discover the God we know in Jesus Christ, to connect with one another, and serve others from our front doorsteps to the ends of the earth. We would love to help you take the next step in your own search for...a church home...deeper engagement with scripture... meaningful relationships...meaning and purpose in your life.

Do you have questions about Northway? To learn more about our beliefs, history, staff, and opportunities, please visit the Welcome Center, located at the main entrance off the Northwest Hwy. parking lot.

If you would prefer to speak to a staff member Monday through Friday, please call 214.361.6641.

## A LOOK AHEAD AT UPCOMING EVENTS

Event Date	Event Name	Start Time	Location
Sunday, October 03, 2021	World Communion Sunday	2:00PM	Thanks-Giving Square
Monday, October 04, 2021	Tai Chi	10:30AM	F-101
	Blessing of Animals at Dog Park	10:00AM	White Rock Lake Dog Park
Tuesday, October 05, 2021	Neighborhood Night Out	5:00PM	South Lot
	Blessing of the Animals	6:30PM	South Lot
Wednesday, October 06, 2021	Brown Bag Bible Study	12:00PM	Parlor & Zoom
	Clear the Table	6:30PM	Facebook
	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	7:30PM	Sanctuary
Thursday, October 07, 2021	MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)	9:15AM	F-103

**PLEASE REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE HERE:**

