



**PRELUDE**  
Andantino

D. Bedard

**GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

**ORGAN INTROIT**

Let Us Break Bread Together

arr. C. Callahan

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#28 For Beauty of Meadows

ST. DENIO

**\*INVOCATION AND 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, for ever and ever. Amen.

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Loving God, you call us to press on,  
to leave the past behind and strain toward  
the future you have for us.  
We settle into the present, content with ourselves  
and fearful of change and growth.  
You call us to maturity and transformation  
but we are stubborn and comfortable,  
stuck in a cruise-control zone of familiarity.  
Rekindle our imagination!  
Replace nostalgia with a yearning for newness,  
the promise of your coming,  
and the renewal of all creation.

(Silence for personal confession and reflection)

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*GLORIA PATRI**

R. Goodson

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now and  
Ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**OFFERING OF MUSIC IN WORSHIP**

Concerto in G Major  
III Andante

G.P. Telemann

Maggie Marthinsen, Viola

**FIRST TESTAMENT READING**

Habakkuk 3:1-10, 16-18

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**

#81 We Gather Together

KREMSER

**CHILDREN'S BLESSING**

**SECOND TESTAMENT READING**

Philippians 3:12-21

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

**SERMON** "Imitation and Transformation" Rev. Dr. Ryan Sato

**\*HYMN OF APPROACH**

#694 Come, Let Us Eat

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**GATHERING AT THE TABLE**

\*The Passing of the Peace

\*Affirmation of Faith: The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, light from light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Bread  
The Cup

**WORDS FOR THE SHARING**

(adapted from "Every Holy Moment: Vol. 1)

One: We are gathered at this table in grateful fellowship  
to share the blessing of this meal at the beginning  
of a new week.

**Many: We lift our hearts and prayers.**

One: For grace and provision in the coming week,

**Many: we look to you.**

One: For the life-giving gifts of your word and your truth,

**Many: we are thankful.**

One: For the joys of life shared with family and friends,

**Many: we praise you.**

One: For the grace to live in grateful humility,

**Many: we look to you.**

One: For the many blessings and beauties that surround us,

**Many: we are thankful.**

One: For the displays of your majesty and power  
in our world,

**Many: we praise you.**

**All: May the rhythms of our petitions and praise become, in  
time, like the steady drumbeat in a long  
and unending song of your faithfulness, O God. Amen.**

**OFFERING OF MUSIC for COMMUNION**

Prelude on "Come, Let Us Eat"

arr. F. Ferko

**CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**Offertory**

Tuba Tune

C. Cooman

Communion Offering for e4c.

**Doxology**

**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.**

**\*Prayer of Gratitude**

**\*HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY**

#464 May the Mind of Christ, My Savior

ST. LEONARDS

**\*THE BLESSING OF THE COMMUNITY**

**Leader:** May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and  
the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

**People:** And also with you.

**\*The Sending of the Community**

**\*Congregational Amen**

**\*POSTLUDE**

Partita on ST. DENIO

arr. F. Ashdown

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