



February 1, 2026
Sunday Gathering

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-PRELUDE-

"Slane" - arr. M. Hayes

Brenda Gardiner

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-WELCOME-

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-SINGING TOGETHER-

"Welcome"

LET'S WALK TOGETHER FOR A WHILE
AND ASK WHERE WE BEGIN
TO BUILD A WORLD WHERE LOVE CAN GROW
AND HOPE CAN ENTER IN,
TO BE THE HANDS OF HEALING
AND TO PLANT THE SEEDS OF PEACE,

SINGING WELCOME,
WELCOME TO THIS PLACE.

YOU'RE INVITED
TO COME AND KNOW GOD'S GRACE.
ALL ARE WELCOME,
THE LOVE OF GOD TO SHARE.
'CAUSE ALL OF US ARE WELCOME HERE;
ALL ARE WELCOME IN THIS PLACE.

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-CALL TO WORSHIP-

The God we worship is steady and faithful;
YET, GOD CONTINUES TO SURPRISE US.

Before we ever knew about God;
GOD KNEW US AND LOVED US.

Even when we are not aware of God's presence,
GOD PROMISES TO BE WITH US.

Even when hope seems lost,
WE ARE REFRESHED BY GOD'S GRACE.

God's mercies are new every morning;
GREAT IS GOD'S FAITHFULNESS!

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-OPENING PRAYER-

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-GREETING ONE ANOTHER-

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-SINGING TOGETHER-

"Lord of All Hopefulness"

LORD OF ALL HOPEFULNESS,
LORD OF ALL JOY,
WHOSE TRUST, EVER CHILDLIKE,
NO CARES COULD DESTROY,
BE THERE AT OUR WAKING,
AND GIVE US, WE PRAY,
YOUR BLISS IN OUR HEARTS, LORD
AT THE BREAK OF THE DAY.

LORD OF ALL EAGERNESS,
LORD OF ALL FAITH,
WHOSE STRONG HANDS WERE SKILLED
AT THE PLANE AND THE LATHE,
BE THERE AT OUR LABORS,
AND GIVE US WE PRAY,
YOUR STRENGTH IN OUR HEARTS, LORD,
AT THE NOON OF THE DAY.

LORD OF ALL KINDLINESS,
LORD OF ALL GRACE,
YOUR HANDS SWIFT TO WELCOME,
YOUR ARMS TO EMBRACE,

BE THERE AT OUR HOMING,
AND GIVE US, WE PRAY,
YOUR LOVE IN OUR HEARTS, LORD,
AT THE EVE OF THE DAY.

LORD OF ALL GENTLENESS,
LORD OF ALL CALM,
WHOSE VOICE IS CONTENTMENT,
WHOSE PRESENCE IS BALM,
BE THERE AT OUR SLEEPING,
AND GIVE US WE PRAY,
YOUR PEACE IN OUR HEARTS, LORD,
AT THE END OF THE DAY.

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-SCRIPTURE-

1 Corinthians 12:12-27 (CEB)

Christ is just like the human body—a body is a unit and has many parts; and all the parts of the body are one body, even though there are many. We were all baptized by one Spirit into one body, whether Jew or Greek, or slave or free, and we all were given one Spirit to drink.

Certainly the body isn't one part but many. If the foot says, "I'm not part of the body because I'm not a hand," does that mean it's not part of the body? If the ear says, "I'm not part of the body because I'm not an eye," does that mean it's not part of the body? If the whole body were an eye, what would happen to the hearing? And if the whole body were an ear, what would happen to the sense of smell? But as it is, God has placed each one of the parts in the body just like he wanted.

If all were one and the same body part, what would happen to the body? But as it is, there are many parts but one body. So the eye can't say to the hand, "I don't need you," or in turn, the head can't say to the feet, "I don't need you." Instead, the parts of the body that people think are the weakest are the most necessary.

The parts of the body that we think are less honorable are the ones we honor the most. The private parts of our body that aren't presentable are the ones that are given the most dignity. The parts of our body that are presentable don't need this. But God has put the body together, giving greater honor to the part with less honor so that there won't be division in the body and so the parts might have mutual concern for each other.

If one part suffers, all the parts suffer with it; if one part gets the glory, all the parts celebrate with it. You are the body of Christ and parts of each other.

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-THE MESSAGE-

"We Need Us"

Kenny Bishop

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-SINGING TOGETHER-

"God Comes to Us"

GOD COMES TO US ON WINTER NIGHT,
IN BABY'S BREATH, BY FIRELIGHT,
GOD COMES TO US ON A STAR.
GOD COMES TO US AMIDST OUR FEARS,
UNSPOKEN JOYS, UNENDING TEARS,
GOD COMES TO US WHERE WE ARE.

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-SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS-

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-PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE-

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-SINGING TOGETHER-

"God Comes to Us"

GOD COMES TO US AMIDST OUR FEARS,
UNSPOKEN JOYS, UNENDING TEARS,
GOD COMES TO US WHERE WE ARE.

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-INVITATION TO COMMUNION-

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-COMMUNION MEDITATION-

"Oh, How He Loves You and Me"

OH, HOW HE LOVES YOU AND ME.
OH, HOW HE LOVES YOU AND ME;
HE GAVE US LOVE,
WHAT MORE COULD HE GIVE?
OH, HOW HE LOVES YOU;
OH HOW HE LOVES ME;
OH, HOW HE LOVES YOU AND ME!

OH, HOW HE LOVES YOU AND ME.
OH, HOW HE LOVES YOU AND ME;
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-IN GRATITUDE-

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-OFFERING-

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-ANNOUNCEMENTS-

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-INVITATION TO RESPOND-

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-SINGING TOGETHER-

"All Are Welcome"

LET US BUILD A HOUSE WHERE LOVE CAN DWELL
AND ALL CAN SAFELY LIVE,
A PLACE WHERE SAINTS AND CHILDREN TELL
HOW HEARTS LEARN TO FORGIVE.
BUILT OF HOPES AND DREAMS AND VISIONS,
ROCK OF FAITH AND VAULT OF GRACE;
HERE THE LOVE OF CHRIST SHALL END DIVISIONS:
ALL ARE WELCOME,
ALL ARE WELCOME,
ALL ARE WELCOME IN THIS PLACE.

LET US BUILD A HOUSE WHERE LOVE IS FOUND
IN WATER, WINE, AND WHEAT:
A BANQUET HALL ON HOLY GROUND,
WHERE PEACE AND JUSTICE MEET.
HERE THE LOVE OF GOD, THROUGH JESUS,
IS REVEALED IN TIME AND SPACE;
AS WE SHARE THE LOVE OF CHRIST THAT FREES US:
ALL ARE WELCOME,
ALL ARE WELCOME,
ALL ARE WELCOME IN THIS PLACE.

LET US BUILD A HOUSE WHERE ALL ARE NAMED,
THEIR SONGS AND VISIONS HEARD
AND LOVED AND TREASURED, TAUGHT AND CLAIMED
AS WORDS WITHIN THE WORD.

BUILT OF TEARS AND CRIES AND LAUGHTER,
PRAYER OF FAITH AND SONGS OF GRACE;
LET THIS HOUSE PROCLAIM FROM FLOOR TO RAFTER:

ALL ARE WELCOME,
ALL ARE WELCOME,
ALL ARE WELCOME IN THIS PLACE.

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-BLESSING & BENEDICTION-

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-SINGING TOGETHER-

"All Are Welcome"

LET US BUILD A HOUSE WHERE HANDS WILL REACH
BEYOND THE WOOD AND STONE
TO HEAL AND STRENGTHEN, SERVE AND TEACH,
AND LIVE THE WORD THEY'VE KNOWN.

HERE THE OUTCAST AND THE STRANGER
BEAR THE IMAGE OF GOD'S FACE;
LET US BRING AN END TO FEAR AND DANGER:

ALL ARE WELCOME,
ALL ARE WELCOME,
ALL ARE WELCOME IN THIS PLACE.