

February 15, 2026

## Worship

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**Prelude** - Gathering as a Community of Faith Marni Wiggins

**Welcome (Announcements)**

**\*Greeting One Another in the Spirit of Love**

**\*Opening Praise Song** “Come Now Is the Time to Worship”

**\*Prayer**

**\*Call to Worship**

**L:** We come today acknowledging the empty spaces we carry—the quiet rooms, the weary hearts, and the places where hope has grown thin.

**C: Lord, we bring our emptiness to You.**

**L:** Our God is the one who reaches into the void. He touched the darkness and brought forth light; He touched the dust and brought forth life.

**C: Touch our lives today, O God.**

**L:** Where we are hollow, fill us with Your Spirit. Where we are lonely, surround us with Your community.

**C: We are the vessels; You are the living water.**

**L:** Come and see! The God who poured out His life for us now pours His love into us.

**All: Let us worship the God who touches the empty heart and makes it whole again.**

**\*Hymn** “Be Thou My Vision” No. 353

**Scriptures**

1 Samuel 1:9-18

\*Luke 1:46-55

**Pastoral Prayer of the People**

**Lord’s Prayer**

**\*Hymn** “Jesus Love Me” No. 462

**God Moments**

(This is a time to share how Jesus Christ our risen Lord has provided you with a moment of blessing and grace)

**Youth Sermon**

**Praise Song** “Same God” Elevation

**Message** “A Prayer Without Words” Rev J. Mark Hensley

**Offertory Prayer (Read in Unison)**

**We bring to you what we have—sometimes it feels like much, and sometimes it feels like almost nothing at all. We offer these gifts and our very lives, trusting that in your hands, even the smallest offering is enough. Use these resources to fill the empty places of our world with your bread, your justice, and your hope. Amen.**

**Offertory** (The offering plates will be passed while music is played)

**\*Doxology**

**\*Hymn** “Have Thine Own Way, Lord” No. 366

**\*Benediction**

**\*Benediction Song** “Let There Be Peace on Earth” No. 308

**Postlude** Marni Wiggins

**We exist to reflect the love of Jesus so that others may experience God’s love as we grow together in faith, love and service**

## **“Here I Am”**

**Sometimes the heart is too full for speech, and the soul’s deepest longings find no home in sentences. In those quiet moments, prayer becomes a rhythmic breath—a silent turning of the face toward the Light. It is the sacred language of a sigh, the weight of a tear, or the peaceful stillness of a hand held open in surrender.**

**When words fail, the Spirit listens to the melody of our presence, understanding that our very silence is an anthem of trust.**

**We find that God is not waiting for a polished script, but for the honest vibration of a heart that simply says, without a sound, "Here I am."**

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