

Singing: VU481 "Sent Forth By God's Blessing"

*Sent forth by God's blessing, our true faith confessing,
the people of God from this dwelling take leave.
The supper is ended, O now be extended
the fruits of this service in all who believe.
The seed of Christ's teaching, receptive souls reaching,
shall blossom in action for God and for all.
God's grace did invite us, God's love shall unite us
to work for the kingdom and answer its call.*

*With praise and thanksgiving to God ever living,
the tasks of our everyday life we will face.
Our faith ever sharing, in love ever caring,
embracing God's children of each tribe and race.
With your feast you feed us, with your light now lead us;
unite us as one in this life that we share.
Then may all the living with praise and thanksgiving
give honour to Christ and the name that we bear.*

Sending Forth: VU964 "Go Now in Peace"

*Go now in peace, go now in peace
May the love of God surround you
Everywhere, everywhere, you may go*

Postlude: "Prelude #1 in C major
from Book 2 of the Well Tempered Clavier"
by J.S Bach

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

Musician: Warren Mack
Host: Karen Aistrope
Scripture Reading: Karen Aistrope
Reflection: Rev. Blaine Gregg
Moment for Mission: Karen Aistrope

Welcome to Spirit of Hope

A Community of Faith in ministry together with
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Sunday, July 20, 2025 – Order of Service
Sixth Sunday After Pentecost
Outdoor All Ages Communion

Join the service LIVE beginning at ~10:20AM
<https://youtube.com/@spiritofhopeunitedchurch791>

Prelude

Welcome and Acknowledging the Land

The Spark

Welcoming Each Other

*Please greet each other with signs
of welcome and peace*

Sharing the Light and Peace of Christ:
MV77 "Be Still and Know" (sing twice)

*Be still and know that I am God.
Be still and know that I am God.*

Call To Worship

One: This sacred place is our sanctuary to.
All: ***God is wherever God's people gather.***
One: Come this day, which God has made,
to be fed in body and Spirit.
All: ***Thanks be to God!***

Gathering Prayer

All: ***Creator God, you are known in sunbeams
and raindrops. We welcome the warmth of
your love as we worship together. Amen.***

Singing: MV30 *"It's a Song of Praise"*

*It's a song of praise to the Maker,
the thrush sings high in the tree.
It's a song of praise to the Maker,
The gray whale sings in the sea,*

*And by the Spirit
you and I can join our voice to the holy cry
and sing, sing, sing to the Maker too.*

*It's a call of life to the Giver
when waves and waterfalls roar.
It's a call of life to the Giver
when high tides break on the shore...*

*And by the Spirit you and I
can join our voice to the holy cry
and sing, sing, sing to the Maker too.*

*It's a hymn of love to the Lover;
the bumblebees hum along.
It's a hymn of love to the Lover,
the summer breeze joins the song...*

*And by the Spirit you and I
can join our voice to the holy cry
and sing, sing, sing to the Maker too.*

*It's the chorus of all creation;
it's sung by all living things.
It's the chorus of all creation;
a song the universe sings...*

*And by the Spirit you and I
can join our voice to the holy cry
and sing, sing, sing to the Maker too.*

Scripture: Colossians 1:23b-28
Luke 10:38-42

Solo: *"What if God Were One of Us"* by B. Brazilian
sung by Helen Newsham

Reflection: *"Let Me Be Your Servant"*

Singing: VU595 *"The Servant Song"* (verses 1,2,4,6)

*We are pilgrims on a journey,
fellow travellers on the road;
we are here to help each other
walk the mile and bear the load.*

*Sister, let me be your servant,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace to
let you be my servant too.*

*I will weep when you are weeping,
when you laugh, I'll laugh with you;
I will share your joy and sorrow,
till we've seen this journey through.*

*Brother, let me be your servant,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace to
let you be my servant too.*

Moment for Mission

Sharing Communion

The Prayer of Jesus: Inclusive based on (Luke - NRSV)

*Let us pray Jesus' family prayer in the style passed on to us
in the book of Luke:*

*Creator, hallowed be your name.
Your kin-dom come.
Give us each day our daily bread.*

*And forgive us our sins,
for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us.
And do not bring us to the time of trial.*

Amen.