

Community of Christ

Sunday, June 7, 2026

Grow in Faith

Prelude	Darrell White
Welcome	Sylvia Elrod
Scripture of Invitation: Doctrine and Covenants 157:16B, 17	Sylvia Elrod
Opening Hymn“ The Lord’s My Shepherd”	CCS# 259
Invocation	Sylvia Elrod
Prayer for Peace	Colleen Gocken
Scripture Reading: Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26 NRSVUE	Jayne Ackley
Hymn “With a Steadfast Faith”	CCS# 649
Disciples Generous Response	Sylvia Elrod
Sacrament of The Lord’s Supper	
Communion Scripture: Matthew 26:26-30	Jean Hedrich
Invitation to Communion	Jean Hedrich
Hymn of Preparation “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”	CCS# 87
Blessing and Serving of the Bread and Wine	Sylvia Elrod and Jean Hedrich
Pastoral Prayer	Sheryl Sawyers
Hymn of Hope “God is Calling”	CCS#172
Sending Forth	Sylvia Elrod
Postlude	AV

The Lord's My Shepherd, CCS 259

The Lord's my Shepherd; I'll not want. He makes me down to lie
in pastures green. He leadeth me the quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again, and me to walk doth make
within the paths of righteousness, e'en for his own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, yet will I fear no ill,
for thou art with me, and thy rod and staff me comfort still.

My table thou hast furnished in presence of my foes;
my head thou dost with oil anoint, and my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me,
and in God's house forevermore my dwelling place shall be.

With a Steadfast Faith, CCS 649

With a steadfast faith together let us walk as we seek our Maker's mind;
in our daily task and in the Word revealed, God's eternal purpose find.

With a steadfast faith together let us walk that each one on earth may know
the abundant life, the way that Jesus taught, and in Christlike stature grow.

With a steadfast faith together let us walk, serving with a common heart,
sharing gratefully the Spirit's constant care, and to all God's love impart.

Breathe on Me, Breath of God, 190

Breathe on me, Breath of God; fill me with life anew
that I may love what thou dost love and do what thou wouldst do.

Breathe on me, Breath of God, until my heart is pure,
until with thee I will one will—to do and to endure.

Breathe on me, Breath of God, till I am wholly thine,
until this earthly part of me glows with thy fire divine.

Breathe on me, Breath of God, so shall I never die
but live with thee the perfect life of thine eternity.
Amen.

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing, CCS 87

Come, thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above;
praise the mount—I'm fixed upon it—mount of thy redeeming love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer; hither by thy help I've come;
 and I hope, by thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.
 Jesus sought me when a stranger, wand'ring from the fold of God;
 he, to rescue me from danger, interposed his precious blood.

Oh, to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!
 Let thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wand'ring heart to thee.
 Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
 here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts above.
 Amen.

God Is Calling, 172

God is calling through the whisper of the Spirit's deepest sighs;
 through the thrill of sudden beauties that can catch us by surprise.
 Flash of lightning, crash of thunder; hush of stillness, rush of wonder:
 God is calling—can you hear?

God is calling through the voices of our neighbors' urgent prayers:
 through their longing for redemption and for rescue from despair.
 Place of hurt or face of needing; strident cry or silent pleading:
 God is calling—can you hear?

God is calling through the music of sublime and human arts:
 through the hymns of earth and angels, and the carols of our hearts.
 Lift of joy and gift of singing; days and nights our praises bringing:
 God is calling—and we hear!