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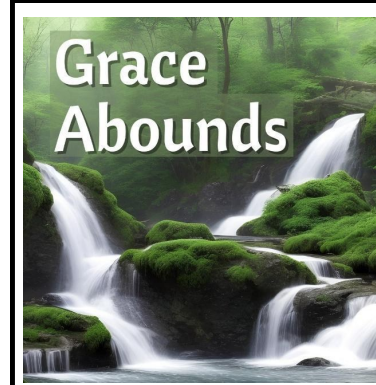
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TRINITY

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

*A Welcoming Community of
Compassion & Faith*

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

FEBRUARY 9, 2025

PRELUDE

Be Still My Soul

arr. Greg Howlett

Julia Davids, piano

WELCOME TO TRINITY

Anne Mason

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Hymnal No 57

Verses 1-4,7

OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

Merciful God, because your grace abounds,
teach us to trust in your abundance.

Help us to keep the Sabbath, praise you with grateful hearts,
and share your blessings freely.

Grant us the courage to forgive as we are forgiven
and to risk reconciliation so that we may live as signs of hope
in a world marked by greed, anxiety, and hostility;
through your Son Jesus Christ, who is the fullness of your grace,
and the Holy Spirit, who sustains us in your love. Amen.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

*After each petition ending "Lord, hear us,"
please respond saying: "Lord, graciously hear us."*

THE 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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

PRAYER RESPONSE

Take, O Take Me as I Am

Take, O take me as I am. Sum - mon out what I shall
be; set your seal up - on my heart and live in me.

PSALTER

Psalm 138

Hymnal № 853

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 146

SERMON

“Practicing Praise” Rev. Dr. Brian C. Smith

HYMN

How Great Thou Art

Hymnal № 77

Verses 1,3,4

TRINITY WILMETTE THIS WEEK

GIVING OUR TITHES and OFFERINGS

Offertory

The 23rd Psalm

arr. Bobby McFerrin

The Lord is my Shepherd; I have all I need, she makes me lie down in green meadows, beside the still waters, she will lead. She restores my soul, she rights my wrongs, she leads me in a path of good things, and fills my heart with songs. Even though I walk through a dark and dreary land, there is nothing that can shake me, she has said, She won't forsake me, I'm in her hand. She sets a table before me, in the presence of my foes, she anoints my head with oil, and my cup overflows.

Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Hymnal № 94

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CLOSING HYMN

All Praise to Our Redeeming Lord

Hymnal № 554

Verses 1,2,5,6

BENEDICTION and CHORAL AMEN

POSTLUDE

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing arr. Eleanor Whitsett