

5th Sunday after the Epiphany
February 4, 2024 at 10 am



Prelude

Call to Worship

One: God is known to us

All: **yet beyond our knowing.**

One: Jesus walks beside us

All: **yet is always ahead of us.**

One: The table is set, and we are welcome

All: **because God's love includes everyone.**

Hymn 764 *Come to the table of grace* (Glory to God)

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Welcome & Gathering Prayer

Assurance of God's Grace

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Peace Invocation *Shalom*

Words & Music: Donald J. Reagan

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May the peace of Christ be with you,

At home and in your heart,

Shalom with you abide

Through the day and night,

Every day of your life

Scripture Mark 1:29-39

Wondering... about Jesus' elusiveness

Hymn *Healer of our every ill* (Glory to God)

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The Sacrament of Communion

Invitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

Enjoying the Gifts of the Earth

Reflection: *What feast will you bring?*

Knox Chancel Choir. Words & Music Charles McCartha.

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Prayer of Discipleship

Life and Ministry of Knox Waterloo

Invitation to Offering

Offertory *Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ*

Mary Catherine Pazzano, piano

Music Jamaican Folk Tune, adapted by Doreen Potter, arr. John Carter

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Doxology *Now thank we all our God*

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Now thank we all our God,

with heart, and hands, and voices,

Who wondrous things has done,

in whom God's world rejoices;

Who from our mother's arms has blessed us on our way

with countless gifts of love and still is ours today.

Hymn 579 *I know the Lord's laid his hands on me*

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Blessing

Sending Song *God speed you on your way (vs. 3)*

Words & Music: Shona Murray & Shirley Erena Murray

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God lead you to the new,

Places and points of view,

Roads to take,

Friends to make,

More life to travel through (x2)

Postlude

Worship Leaders:

The Rev. Courtney Crawford (she/her)

The Rev. Hugh Donnelly (he/him)

Mary-Catherine Pazzano (she/her)

Music Scholars:

Cassidy Hengartner (she/her)

Vlad Mlotschek (he/him)

Natalia Sawyer (she/her)

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