

# *Beguiled*

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## BY BEAUTY

*Cultivating a Life of Contemplation & Compassion*

### **Martin United Methodist Church**

### **Service of Worship**

*bold, bold italic are spoken/sung in unison*

September 13, 2020

11:00 a.m.

### ***We Gather***

**Welcome**

Rev. Lara Franklin

**Prelude**

*Jesus Loves Me, This I Know*  
Jieun Lee

arr. Larson

**Threshold Moment**

# Prayer of Opening

Rev. Lara Franklin

**All: Divine Goodness, Holy One,  
Pause us for this moment, bear us up in this time, hold us for eternity.  
We open to your warming presence.  
We remember we came from you.  
We affirm all beings are your beloveds. Amen.**

## Hymn

*Jesu, Thy Boundless Love to Me*

### **Jesu, Thy Boundless Love to Me**

Gerhardt, trans. Wesley

ST. CATHERINE

Frederick W. Faber

1. Je - su, thy bound - less love to me no thought can reach, no tongue de - clare;  
2. O grant that noth - ing in my soul may dwell, but thy pure thy love a - lone!  
3. O Love, how cheer - ing is thy ray! All pain be - in weak - ness fore thy pres - ence flies!  
4. In suff - 'ring be thy love my peace, in - - be thy love my pow'r;

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O knit my thank - ful heart to thee and reign with out a ri - val there.  
O may thy love pos - sess me whole, my joy, my treas - ure, and my crown.  
Care, ang - uish, sor - row, melt a - way where - ere thy heal - ing beams a - rise.  
and when the storms of life shall cease, Je - su, in that im - por - tant hour,

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Thine whol - ly, thine a - lone, I am; be thou a - lone my cons - tant flame.  
Strange flames far from my soul re - move, my ev - ery act, my word, be love.  
O Je - su, noth - ing may I see, noth - ing hear, feel, think, but thee!  
in death as life be thou my guide, and save me, who for me hast died.

# Prayers of the People

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## ***We Proclaim***

### **Lectio Divina**

Psalm 16:7-11

### **Sermo Divina**

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## ***We Respond***

### **Offertory Prayer**

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### **Offertory**

*Stand in Your Love*

Caleb Bennetch and Jieun Lee

Hulse, Baldwin  
Harris & Springer

### **Doxology**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Al-le-

lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Praise God the source of all our gifts! Praise Je - sus Christ whose pow'r up -

lifts! Praise the Spir - it, Ho-ly Spir - it! Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia!

# We Go Forth

## Invitation

Rev. Lara Franklin

## Closing Hymn

*Forth in Thy Name, O Lord*

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Forth in Thy Name, O Lord

1. Forth in thy name, O Lord, I go, my dai - ly  
2. The task thy wis - dom hath as - signed, O let me  
3. Thee may I set at my right hand, whose eyes mine  
4. For thee de - light - ful - ly em - ploy what - e'er thy

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la - bor to pur - sue; thee, on - ly thee, re -  
cheer - ful - ly ful - fill; in all my works thy  
in - most sub - stance see, and la - bor on at  
boun - teous grace hath given; and run my course with

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solved to know in all I think or speak or do.  
pres - ence find, and prove thy good and per-fect will.  
thy com-mand, and of - fer all my works to thee.  
e - ven joy, and close - ly walk with thee to heaven.

## Benediction

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## Postlude

*Litanies*

Rudimar Bonamigo

J. Alain