



Pottery repaired by Kintsugi, an ancient Japanese method of mending broken pottery with gold.

2ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
JUNE 2, 2024
10:00 A.M.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

- *Please rise in body or spirit.*

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

GATHERING SONG

I Am Here in the Heart of God

Erin McGaughan
arr. Chanda Rule

**I am here in the heart of God,
God is here in the heart of me.
Like the wave in the water and the water in the wave,
I am here in the heart of God.**

**I am here in the breath of God,
God is here in the heart of me.
Like the wind in the springtime and the springtime in the wind,
I am here in the breath of God.**

**I am here in the soul of God,
God is here in the soul of me.
Like the flame in the fire and the fire in the flame.
I am here in the soul of God.**

**I am here in the mind of God,
God is here in the mind of me.
Like the earth in my body and my body in the earth,
I am here in the soul of God.**

WELCOME

PRELUDE

The Lord's My Shepherd

arr. Marilynn Ham

- CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Holy God, sometimes we feel we are made of mere clay and we do not trust ourselves at all.

All: **Forgive us, O God.**

One: At other moments we feel that we are precious jewels - your gift to the world - and we take ourselves too seriously.

All: **Forgive us, O God.**

One: Remind us that we are precious because we have been named and formed by your love.

All: **May we live as Your creation.**

One: As we busy ourselves with shaping our lives and the world, keep us faithful that we may be about Your work and Your kin-dom.

All: **May we center ourselves in You.**

One: Lead and guide us, O God, that we might walk in Your path and delight in Your ways.

All: **In Christ we pray, Amen.**

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

PRESENTATION

Seraphina Ethelyn Feingold
Daughter of Jennifer Feingold and granddaughter of Ma'Lynn Feingold

QUESTIONS OF AFFIRMATION

QUESTION TO THE CONGREGATION

One: Our Lord Jesus Christ ordered us to teach those who are baptized. Do you, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to nurture Seraphina by word and deed, with love and prayer, encouraging her to know and follow Christ as a faithful disciple?

All: **We do!**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new. Who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God.

We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to live with respect in creation, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.

**In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us.
We are not alone. Thanks be to God.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

THE BAPTISM

BLESSING AND WELCOME

HYMN 486

Child of Blessing, Child of Promise
Verses 1 and 4

KINGDOM

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON

2 Corinthians 4:5-12

Ma'Lynn Feingold, Elder

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Hidden Treasure

The Rev. Julie Emery

RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

• HYMN 506

Look Who Gathers at Christ's Table!
Verses 1 and 4

COPELAND

MOMENT OF GENEROSITY

Ryan Mancini, Tilton Scholar

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Praise the Lord, God's Glories Show
Chancel Choir

David Schelat

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

One: The Lord be with you,
All: **And also with you.**
One: Lift up your hearts,
All: **We lift them to the Lord.**
One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God,
All: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**
One: Let us pray...

THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts and debtors)

COMMUNION OF GOD'S PEOPLE

*Those who are able will be invited to come forward to receive the elements;
Elders will serve others in the pews. Gluten-free wafers are provided at the
center of the communion plate.*

COMMUNION MUSIC

More Love to Thee, O Christ

William H. Doane
arr. Marilynn Ham

PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

Gracious God, in deep gratitude for this moment, this meal, these people, we give ourselves to you. Take us out to live as changed people because we have shared the living bread, and cannot remain the same. Ask much of us, expect much from us, enable much by us, encourage many through us. May we go from this place empowered to share your love and grace with all the world. In Christ we pray, Amen.

Go In God's Name

- HYMN 768 We Are the Body of Christ SOMOS EL CUERPO DE CRISTO
- CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Prelude in EbM, "St. Anne," BWV 552 J.S. Bach

Please remain after worship to extend Westminster fellowship to one and all, especially to guests and visitors.

Leaders in worship are the Rev. Julie Emery; the Rev. Jinny Smanik; Callie Boone, Minister of Music; Zac Burns, Ryan Mancini and Vanessa Paré, Tilton Scholars; Chancel Choir; Anna Pan, organ and piano; and Giselle Santa, A/V technician. We are grateful to our volunteers supporting our service this morning including Ma'Lynn Feingold, John and Jeannette Rhine and Jean Summers.

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Community in Concert

June 7, 7:00 PM

Free and open to the public.

Featuring Zac Burns, Christina Lanergan, Ryan Mancini, Danielle O'Neil, Anna Pan, Vanessa Paré, Luke Piscitelli and other select guest musicians.

ALL DONATIONS IN SUPPORT OF THE TILTON SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Prayerfully consider a donation of \$25 if you are able.





Metaphorical Music from the "Inner Melody" series by artist agsandrew

**Join us for Music Appreciation Sunday!
Next Sunday, June 9
Pre-worship music begins at 9:45 a.m.**

We invite you to join us for Music Appreciation Sunday. Our worship service will include scripture, prayer, music and song. Music will be provided by the Chancel Choir, Children's Choir and Handbell Choir, as well as by talented vocalists and instrumentalists from our church community. Music begins at 9:45 a.m. with worship starting at 10:00 a.m. Our plate offering that Sunday will go to support our Tilton Scholarship program. We hope to see you there!



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