

Those Who Serve

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Good Enough:
Embracing the Imperfections
of Life and Faith

Lent 1

Music for Gathering

Threshold

♪What in our lives do we dream about for tomorrow,
void of sorrow?
Time spent regretting decisions of our yesterdays, mis-
takes we made?
Sometimes we get what we get,
life disappoints us and yet,
God is still here and somehow, this faith is good
enough. **[repeat]**

Calling on God Based on Psalm 91

Leader: Let us pray together:

**Holy One, Our Refuge and Shelter,
we call out to you,
sometimes in praise, sometimes in distress—as life
goes.**

**Whether we perceive it or not, you are there.
Open us this day to your presence
in the smile of a friend, in the call of a bird—
in the simple and good enough moments that fill
our days.
Amen.**

The church office is open 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Mondays, Wednesdays and most Fridays.
Please call ahead if you plan to stop in. Thanks!

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The Children Lead Us

Opening Hymn/Song
"Our Lord, You Were Sent"

Honest Questions, Compassionate Response

Liturgist: Hear this compassionate word...
... even now.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.
Glory to God! Amen.
The Peace

WE PROCLAIM

First Reading
Romans 10:8b-13

Gospel Reading
Luke 4: 1-13

A Word of God that is still speaking,
Thanks be to God.

Thoughts about an Imperfect Life and Faith
"Ordinary lives can be holy."

Prayers of the People

♪ Though all along our daily pilgrim race
our treasures small and very few may be,
our souls are blest with God's unending grace,
and that is enough, enough for me.
Oh, that's enough for me,
God's truth has set me free;
the love of Christ has sanctified my soul,

Faith Calendar

Sunday, March 6	Worship	10:30 am
Wednesday, March 9	Book Study	1:00 pm
Sunday, March 13	Worship	10:30 am
	New Hope Circle Meeting	6:30 pm
Tuesday, March 15	Leadership Meeting	6:30 pm
Wednesday, March 16	Book Study	1:00 pm
Sunday, March 20	Worship	10:30 am
Wednesday, March 23	Book Study	1:00 pm
Sunday, March 27	Worship	10:30 am
Tuesday, March 29	UMW Executive Meeting	6:30 pm
Wednesday, March 30	Book Study	1:00 pm

Please Keep in Your Prayers:

Bernice Osborne
Bev Wolford
Beth Dougherty
Bill Dougherty
David Inman
Dennis Cebulsky
Diana Bohn Family
Donald West Family
Ellen Kelton
Gloria Dalrymple Family
Heidi
Henrietta Hurst Family
Jane Thorne
Janice Moore
Jim Boetcher Family
JoAnne Peadon
John Tignor Family
Karen Norman
Karen Wilson
Laura Peck
Marlene Farley
Matt Weiser
Steve DeGarmo
Suzanne Collins
Thea & Mark Crawmer
Veronica
Medical Faith Shut-In:
Kathleen McCutcheon

and that is enough for me.

♪When food and raiment are not ever sure,
and simple fare is hard to get for some,
we work to share our goods with one and all,
and that is enough, enough for me.
Oh, that's enough for me,
God's truth has set me free;
a love like Christ's is meant for ev'ry soul,
and that is enough for me.

The Lord's Prayer

Offering

Doxology

Old 100th

♪Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Jesus Christ, our burdens know,
Praise Spirit through whom our hearts grow,
Praise Three-in-One, from here below.

Prayer after Offering

Invitation to the Table

"Take, O Take Me as I Am"

Christ looks upon each one with love and says,

"you are welcome at my table."

Christ looks upon each one with compassion and says,

"whatever troubles you, bring it here."

Christ looks upon each one with grace and says,

"whatever you'd like to leave behind, do it here."

**♪Take, O take me as I am;
summon out what I shall be;
set your seal upon my heart
and live in me.**

Great Thanksgiving

The Holy Living God be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord!

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right...

...along with all the saints:

♪Holy, holy, God of Hosts!

Heav'n and earth sing out your name!

**Blest are they who come today;
and take their place.**

Holy are you,...

...We proclaim God's time...

**Christ has died, yet Christ is risen;
Christ will come once again!
We remember and proclaim
redeeming love.**

Pour out your Holy Spirit ...

...in the power of your amazing grace!

**Take, O take me as I am;
summon out what I shall be;
set your seal upon my heart
and live in me.**

Amen.

"Open My Eyes, That I May See" UMH 454

A Blessing for a Joyfully Mediocre Journey

Benediction

Choral Reprise

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enough.

Postlude

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