

# Cultivating Life with God for the World Sowing Love Amid Hatred "Blessed are the persecuted..."

June 13, 2021

### Prelude

### **Welcome & Announcements**

Call to Worship (HWB 733)

One: Lord, make us instruments of your peace.

ALL: WHERE THERE IS HATRED, LET US SOW LOVE.

One: Where there is injury, pardon.

ALL: WHERE THERE IS DOUBT, FAITH.

One: Where there is despair, hope.

ALL: WHERE THERE IS DARKNESS, LIGHT.

One: Where there is sadness, joy. **ALL: O DIVINE MASTER,** 

One: grant that we may not so much seek

to be consoled as to console;

ALL: TO BE UNDERSTOOD AS TO UNDERSTAND;

One: to be loved, as to love.

ALL: FOR IT IS IN GIVING THAT WE RECEIVE;

One: it is in pardoning that we are pardoned;

ALL: IT IS IN DYING THAT WE ARE BORN

TO ETERNAL LIFE. AMEN

HYMN The love of God (STJ 44)

Peace Essay (Jay Sylvester)

Praying for Peace: Living the Beatitudes (ninefoldpath.org)

Matthew 5:10, 43-48

Lead us in the way of Surrender (hands lowered and crossed)

Children's Time

Scripture Romans 5:1-5 and 1 Corinthians 13
Sermon
Music for Meditation

Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer HYMN *Move in our midst* (HWB 418)

### **Benediction**

**Postlude...** Please remain seated to receive the postlude as a musical sending and blessing. The live stream will conclude at the end of the postlude and you are then invited to a time of fellowship with coffee/tea/juice and coffee cake!

(Inspiration for our summer worship title, 'Cultivating Life with God for the World' came from M. Robert Mulholland, Jr.'s work in <u>The Deeper Journey</u> IVP 2016)

Sound System: Allen Yoder
Live Stream Tech: Jonathan Wenger
Ushers: Dennis and Jennalee Boggs
Piano: Shelley Kauffman and Merlin Weber
Worship Leader, Children's Time & Scripture Reader: Star Gipson
Lighting the Peace Lamp & Sermon: Pastor Tonya Ramer Wenger

## WELCOME!!

We are so glad you are here!

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