



Giving leadership in today's service:

Preacher: Dr. Aruna Gnanandason, Anne Duncan Gray Visiting Scholar

Presider: The Rev. Dr. Wenh-In Ng, Professor Emerita, Emmanuel College

Prayers of the People, Benediction: The Very Rev., The Hon., Dr. Lois M. Wilson, Distinguished Minister in Residence, Emmanuel College; former Moderator of The United Church of Canada; former Co-President of the World Council of Churches; former Senator

Pianist, organist: Saya Ojiri, MSMus student, Emmanuel College

Cantor: George C. George, MDiv student, Emmanuel College

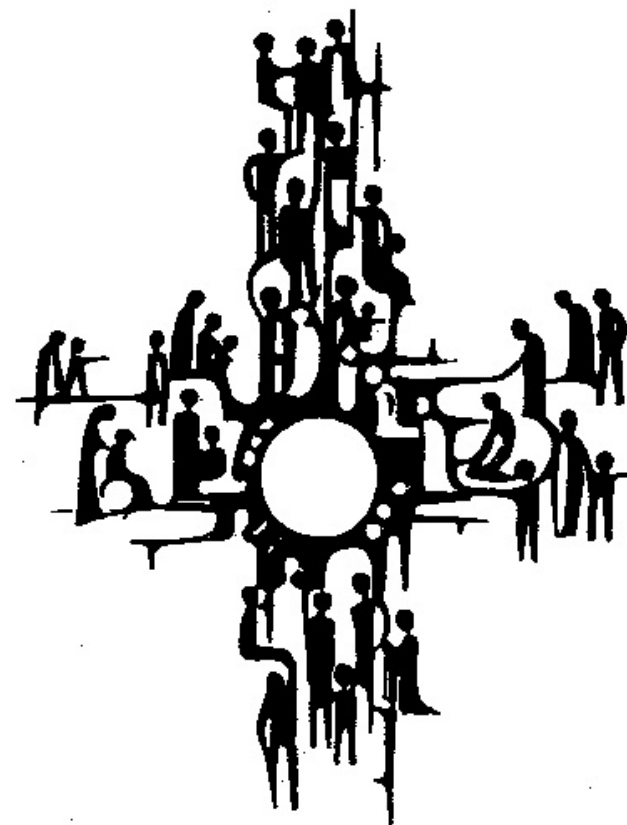
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with readers and communion servers from the Emmanuel College community



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“Hospitality”



A Service of Word & Table

November 19, 1:30 pm

Emmanuel College Chapel



The Community Gathers

Announcements

Call to Worship (A Kannada Bhajan from India)

George will sing the Kannada Bhajan as a Call and Response

English translation:

In all seasons and in all times, we praise you, O God.	Yella Kaaladholu yella Velayolu Deva Ninnanthe Sthuthipe
You are my father, you are my mother. You are my friend. You are my bliss.	Thandheyu Neene Thaayiyu Neene Bandhavu Neene Nanna Bhaagyavu Neene
You are my beginning, you are my end. You are my Light. You are my bliss.	Aadhiyu Neene Anthyavu Neene Jyothyu Neene Nanna Bhaagyavu Neene

Opening Hymn: MV 1 “Let Us Build a House”

Prayer of Approach (based on the epistle reading for today, Ephesians 1:15-23)

We Hear God’s Word

Old Testament: Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

The Word of God.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel: Mark 8:1-9

The Gospel of Christ.

Thanks be to God.

1.

Closing Hymn: “Until All Are Fed”

Tommy Brown and Bryan McFarland, USA

Sally Morris and Bryan McFarland, USA

1. How long will we sing? How long will we pray? How long will we write and
2. How long will we talk? How long will we prod? How long must we feed and
3. How can we stand by and fail to be a - ghost? How long till we do what's
4. On the green, green grass they gath - ered long a - go to hear what the Mas - ter

send? How long will we bring? How long will we stay? How long will we make a -
hoard? How long will we walk to tear down this fa - cade? How long, how long, O
right? How could we stand by and choose a less - er fast? How long till we see the
said. What they had they shared some fish - es and some loaves, they served un - til all were

D Refrain G D/F# F#m Bm7 G D/F# Gmaj7 A
mends? Un - til all are fed! we cry out; Un - til all on earth have bread. Like the
Lord?
light?
fed.

One who loves us each and ev - ery one we serve un - til all are fed.

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Benediction:

The Very Rev. Dr. Lois Wilson

The blessing of the God of Sarah, Hagar and Abraham,
the blessing of the Son born of Mary
the blessing of the Holy Spirit who broods over us
as a mother over her children, be with you all. Amen.

6.

**The hallowing of your name
echo through the universe!
The way of your justice
be followed by the peoples of the world!
Your heavenly will be done
by all created beings!
Your realm of peace and freedom
sustain our hope
and come on earth.**

**With the bread we need for today,
feed us.
In the hurts we absorb from one another,
forgive us.
In times of temptation and test,
strengthen us.
From trials too great to endure,
spare us.
From the grip of all that is evil,
free us.
For you reign in the glory of the power that is Love,
now and for ever.
Amen.**

At the Breaking of the Bread and Pouring of the Wine:

As this grain once was scattered in the fields. . .
. . . The gifts of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

Song during communion: “She Flies On” *(Gordon Light, Canada)*

Prayer after Communion

We Respond to God’s Word

Sermon: “Hospitality”

Dr. Aruna Gnanandason

Silent Reflection

Affirmation of Faith *(A Paraphrase of a Creed from Latin America)*

I believe in God.

**A God made of sorrows and also of dreams,
who leads our people in the quest for liberation,
who believes in the certainty of peace
and in the courage of good.**

**I believe in a God of hope,
God Incarnate,
who came to earth as a child
and dwelt among us.**

I believe in Jesus Christ,

**who shared and is shared,
who is distributed in the form of bread
and all the fruits of the earth,
who makes himself our food,
who gives us new life
through his own death and resurrection.**

**I believe in a God of Love,
whose Spirit of the risen Christ guides us
on the paths of justice and liberation.**

I believe in the Holy Spirit.

**who is the promise of the realm of God which is coming;
who gives us the power to uproot evil,
and to work for reconciliation among all peoples and nations.**

**We are called to serve and love all creation and all human beings,
to strive for justice and to be builders of peace in the world. Amen.**

Prayers of the People:

The Very Rev. Dr. Lois Wilson

With sung response: VU 946 "Kyrie Eleison"

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Invitation and Peace

Rev. Dr. Wenh In Ng

God of life in all its fullness,
you invite us to this table which Love has prepared:
a table of abundant grace which knows no bounds,
an open table where all may be fed by righteousness, hope and peace.

Let us come to God's table of life.

The peace of Christ be with you all.
And also with you.

(We share signs of the peace of Christ)

Presentation Hymn: VU 477 "I Come with Joy"

The Great Thanksgiving

The Holy One is here.

God's Spirit is with us.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to God.

It is right to offer thanks and praise.

3.

It is indeed good and right to give you thanks and praise . . .
. . . we praise you, singing:

**All (sing): O holy, holy, holy, God,
O God of time and space.
All earth and sea and sky above
bear witness to your grace.
Hosanna in the highest heav'n,
creation sings your praise.
And blessed is the One who comes
and bears your name always!**

MV 203

On the last night he spent with his friends . . .
. . . as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**All (sing): Sing Christ has died,
and Christ is risen,
Christ will come again! (X 2)**

MV 204

Send, O covenant God, your Holy Spirit upon us and what we do here . . .
. . . all glory is yours everywhere, now and forever!

**All (sing): Amen, amen, O Holy One!
Hosanna and Amen! (X 2)**

MV 205

Prayer of Jesus

Paraphrase by Jim Cotter, UK

We gather these and all our prayers, words in the spirit of Jesus, saying:

**Eternal Spirit,
Earth-maker, Pain-bearer, Life-giver,
Source of all that is and that shall be,
Father and Mother of us all,
Loving God, in whom is heaven:**

4.