

Our mission is to learn the way of Jesus together as we invite others to join us at His Table.

Our Common Practices

We Gather

We gather for worship more often than not.
We gather in smaller groups to connect, learn, and grow.
We create hospitable space for one another.

We Grow

We attend the means of grace daily. (i.e. We attend to the presence of God through Scripture reading and meditation, prayer on behalf of others and myself, breath prayer, spiritual reading and study...).
We nurture our faith.
We attend to relationships that promote growth.
We develop and learn as human beings made in the image of God.

We Give

We are a generous people who give our time and resources to the mission of God and the world.
We tithe as the means through which our community enjoys fiscal health so as to minister generously.

We Go

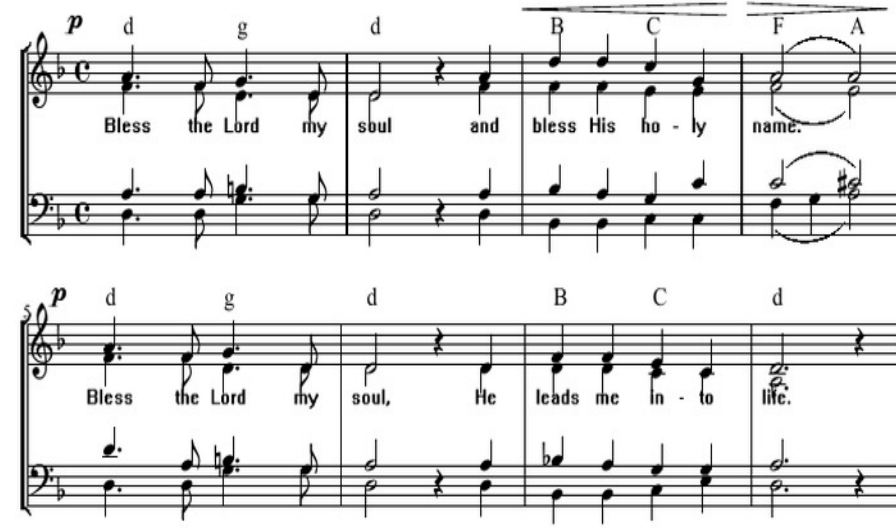
We follow Jesus into the world as His healing presence.
We help the vulnerable among us.
We go into the world offering Jesus' invitation to gather at His Table.

A Breath Prayer for the coming week:

"Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, fill me with Your love."

Bless the Lord my soul

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Order of Worship
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Transfiguration of Our Lord

We Gather to Worship God

Prelude Music
Welcome
Call to Worship from Psalm 50

We Listen to the Scriptures

Prayers of the People
Scripture Reading: Mark 2.2-9
Sermon: "Purity In Relationships"

We Come to the Table

The Peace
Prayer of Confession and Consecration
We Eat and Drink Together
The Lord's Prayer
Prayer of Thanksgiving
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song

We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life
Gossiping the Good Stuff
Doxology
Blessing and Sending



Purity In Relationships Psalm 51.10 (NIV)

²⁵ On one occasion an expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he asked, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" ²⁶ "What is written in the Law?" he replied. "How do you read it?"

²⁷ He answered: "'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind'; and, 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'" Luke 10:25-27 (NIV)

Our level of intimacy with _____ determines our level of influence with _____."

GOD GIVES US _____ FOR OUR PHYSICAL RELATIONSHIPS (Precepts/Rules)

_____ - sexual intercourse of a married person with someone other than his or her own spouse.

Ex 20:14; 1 Cor 6:9 (NIV)

_____ - sexual acts of unmarried persons

1 Cor 6:18; Eph 5:3 (NIV)

_____ - sexual relationships with a member of your own sex

1 Cor 6:9-10; Lev 18:22; Lev 20:13 (NIV)

_____ – the only God-ordained means of sexual expression – one man and one woman, for life.

Gen 1:27-28; Gen 2:24; Matt 19:4-6 (NIV)

GOD WANTS US TO LIVE _____ LIVES (Principle/Why)

_____ (adj.) – free from what weakens or pollutes; free from more fault or guilt (Merriam-Webster Online Dictionary)

¹⁰ Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.

Psalm 51:10 (NIV)

_____ – something new which cannot emerge from what now is, and which only God can make.

GOD WANTS OUR LIVES TO BE BASED UPON HIS _____ (Person/Who)

⁸ Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable--if anything is excellent or praiseworthy--think about such things.

Philippians 4:8 (NIV)

Do your relationships with others
_____ the purity of the
character of God?