MAYFLOWER CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

A SERVICE OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, March 17, 2024, 10:30 a.m. Fifth Sunday in Lent

Welcome and Greeting

Prelude: "Fairest Lord Jesus" (arr. Don Phillips)

Opening Sentences

Hymn 48: "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Opening Prayer

Anthem: "Jesu, Blessed Jesu" (Gordon Young)

Giving and Receiving of Our Gifts

Doxology

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (using debts and debtors)

Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 31:31-34

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, 'Know the LORD', for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

Sermon: "MOTIVATION OR OBLIGATION?"

Hymn 406: "Prayer of St. Francis"

Benediction

Benediction Response 579, v. 1: "Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing"

Lord, dismiss us with thy blessing; fill our hearts with joy and peace. Let us each, thy love possessing, triumph in redeeming grace: Oh, refresh us, oh, refresh us, traveling through this wilderness.

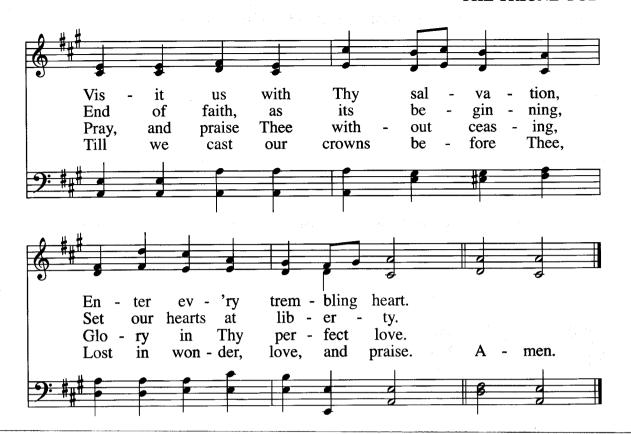
Greet One Another

Participants: Pastor Mark and DeeAnn McCormick, Barb Fuller, Betty Briggs, Chancel Choir

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Charles Wesley, 1707-1788, alt. John Zundel, 1815-1882 di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling, of heav'n, to Joy 2. Breathe, O breathe Thy lov - ing Spir - it In - to ev - 'rv 3. Come, Al - might - y to de - liv - er, Let all us Thy 4. Fin - ish, then, Thy new cre - a - tion: Pure and spot - less earth come down, Fix in us Thy hum - ble dwell - ing. trou - bled breast; Let us all in Thee in - her - it, life re - ceive: Sud - den - ly re - turn. and nev - er, let be: Let us Thy great sal - va - tion us see Thy faith - ful All mer - cies crown; Je Thou sus, Let us find Thy prom - ised rest; Take the a - way Nev - er - more Thy tem - ples leave. Thee we would be Per - fect - ly re - stored in Thee; Changed from all com - pas - sion, Pure, un - bound - ed love Thou art; Al - pha O - me - ga love of sin - ning; and ways bless - ing, Serve Thee as Thy hosts a - bove, glo - ry, Till in heav'n we take our place, **BEECHER**

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Prayer of St. Francis

Adapt. from St. Francis by Sebastian Temple, 1928–1997

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