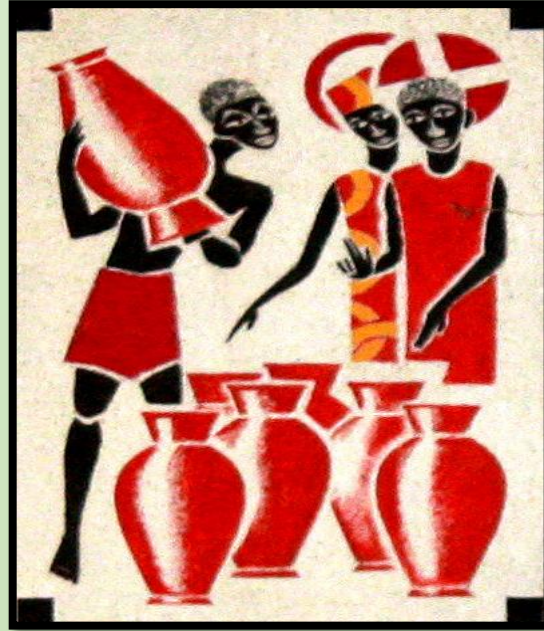


# Second Sunday After Epiphany



**January 16, 2022**

**11:00 AM**

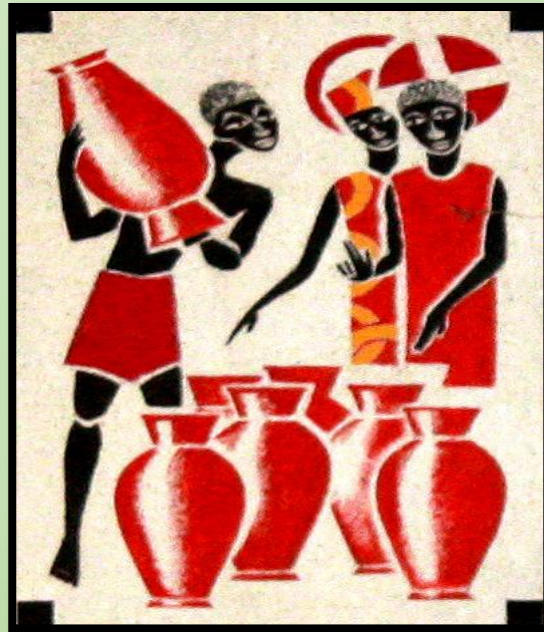
**Second Sunday after Epiphany**

**Holy Communion**

# Gathering Music

## *“To God be the Glory”*

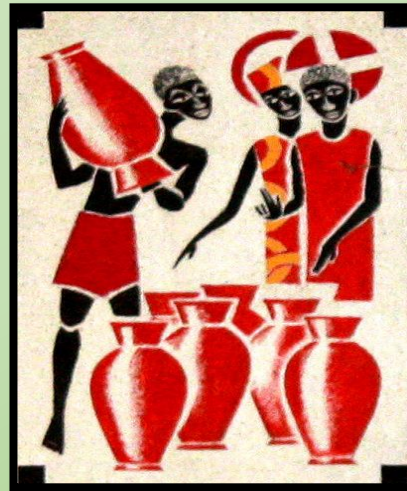
Arr. Victor Labenske



# Gathering

## **GREETING ONE ANOTHER**

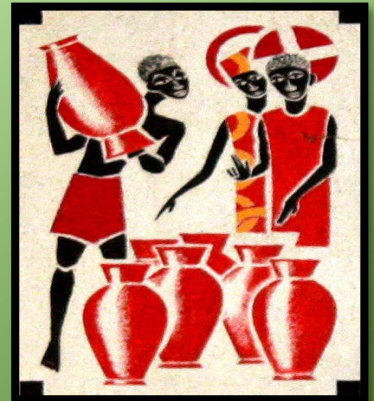
*We greet one another in the name of  
the Lord using words such as  
“Peace be with you.”*



## Greeting

**P:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

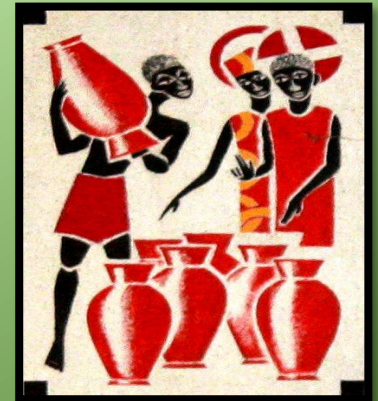
**C:** And also with you.



## Prayer of the Day

**L:** Let us pray.

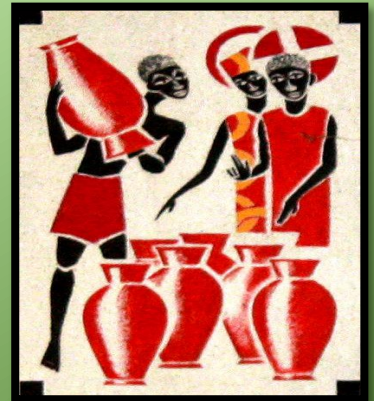
Lord God, source of every blessing, you showed forth your glory and led many to faith by the works of your Son, who brought gladness and salvation to his people.



## Prayer of the Day

Transform us by the Spirit of his love,  
that we may find our life together in  
him, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen**

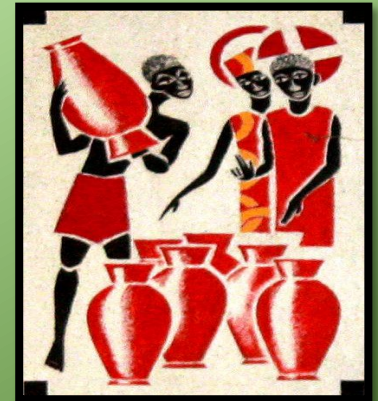


Word: Isaiah 62:1-5

# A Reading from The Sixty-second Chapter of Isaiah

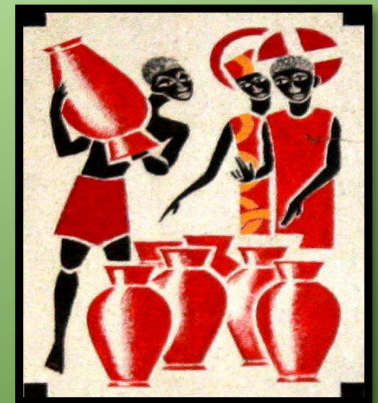


**L:** <sup>1</sup>For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch.

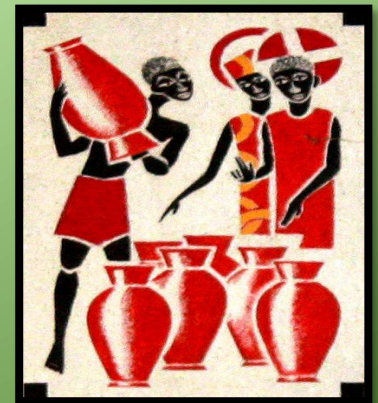




<sup>2</sup>The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. <sup>3</sup>You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

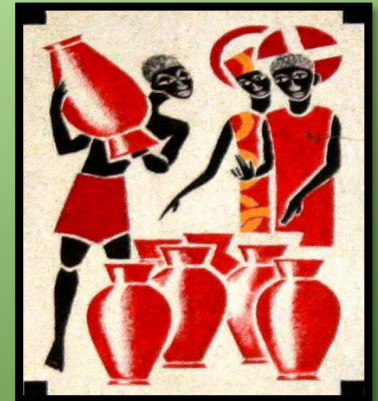


<sup>4</sup>You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married.



<sup>5</sup>For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

*(Isaiah 62:1-5)*



**L:** Word of God. Word of Life.

**C:** Thanks be to God.

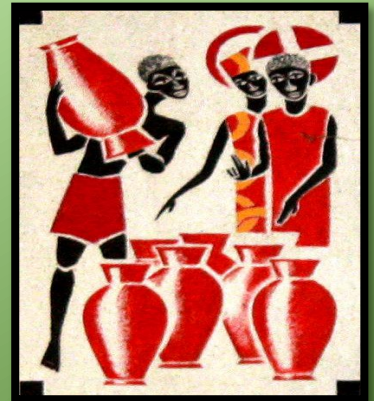


Word: Psalm 36:5-11

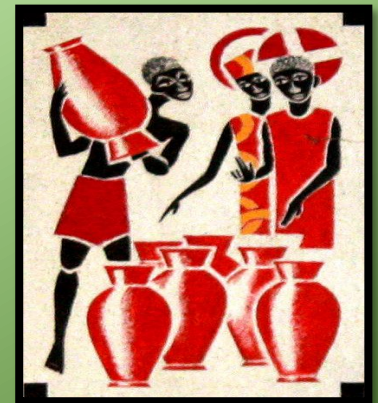
# A Responsive Reading from Psalm Thirty-six



**L:** <sup>5</sup>Your steadfast love, O LORD,  
extends to the heavens, your faithfulness  
to the clouds.

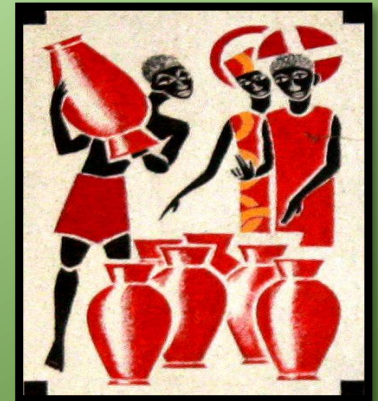


**C: <sup>6</sup>Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains, your judgments are like the great deep; you save humans and animals alike, O LORD.**



**L:** <sup>7</sup>How precious is your steadfast love,  
O God! All people may take refuge in the  
shadow of your wings.

**C:** <sup>8</sup>They feast on the abundance  
of your house, and you give  
them drink from the river of  
your delights.

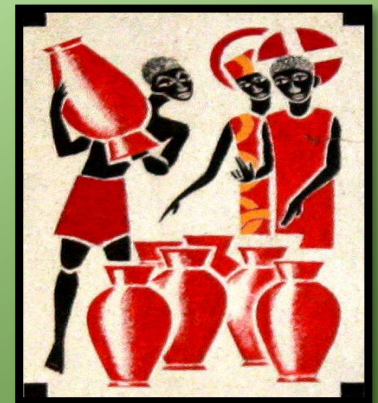




**L:** <sup>9</sup>For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

**C:** <sup>10</sup>O continue your steadfast love to those who know you, and your salvation to the upright of heart!

(Psalm 36:5-11)



**L:** Word of God. Word of Life.

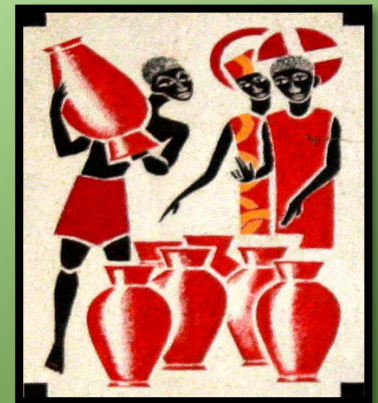
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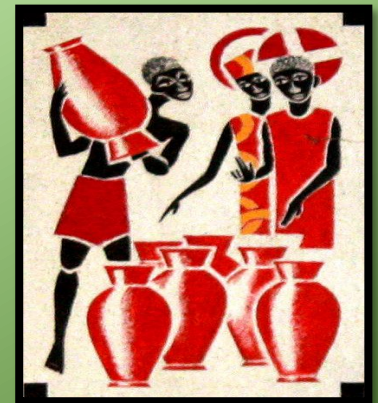
*Please stand as you are able for the reading of the gospel.*

**P:** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the Third Chapter.

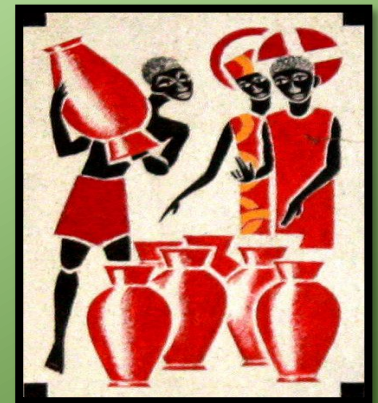
**C:** **Glory to you, O Lord**



**P:** <sup>1</sup>On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. <sup>2</sup>Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. <sup>3</sup>When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine."



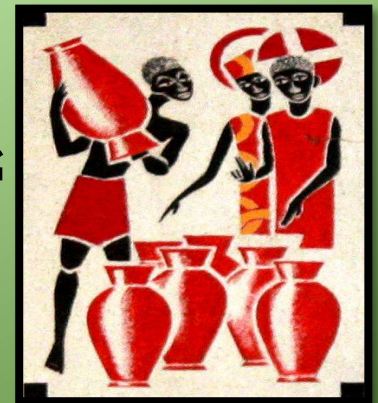
<sup>4</sup>And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." <sup>5</sup>His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."



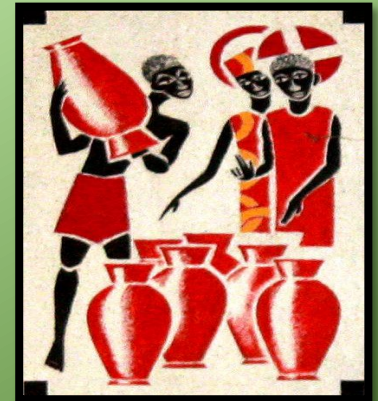
<sup>6</sup>Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons.

<sup>7</sup>Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim.

<sup>8</sup>He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it.

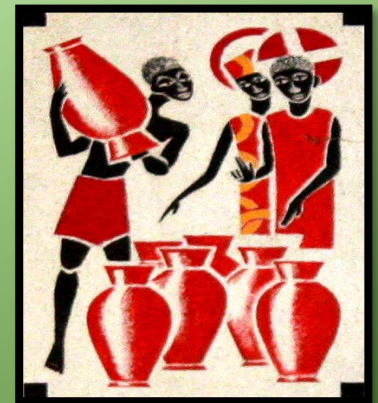


<sup>9</sup>When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom <sup>10</sup>and said to him



"Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." <sup>11</sup> Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

*(John 2:1-11)*



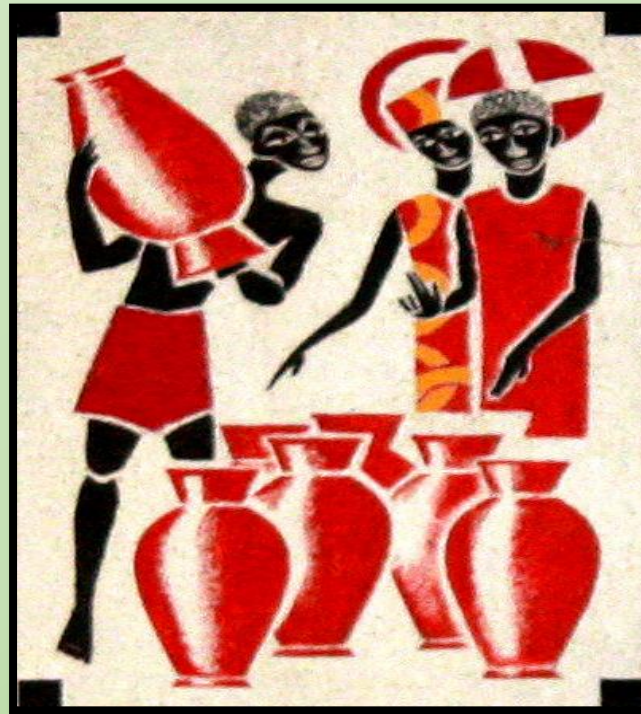


**P:** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C:** Praise to you O Christ.



# CHILDREN'S SERMON



Sermon

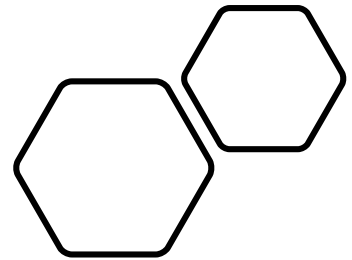
# SERMON

**Pastor Elisabeth Pynn Himmelman**





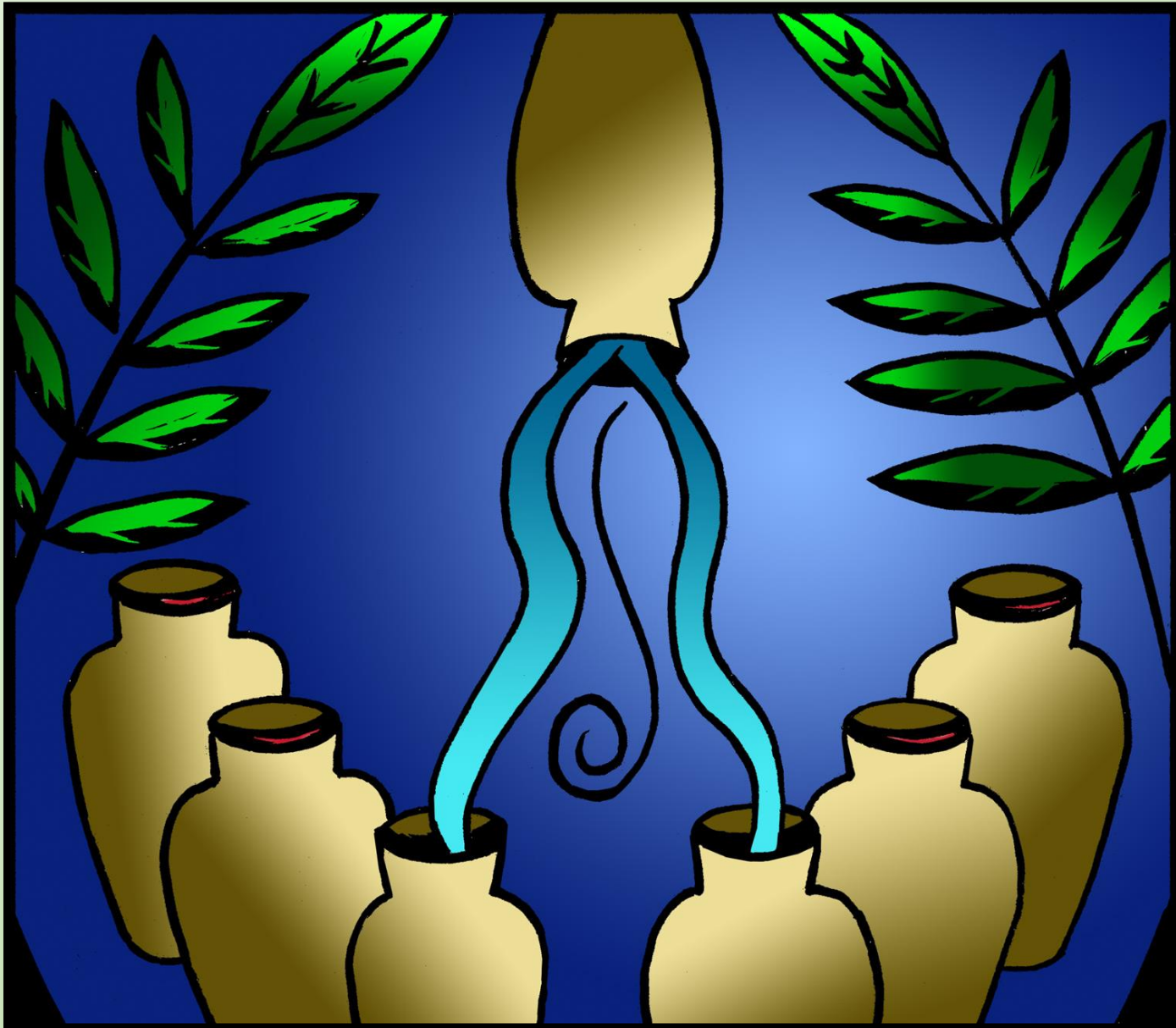
**A CELEBRATION  
WITHOUT  
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IS JUST A  
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***“They have no wine”***



to point us to God's abundance, Mary:



***1. Notices and names the problem;***

***2. Persists;***

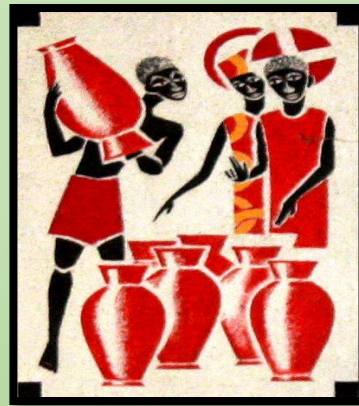
***3. Instills trust and invites obedience.***

# Worship Song

*Please stand as you are able.*

***“Let us Go Now to the Banquet”***

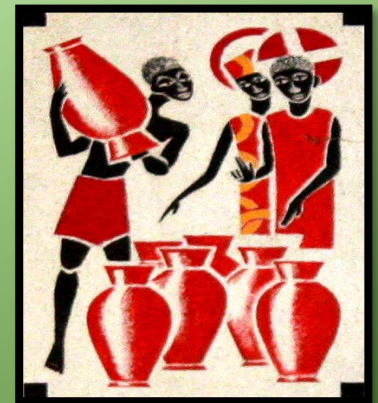
**ELW #523**



**“Let Us Go Now to the Banquet”, ELW #523**

**Let us go now to the banquet,  
to the feast of the universe.**

**The table's set and a place is waiting;  
come, ev'ryone,  
with your gifts to share.**

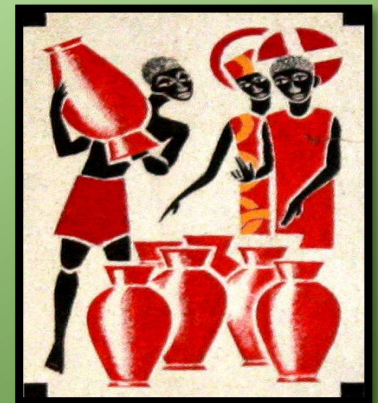




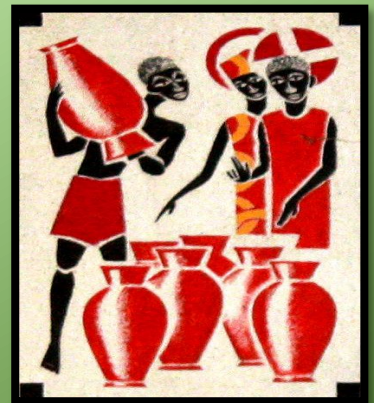
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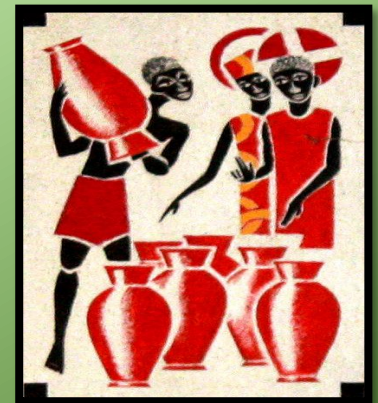
**I will rise in the early morning;  
the community’s waiting for me.  
With a spring in my step I’m walking  
with my friends and my family.**



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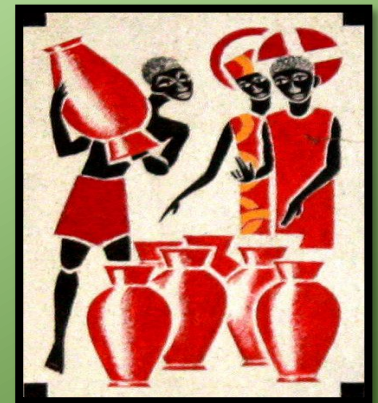
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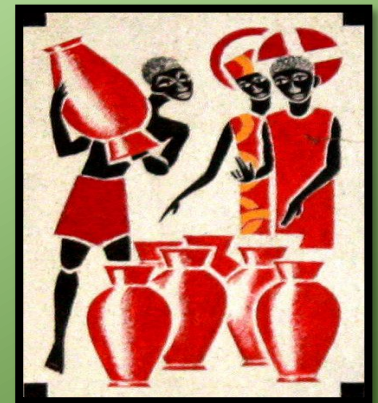
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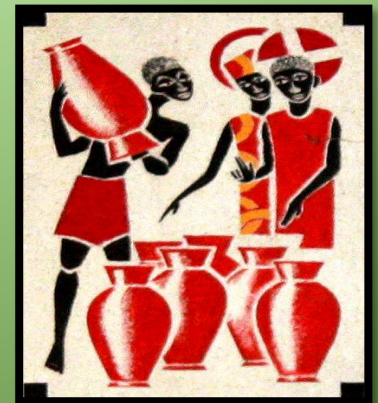
**God invites all the poor and hungry  
to the banquet of justice and good  
where the harvest will not be hoarded  
so that no one will lack for food.**



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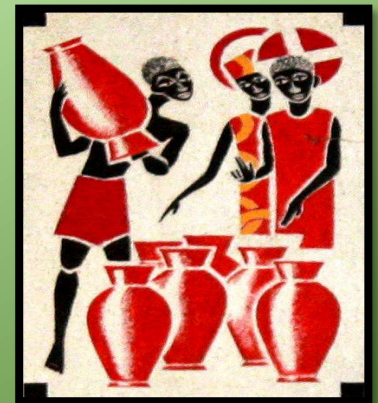
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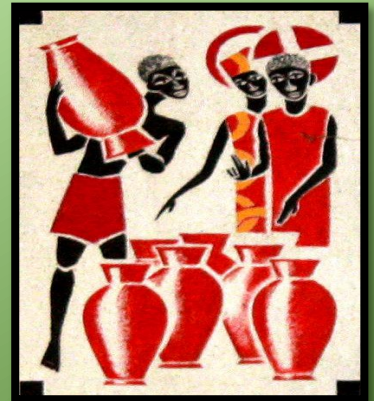
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**May we build such a place among us  
where all people are equal in love.  
God has called us to work together  
and to share ev’rything we have.**

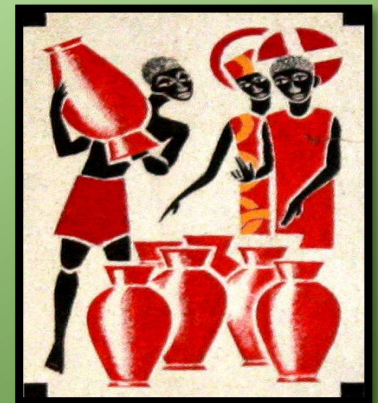




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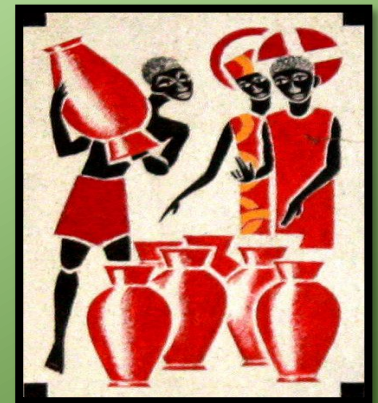
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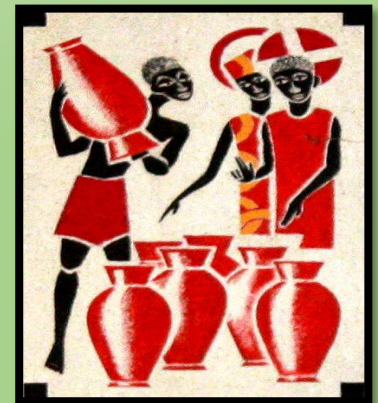
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# PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

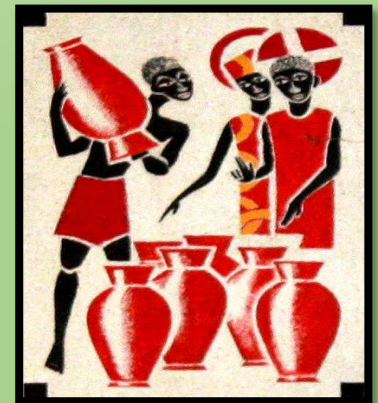
**L:** The Spirit of the Lord is poured out upon us in abundance; so we are bold to pray for the church, the world, and all that God has made.

*A brief silence for reflection*



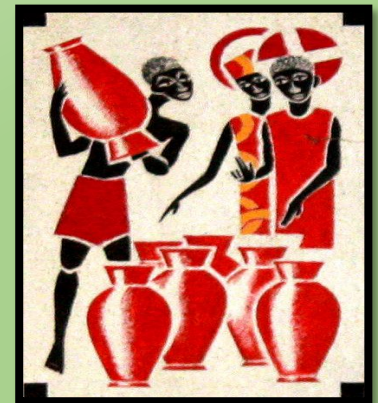
## Prayers of Intercession

**L:** By your Spirit, activate within your church gifts of faith, healing, and prophecy. Unite those who profess your name across congregations, denominations, and geographic boundaries. Open our hearts to recognize and celebrate surprising miracles.



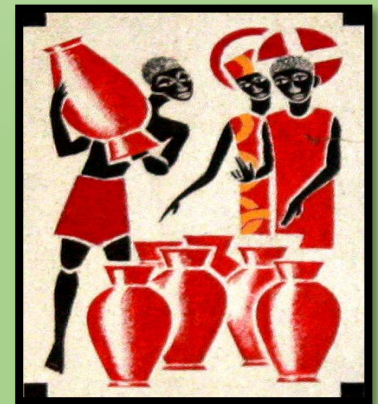
## Prayers of Intercession

**L:** Your creation reflects your generosity. Bless farmers, migrant farmworkers orchard-keepers, ranchers, and all who tend the abundance of the land. Protect food and water sources from destruction, that all can eat and drink and be satisfied.



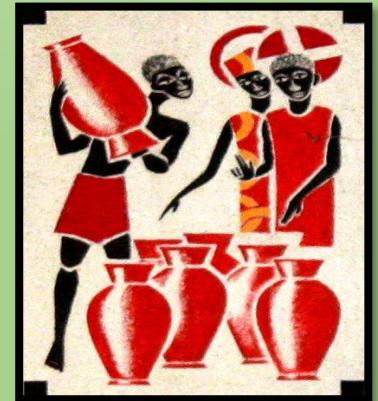
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**L:** By your Spirit, grant wisdom, knowledge, and discernment to those who hold leadership positions at any level. Direct policymakers toward compassionate decisions that build up safe and just communities. Lead all authorities in seeking and serving the common good.



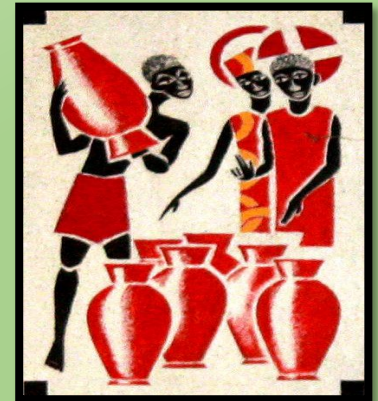
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**L:** You see us for who we are and you delight in us. Embrace those struggling with self-worth, wrestling with self-identity, or facing significant life transition. Remind us that nothing can separate us from your love.



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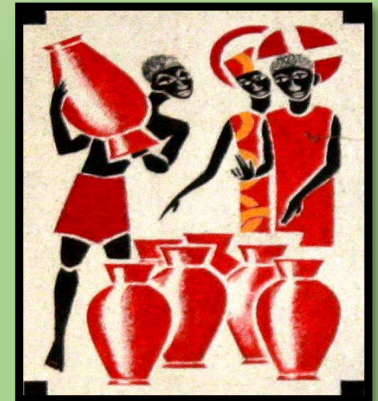
**L:** As Jesus provided generously in a moment of need, provide generous gifts of healing for those in need this day. Provide abundantly for all who are hungry or thirsty, all seeking shelter, and all who seek peace.





# Prayers of Intercession

Accompany those still struggling with and healing from COVID-19 and its variants. Bring safety to those who experience fear and violence in their relationships. We pray especially for.....



## Prayers of Intercession

Jeanette Andersen

Vance Bricker

Janice Carnell

Heather Dederman

**Justin DeKok**

Dennis Drabek

Karen Foster

Michael Gitt

Nicole Gordon

Madalyn Hallford

Phyllis Handwerk

Marv Hilton

Karen Hiskett

Alexis Hobbs

## Prayers of Intercession

Jackie Holscher

Tom & Jody Jochen

Wayne Karschner

Chuck Kinnamon

Mark Kotrc

**Lavern Krenke**

Talia Krumbach

**Janet Loder**

Vicki Maupin

Kerry McCormick

Betty McMaster

Renee J. Mentzer

Mary Lou Mintling

LeOra Molcyk

## Prayers of Intercession

Paul Norblade

Rev. Dave Nordstrom

Walter Peden

Brenda Rae Peterson

James Phillis

Joe Rall

Ignacio Sanchez

**Jeremy & Brandi Sayer  
& family**

Denise Scott

Debbie Steinbrecher

Steve Stelling

Carrie Stithem

Louis Stithem

# Prayers of Intercession

David & Zolee Suing

**Charlie Sykes**

Tony Tauer

Jeff Walker

Carl Weber

Misty White

Marilyn Willison

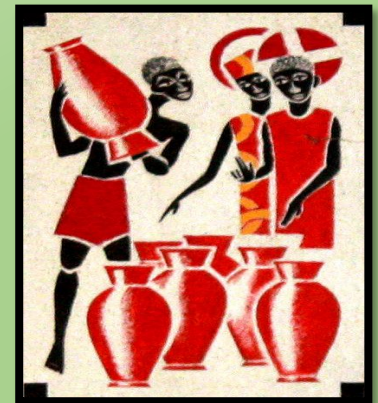
Frank Wright

## Prayers of Peace and Comfort

- Byron and Lotys Suhr on the death of their sister-in-law, Edna Suhr
- Chad and Stacy Isaacson on the death of Chad's father, Dale Isaacson

## Prayers of Intercession

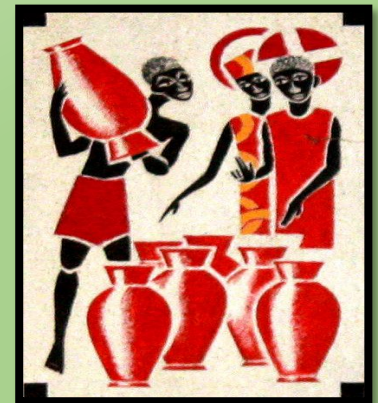
**L:** You bless us through the spiritual gifts of the saints who have gone before us. We give thanks for the life of Martin Luther King Jr. and all who have modeled the way of courageous faith.



## Prayers of Intercession

**P:** Since we have such great hope in your promises, O God, we lift these and all of our prayers to you in confidence and faith; through Jesus Christ our Savior.

**C:** Amen.





# Peace

**P:** The peace of Christ be with you always.

**C:** And also with you.



# Meal

*Please be seated.*

## OFFERTORY

*“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”*

Arr. Jan Sanborn

*Communion Servers,*

*please come forward at this time.*

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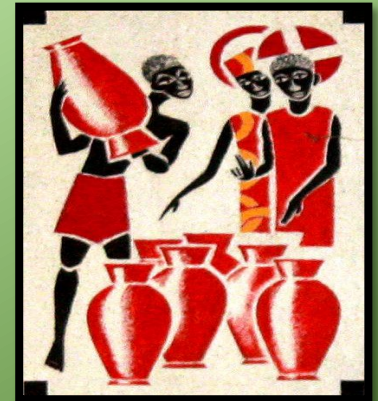
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# Confession and Forgiveness

*Please stand as you are able*

**P:** Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who creates us, redeems us, and calls us by name.

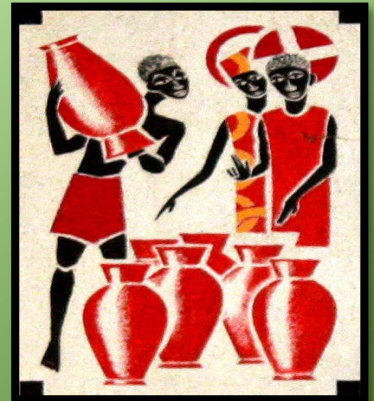
**C:** Amen



# Confession and Forgiveness

**P:** Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

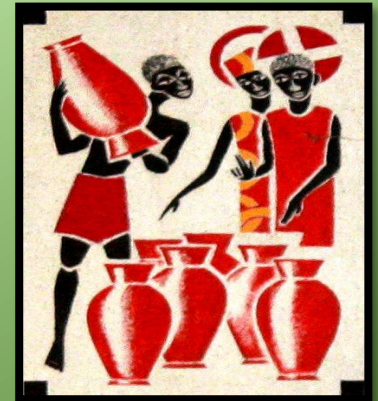
*Silence is kept for reflection*



# Confession and Forgiveness

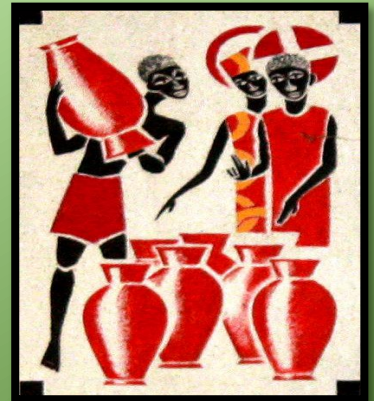
**P:** Most merciful God,

**C: we confess that we have sinned against you and your beloved children. We have turned our faces away from your glory when it did not appear as we expected.**



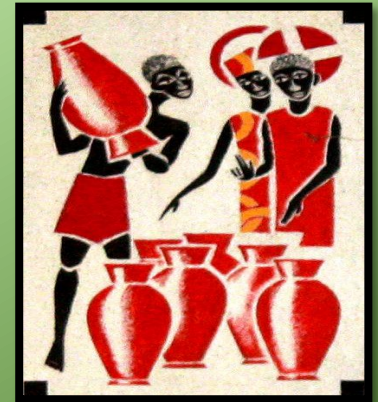
## Confession and Forgiveness

**We have rejected your word when it made us confront ourselves. We have failed to show hospitality to those you called us to welcome.**



## Confession and Forgiveness

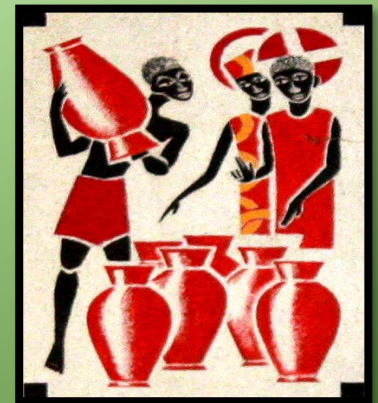
**Accept our repentance for the things we have done and the things we have left undone. For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us and lead us, that we may bathe in the glory of your Son born among us, and reflect your love for all creation. Amen.**



## Confession and Forgiveness

**P:** Rejoice in this good news: In † Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven. You are descendants of the Most High, adopted into the household of Christ, and inheritors of eternal life. Live as freed and forgiven children of God.

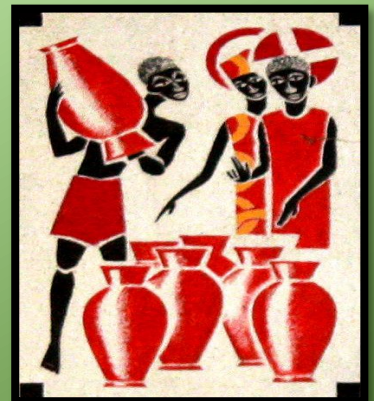
**C: Amen.**





# Prayer

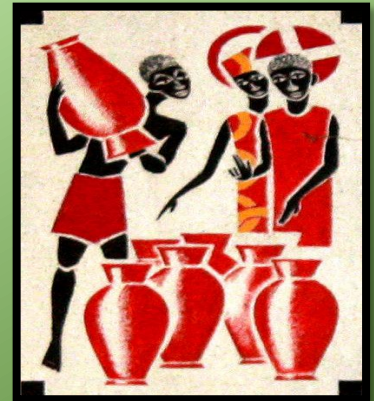
**L:** Blessed are you, O God, Sovereign of the universe. You offer us new beginnings and guide us on our journey.



# Prayer

Lead us to your table, nourish us with this heavenly food, and prepare us to carry your love to a hungry world, in the name of Christ our light.

**C: Amen.**



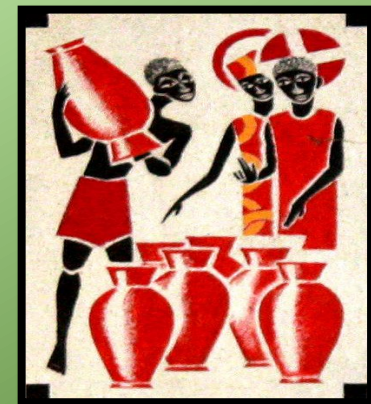
# The Great Thanksgiving

**P:** The Lord be with you.

**C:** And also with you.

**P:** Lift up your hearts.

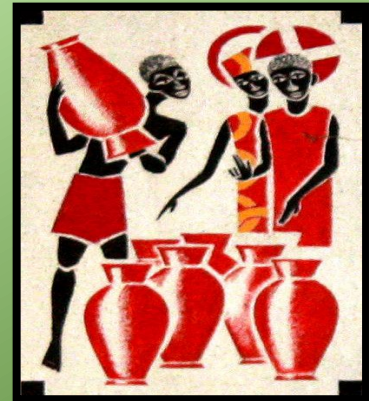
**C:** We lift them to the Lord



# The Great Thanksgiving

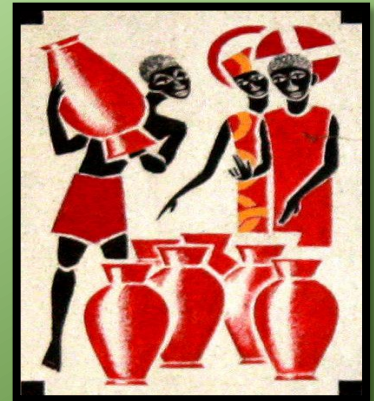
**P:** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C:** It is right to give our thanks and praise.



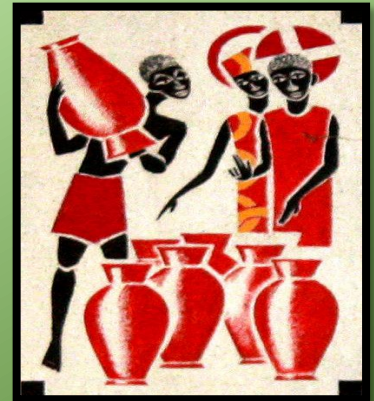
## Words of Institution

**P:** In the night in which he was handed over, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.



## Words of Institution

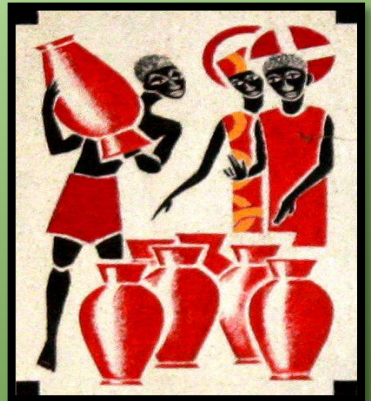
Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.



## The Lord's Prayer

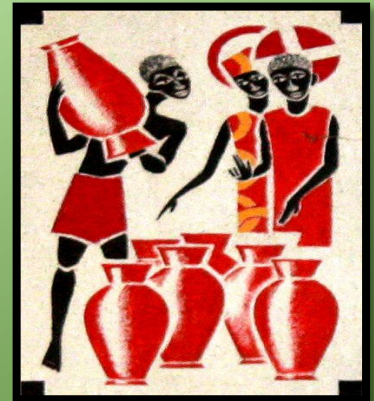
**P:** Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit,  
let us pray as Jesus taught us.

**C:** Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom  
come, thy will be done, on earth  
as it is in heaven.



## The Lord's Prayer

**Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen**

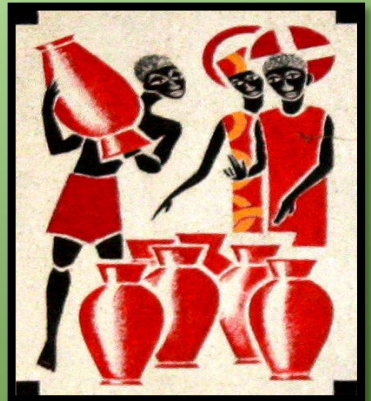




## Invitation to Communion

**P:** Come to God's table. There is a place for you and enough for all.

*(Please let the Pastor know if you need a gluten-free wafer.)*



## Communion

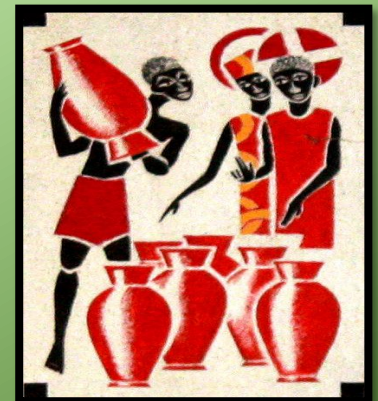
# PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND LAYING ON OF HANDS

*If you would like prayers of healing, join the pastor in the Narthex after you have taken communion.*

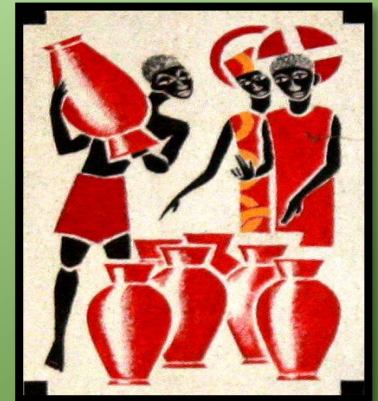
## Communion Music

*“Now the Feast and Celebration”*

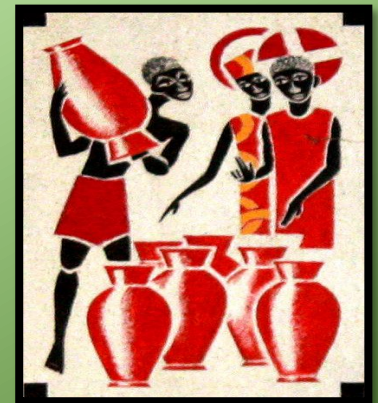
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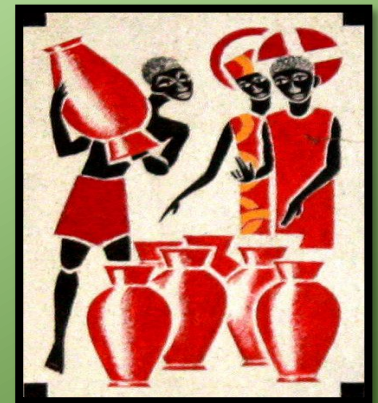
**Now the feast and celebration,  
all of creation sings for joy  
to the God of life and love and freedom;  
praise and glory forevermore!**



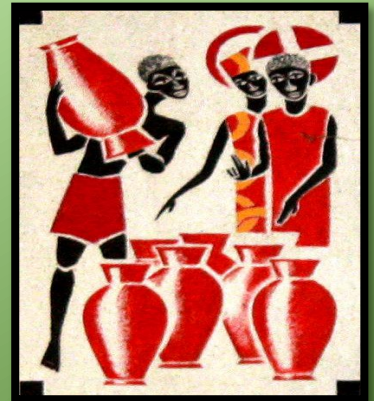
**Now is the feast  
of the Lamb once slain,  
whose blood has freed and united us  
to be one great people of God.**



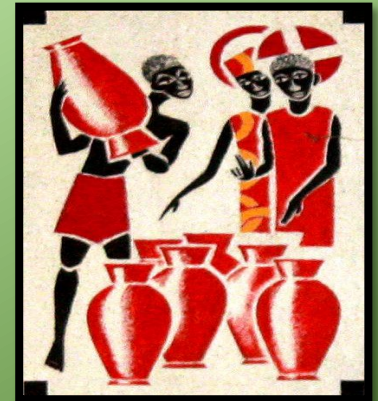
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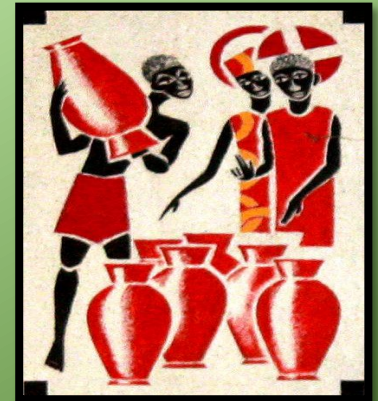
**Power and riches,  
wisdom and might,  
all honor and glory to Christ forever.**



**Now the feast and celebration,  
all of creation sings for joy  
to the God of life and love and freedom;  
praise and glory forevermore!**



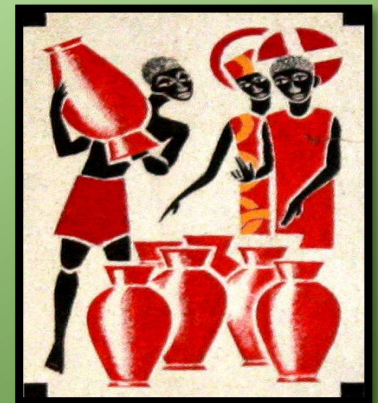
**For God has come to dwell with us,  
to make us people of God;  
to make all things new.**





**Now the feast and celebration,  
all of creation sings for joy  
to the God of life and love and freedom;  
praise and glory forevermore!**

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## Table Grace

*Please stand as you are able.*

**P:** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

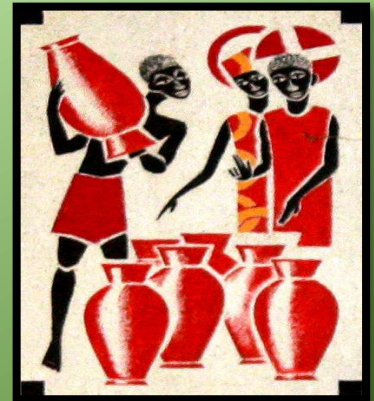
**C:** Amen



## Prayer after Communion

**L:** We give you thanks, gracious God, for we have feasted on the abundance of your house. Send us to bring good news and to proclaim your favor to all, strengthened with the richness of your grace in you Son, Jesus Christ.

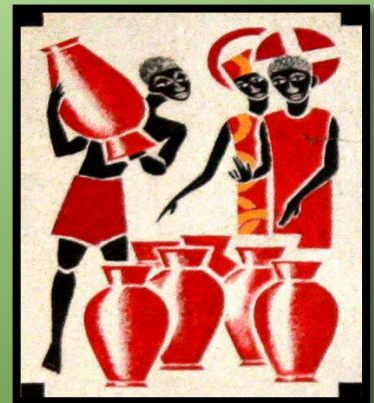
**C:** Amen.



# Blessing

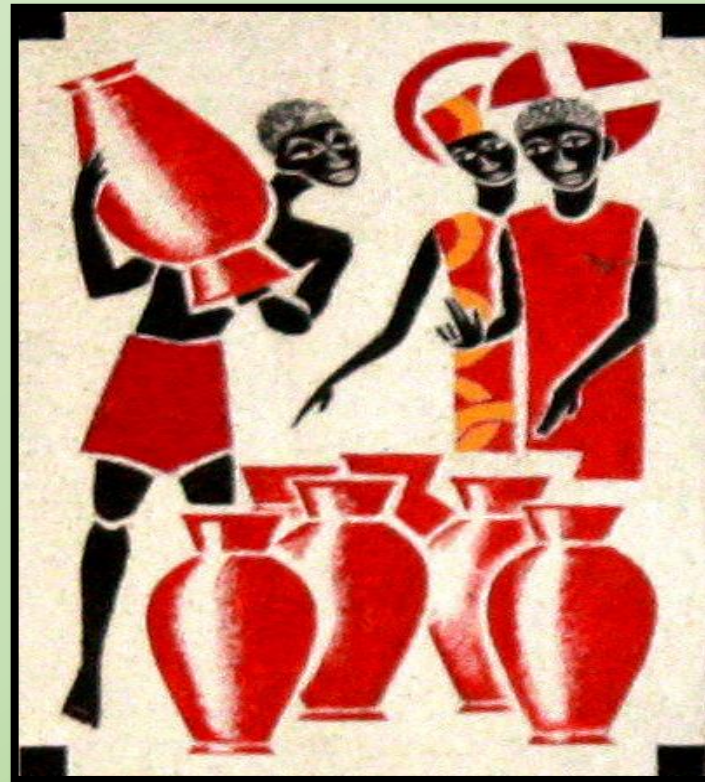
**P:** God, who leads you in pathways of righteousness, who rejoices over you, and who calls you by name, † bless your going out and your coming in, today and forever.

**C: Amen**



# Worship Song

***“Break Forth into Song”***



## **“Break Forth into Song”**

**Break forth into joy, O my soul.**

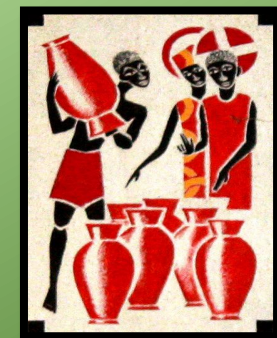
**Break forth into joy, O my soul.**

**In the presence of the Lord,**

**there is joy forevermore;**

**Break forth, break forth into joy,**

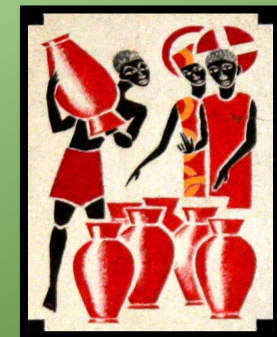
**O my soul.**



# “Break Forth into Song”

**Break forth into joy, O my soul.  
Break forth into joy, O my soul.  
In the presence of the Lord,  
there is joy forevermore;  
Break forth, break forth into joy,  
O my soul.**

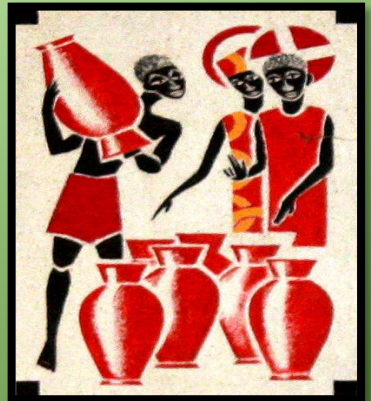
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# Dismissal

**L:** Go with Christ into a weary world.  
Share the good news.

**C:** Thanks be to God.

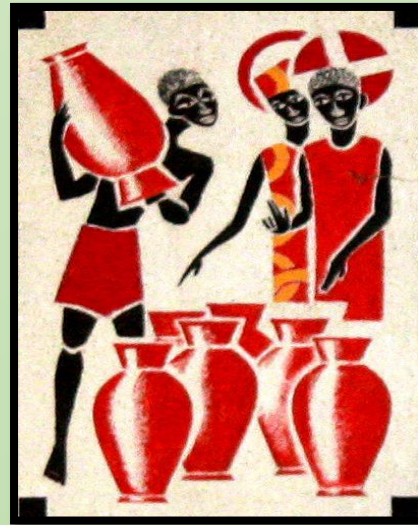




# Sending Music

## *“Here at Your Table, Lord”*

Mark Hayes



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