

INVITATION/ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING SONG

"A Wilderness Wandering People"

W&S 3113

Verse 1

*We are a wilderness wandering people
On a journey of the soul
May we find our destination
In our longing to be whole
Our holy God is calling to us
With Jesus by our side
May compassion be our compass
May the spirit be our guide*

Verse 2

*May we cherish all our children
Let us heal our family's pain
Help us cure our city's madness
Let love and justice reign
Reconciled with one another
In prayer and praise and song
We're the body of Christ together
And we know that we belong
We belong... We belong... We belong*

BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

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Wimberley United Methodist Church is a vibrant community of faith that offers radical hospitality and compassionate Christ-led ministries for hope-filled lives.



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Wimberley United Methodist Church

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GATHERING SONG

"God So Loved"

Verse 1

*Come all you weary
Come all you thirsty
Come to the well that never runs dry
Drink of the water*

Come and thirst no more

Verse 2

*Come all you sinners
Come find His mercy
Come to the table He will satisfy*

Taste of His goodness

Find what you're looking for

Chorus 1

*For God so loved the world that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us
Whoever believes in Him will live forever*

Verse 3

*Bring all your failures
Bring your addictions
Come lay them down at the foot of the cross*

Jesus is waiting there

With open arms

Chorus 2

*For God so loved the world that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us
Whoever believes in Him will live forever*

*The power of hell forever defeated
Now it is well I'm walking in freedom
For God so loved God so loved the world*

(Bridge x2)

Praise God praise God

From whom all blessings flow

Praise Him praise Him

For the wonders of His love

Chorus 3

*For God so loved the world that He gave us
His one and only Son to save*

Chorus 2

*For God so loved the world that He gave us
His one and only Son to save us
Whoever believes in Him will live forever*

The power of hell forever defeated

Now it is well I'm walking in freedom

For God so loved God so loved the world

Verse 4

Bring all your failures

Bring your addictions

Come lay them down at the foot of the cross

Jesus is waiting

God so loved the world

GREETING / WELCOME

MISSION MOMENT

CALL TO WORSHIP & OPENING PRAYER

Leader: We are not the destination.

People: We are companions on the way.

Leader: Christ is the center of our life and work.

People: The Spirit is already leading.

All: Our calling is faithfulness—lived through love and joyful service.

Leader: Let us pray, Holy and Mysterious God, ... We worship you—Creator, Christ, and Spirit—One God, now and always. **Amen.**

SONG OF PRAISE

"Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me"

vs. 1,2,,4

Verse 1

*What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy my righteousness and freedom
My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine
Yet not I but through Christ in me*

Verse 2

*The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side the Saviour he will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need his power is displayed
To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley he will lead*

*Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome
Yet not I but through Christ in me*

Verse 4

*With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For he has said that he will bring me home
And day by day I know he will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to him
When the race is complete still my lips
shall repeat Yet not I but through Christ in me*

Ending

*When the race is complete still my lips
shall repeat Yet not I but through Christ in me
Yet not I but through Christ in me*

KIDZ CHURCH Children ages three and up may go to Kidz Church in the Fellowship Hall

RESPONSIVE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: ...Birth us from above, O God. **People: Hear us and guide us on the way.**

OFFERING

SCRIPTURE READING John 3:1-17

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God **All: Thanks be to God**

SERMON

Pastor Susan Rang

CONFESSION

COMMUNION

the mystery of faith: **Christ has died, Christ has risen, Christ will come again**

The Lords Prayer

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

SONG DURING COMMUNION

"Come To The Table"

Verse 1

*We all start on the outside The outside looking in
This is where grace begins We were hungry we
were thirsty with nothing left to give Oh the
shape that we were in*

Pre-Chorus

*Just when all hope seemed lost Love opened the
door for us*

Chorus

*(He said) come to the table Come join the sinners
who have been redeemed Take your place be
side the Savior Sit down and be set free
(Come to the table)*

Verse 2

*Come meet this motley crew of misfits
These liars and these thieves There's no one
Unwell come here So that sin and shame that
you've brought with you You can leave it at the
door And let mercy draw you near*

(Repeat Chorus)

Bridge

*To the thief and to the doubter
To the hero and the coward
To the pris'ner and the soldier
To the young and to the older
All who hunger all who thirst
All the last and all the first
All the paupers and the princes
All who've failed you've been forgiven
All who dream and all who suffer
All who've loved and lost another
All the chained and all the free
All who follow all who lead
Anyone who's been let down
All the lost you have been found
All who've been labeled right or wrong
To ev'ryone who hears this song (chorus)*

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