

10:30 am Worship
January 29, 2023

WELCOME & OPENING LITANY

Mike Mather & Lynnette Li

We cry to you God, facing the mountains, how can we find peace?
We seek the welfare of the city, of the state, of the nation, of the world.
We thirst for the grace of your healing, in our pain, in our divisions, in our conflicts.
We look for signs of your life and joy all around us, to walk in hope and love.

PRELUDE “Give Ear Unto My Prayer” arr. Johannes Riedel
The Chancel Choir; Zerek Dodson, organ

THE CALL

HYMN #2172 “We Are Called”

THE SCRIPTURE READING

Micah 6:7-8 – Read by Darren De Reuck

SPECIAL MUSIC “Prayer for the City” by Richard Proulx
Small Ensemble: Caitlyn Fuller, Katie Baker, Paul Musso, Kane White
The Chancel Choir; Zerek Dodson, organ

SERMON *Do Justice: Micah Proposes a Path*
Rev. Mike Mather

HYMN #2241 “The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve” vs. 1-3

BLESSING OF THE QUILTS

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE “Prelude on Rhosymedre (‘Lovely’)”
by Ralph Vaughan Williams

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“Prayer for the City” by Richard Proulx

Lyrics:

May the Lord who lives in light come near your lives
with the radiant brightness of God’s undying love.

May the Lord who does not diminish as the shadows bring the night,
protect you under God’s eagle wings.

May God give vision to your striving for peace,
May God give you the strength to be kind,
May God give you the will to be just,
May God open your hearts to God’s Holy Word.

And at last when you come to rest,
May God give you unending rest.

So be it.