

First CHURCH

First United Methodist Church of Boulder

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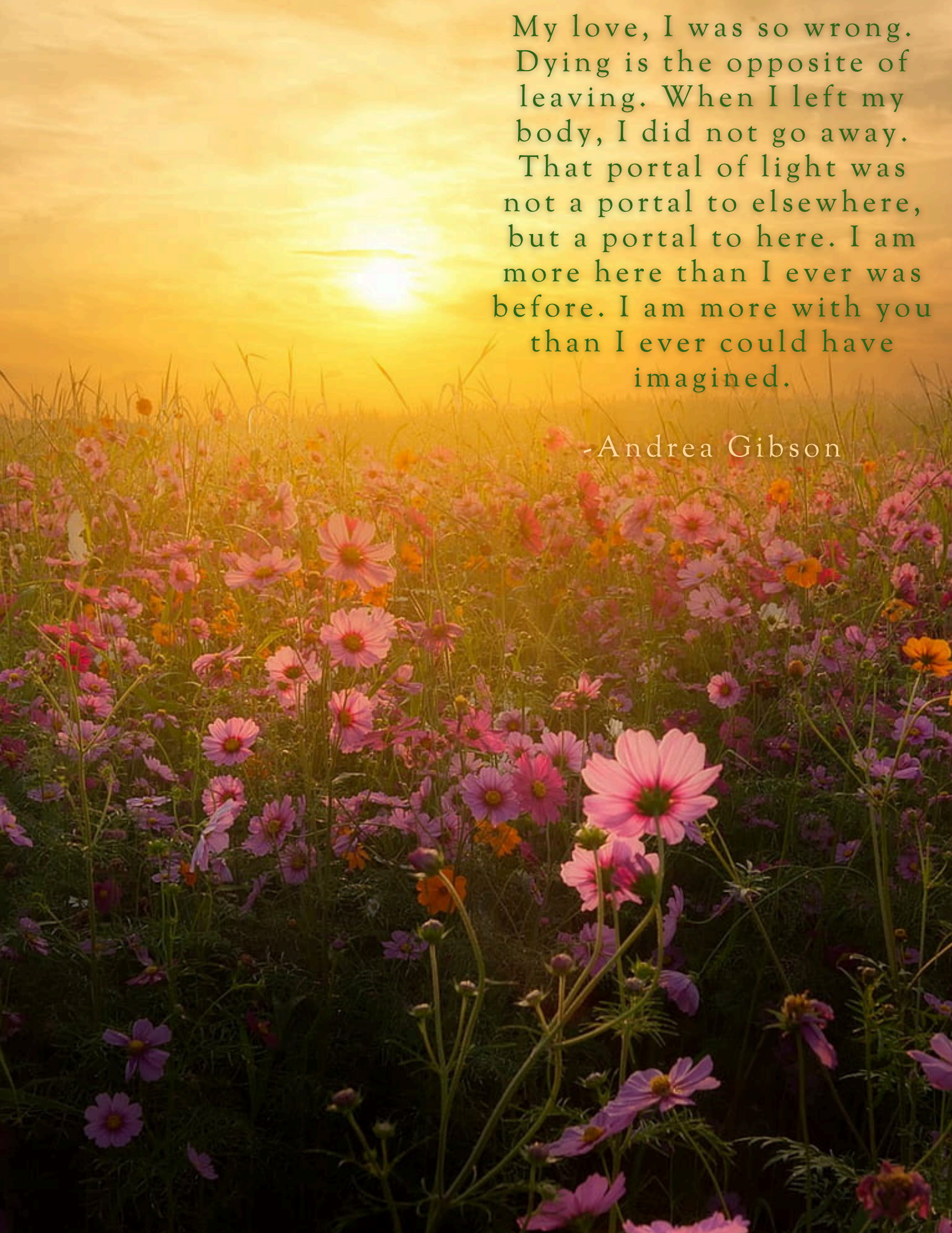


- Leave your offering in the narthex with an usher

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A field of pink and purple cosmos flowers under a golden sunset sky. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm, golden glow over the scene. The flowers are in various stages of bloom, with some fully open and others as buds. The background is a soft, hazy landscape with more flowers and tall grasses.

My love, I was so wrong.
Dying is the opposite of
leaving. When I left my
body, I did not go away.
That portal of light was
not a portal to elsewhere,
but a portal to here. I am
more here than I ever was
before. I am more with you
than I ever could have
imagined.

-Andrea Gibson



EASTER PRELUDE

"Ave Maria" by Franz Schubert

WELCOME

Rev. Mike Mather & Lynnette Li

OPENING HYMN

#302 "Christ the Lord is Risen Today" arr. Harmon & Mondragon
vs. 1,2,3 & 6

THE CALL

Rev. Mike Mather

SPECIAL MUSIC

"And the Glory of the Lord" (from *Messiah*) by George Frideric Handel
*And the glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it
Together: for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it.
(Isaiah 40:5)*

SCRIPTURE READING

Darren DeReuck
Matthew 28:1-10

SPECIAL MUSIC

"The Ground" (from *Sunrise Mass*) by Ola Gjeilo

Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory

Osanna, Osanna in excelsis.

Hosanna in the highest.

Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.

Blessed He who comes in the name of the Lord,

Benedictus qui venit.

Blessed is He who comes.

Osanna, Osanna in excelsis.

Hosanna in the highest.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,

Lamb of God who takes away sins of the world,

Agnus Dei qui tollis peccata mundi,

Lamb of God who takes away sins of the world,

Dona nobis pacem.

Grant us peace.



SERMON

A Whole Lot of Shaking Going On
Rev. Mike Mather

SPECIAL MUSIC

“Hallelujah Chorus” (from *Messiah*) by George Frideric Handel

SENDING HYMN & OFFERTORY

#140 “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” arr. Dan Kreider

BENEDICTION

Rev. Mike Mather

MUSIC INTO LIFE

“La Majesté” (from *12 Marches héroïques*) by George Philipp Telemann

Thank you to our musicians this morning!

The Chancel Choir

David Waldman, violin

Autumn Pepper, violin

Aimee McAnulty, viola

Adam Riggs, cello

Mikeal Leonhardt, trumpet

Clare Church, timpani & percussion

Zerek Dodson, piano, harpsichord & organ

Charlotte Warren Sass, Director of Worship Arts