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LIFE IN THE WILDERNESS is our Lenten theme this year. And we are being invited to:

LISTEN for the singing bowl that will call us to attention.

LISTEN for the voice of the Spirit as we spend moments in silence.

COME to the TABLE in communion more often.

And WAIT for our untamable GOD to bring WILDLY GOOD NEWS to our Life in the Wilderness.

## Call to Worship

Opening Song: *The Lord's my Shepherd* purple, 99

Scripture: Matthew 21:1-11

Singing Bowl

Children's Processional and Singing

Songs: *Hosanna, loud hosanna* blue, 238 *I am the God that leads* insert

Welcome and Opening Words

Prayer

## Hearing God's Word

Offering

Scripture: Luke 13:31-35; Luke 19 41-44

Song: *O sacred Head, now wounded* blue, 252
Sermon: "Wild Peace" Mag Richer Smith
Song: *Dona nobis pacem* blue, 346

# Responding

Confession Silence

Words of Assurance

Song: *Praise him, praise him!* blue, 100 Congregational Sharing and Prayer Joanne Gallardo

## Transition to Fellowship and Sunday School

Welcome & Introduction of Visitors (Please pass the friendship registers.)

Announcements Sending Words

Closing song: *Be thou my vision* blue, 545

### **Worship Participants**

Worship Leader: Hannah Heinzekehr Song Leader: Andrea Bontrager Yoder

Accompanist: Patsy Sherer
Offertory: Andy Martin
Visuals: Leah Garboden
Lishers: Anita and Dale Spy

Ushers: Anita and Dale Snyder AV Operator: Phil Bauman

Hearing assistance devices are available in the room beside the doors to the sanctuary. Please see the A/V operator if you would like one.

We offer childcare during worship after children's time for infants & toddlers. Children under 2 years of age may go to the Cherub Corner room, while 2 and 3 year olds may go to the MYF room.

Infant Care: Sue Byler, Elise Derstine, Missy Schrock Toddler Care: Lindsy Diener Locke, Sarah & Alice Morrison, Angela Shenk

#### **Nurture Hour**

Sunday school begins at 11:00 a.m. and ends at 12:00 p.m. First enjoy a time of fellowship after the worship service.

- INFANTS & TODDLERS (ages 0-2) Cherub corner
- PRESCHOOL I (age 3) Joyful class
- PRESCHOOL II (ages 4-5) Forgiveness class
- PRIMARY (grade 1-2) Peaceful class
- MIDDLER (grade 3-5) Gentleness class
- JUNIOR YOUTH JYF (grades 6-8) off Jubilee Hall
- HIGH SCHOOL MYF (grades 9-12) off Jubilee Hall
- COLLEGE Library
- ADULTS
  - Better than a Donut end of hallway
  - Colossian Way *(closed group)* off Jubilee Hall
  - 50 Something's Sanctuary
  - Sermon Response off Jubilee Hall
  - Sojourners (30s and 40s) Sanctuary
  - Women Tending Our Souls Office

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