

# SOUTHSIDE FELLOWSHIP

Creating brave spaces that nurture and inspire the human spirit

## *What Are We For? A Cosmology of Grace*

June 29, 2025

*The true love of Christ shall not destroy the enemy; he that would be an heir with Christ is taught to be merciful, as the Father in heaven is merciful. ~ Felix Manz (1498-1527)*

### GATHERING

**Welcome**

**Centering music**

**Call to Worship**

Adapted from Luke 4: 18-19 & Jeremiah 17:14-15

**Reader 1:**

What does the Word of God have to say to us now?

**Reader 2:** Listen for the Word of God.

**All:** Let the Word of God come to us now.  
Amen.

**Hymn**      *God of the Bible*      **VT 420**

### LISTENING FOR THE WORD

**The Poet's Word**    *Grace*  
by Orlando Richardo Menes

**Hymn**      *Rain Down*      **VT 703**

**Scripture:** Luke 6:27-37

**Sermon**    *Give Us Grace*      David Moser

### RESPONDING TO THE WORD

**Hymn**      *I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace* **VT 590**

**Offering**

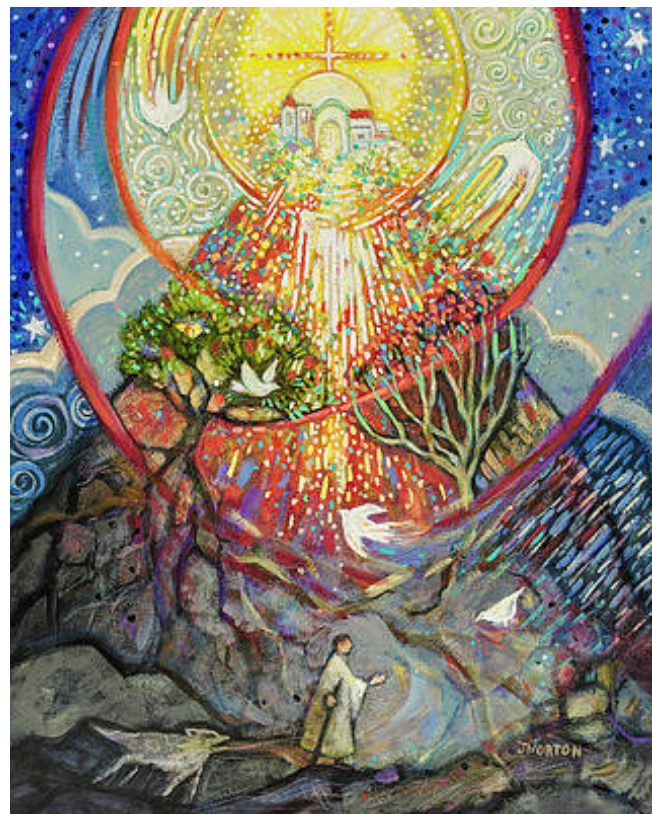
**Sharing our lives and our prayers**

**Praying in the Way of Jesus**

### THE WORD IN THE WORLD

**Hymn**      *Kyrie eleison*      **VT 147**

**Benediction**



Jen Norton, *Blessed Are the Poor In Spirit*

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