

**Order of Worship**  
January 15th 2023 ~ 3rd Sunday after Christmas

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

**Hymn of Praise**

*They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love*

**Verse 1**

We are one in the Spirit  
We are one in the Lord  
We are one in the Spirit  
We are one in the Lord  
And we pray that all unity  
May one day be restored

**Chorus**

And they'll know we are Christians  
By our love by our love  
Yes they'll know we are Christians  
By our love

**Verse 2**

We will walk with each other  
We will walk hand in hand  
We will walk with each other  
We will walk hand in hand

And together we'll spread the news  
That God is in our land

**Chorus**

And they'll know we are Christians  
By our love by our love  
Yes they'll know we are Christians  
By our love

**Verse 3**

We will work with each other  
We will work side by side  
We will work with each other  
We will work side by side  
And we'll guard each man's dignity  
And save each man's pride

**Chorus**

And they'll know we are Christians

By our love by our love  
Yes they'll know we are Christians  
By our love

**Verse 4**

All praise to the Father  
From whom all things come  
And all praise to Christ Jesus  
His only Son  
And all praise to the Spirit  
Who makes us one

**Chorus**

And they'll know we are Christians  
By our love by our love  
Yes they'll know we are Christians  
By our love

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Peter Scholtes

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**Gathering Prayer**

**Special Music**

*Gather At The River*

Joel Lindsey and Regie Hamm

## Scripture Reading

Julie Ressler, reader

### ***Isaiah 1:12-18***

#### **New Living Translation**

12 When you come to worship me,  
who asked you to parade through my courts with all your ceremony?

13 Stop bringing me your meaningless gifts;  
the incense of your offerings disgusts me!

As for your celebrations of the new moon and the Sabbath  
and your special days for fasting—  
they are all sinful and false.

I want no more of your pious meetings.

14 I hate your new moon celebrations and your annual festivals.  
They are a burden to me. I cannot stand them!

15 When you lift up your hands in prayer, I will not look.  
Though you offer many prayers, I will not listen,  
for your hands are covered with the blood of innocent victims.

16 Wash yourselves and be clean!

Get your sins out of my sight.

Give up your evil ways.

17 Learn to do good.

Seek justice.

Help the oppressed.

Defend the cause of orphans.

Fight for the rights of widows.

18 “Come now, let’s settle this,”  
says the Lord.

“Though your sins are like scarlet,  
I will make them as white as snow.

Though they are red like crimson,  
I will make them as white as wool.

The Word of the Lord.

***Thanks be to God.***

## Sermon

*Unity in Diversity*

Associate Pastor Charla Belinski

## Offertory

## Communion

## Lord’s 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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.*

## Closing Hymn

*One Bread, One Body*  
John Foley, SJ

### Refrain

One bread, one body,  
one Lord of all,  
one cup of blessing which we bless.  
And we, though many,  
throughout the earth,  
we are one body in this one Lord.

1. Gentile or Jew,  
servant or free,  
woman or man, no more.

### Refrain

One bread, one body,  
one Lord of all,

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one cup of blessing which we bless.  
And we, though many,  
throughout the earth,  
we are one body in this one Lord.

2. Many the gifts,  
many the works,  
one in the Lord of all.

### Refrain

One bread, one body,  
one Lord of all,  
one cup of blessing which we bless.  
And we, though many,  
throughout the earth,

we are one body in this one Lord.

3. Grain for the fields,  
scattered and grown,  
gathered to one, for all.

### Refrain

One bread, one body,  
one Lord of all,  
one cup of blessing which we bless.  
And we, though many,  
throughout the earth,  
we are one body in this one Lord.

## Blessing

## Postlude

***Our love in action now begin***

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Greeters - Dean Goodwin, Sherri Goodwin, Dave  
Ressler, Julie Ressler  
Scripture readers - Sherri Goodwin and Julie Ressler  
Prayer's of the People - Sherri Goodwin

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