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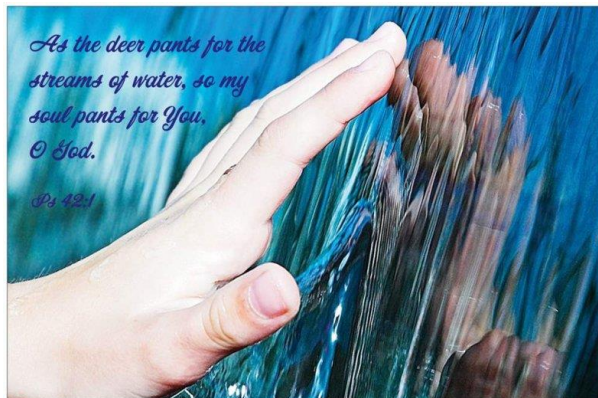
HYMN - Deep In Our Hearts (MV 154)

BENEDICTION

Solo - Wendell Owen

Sunset Poem - { Eli Jenkins' Prayer}; Words: Dylan Thomas; Music: A.H.D. Troyte

POSTLUDE



KNOX UNITED CHURCH

July 2nd, 2017

4th SUNDAY after PENTECOST

SINGING THE SPIRIT (MV 62)

*There is room for all
in the shadow of God's wing;
there is room for all, sheltered in God's love.
And I rejoice and sing,
"My refuge and my rock, in whom I trust."
There is room for all, there is room for all.*

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CALL TO WORSHIP & GATHERING PRAYER

HYMN - Come Touch Our Hearts (MV 12)

LIGHTING THE TRINITY CANDLES

GREETING GOD'S FAMILY

ANNOUNCEMENTS



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HOLY CONVERSATION

Hope springs fresh when we feel God's touch in our living. Life is renewed and hearts opened when we discover Jesus in our midst. Our vision expands and our ears hear a holy melody at the whisper of the Spirit's voice.

We live and find our meaning in community, and share our journey with many, in a web of relationship. When we fail to follow a path of compassion among God's people, may we find our way again as disciples of the One who cares for all. When we take no heed of the call to re-direct our lives, may we discover anew Jesus' creative ways of peace, justice and radical welcome. When we let ourselves back away from building God's realm in our midst, may the Spirit of Life ignite our passion and strengthen our resolve.

In hope may we find new vision, and in trust may we guide each other through our humanity and our holiness. May we look with faith-filled eyes to see new horizons for ourselves amid all God's people. Amen.

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HYMN - *There's a Wideness in God's Mercy*
(VU 271)

WORDS FROM OUR SCRIPTURES

Hebrew Scriptures Genesis 22:1-14

The offering of Isaac

Gospel

Matthew 10:40-42

Who welcomes you, welcomes me

REFLECTION

HYMN - *As The Deer Pants for the Water*
(Psalm 42 - VU 766)

MISSION MESSAGE & OFFERING

GIFT OF MUSIC -

Wendell Owen & Patricia Deibert



Twenty-Third Psalm - An Interpretation. Text adapted by F.W. Music by Frances Waterman

COMMUNITY PRAYER and LORD'S PRAYER MUSIC BEFORE PRAYER (MV 21, sing 1X)

Open our hearts, open our minds.

Open our lives to you, O loving God.

Open our hearts, open our minds.

Open our lives to you, O loving God.

Open our hearts.

words and music: Jim Strathdee