

CONFESSION & ASSURANCE

A call to acknowledge and forsake sin against God and one another, and an invitation to receive the assurance of a new identity in the finished work of Christ.

CONFESSION

TOGETHER

Jesus, your yoke is easy, and your burden is light. We put ourselves under a weight we cannot bear. You clothe us and feed us, but we often don't trust that you will provide for us. We pride ourselves on satisfying and meeting our needs apart from you.

TOGETHER

You tell us to seek Your Kingdom first. We are preoccupied and crushed by the cares of this world. You promise to never give us a stone if we ask you for bread, Yet we are more formed by our own anxieties than by Your promises. Help us to cast our cares on you, knowing that you care for us. When our hands are empty, you will make our hearts fully satisfied in you.

ASSURANCE

LEADER

Your Father in heaven knows what you need before you ask. He gives from the overflow of his inexhaustible mercy. He is eager to supply your every need according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus.

LEADER

Jesus has made His Father your Father, and gives you the gift of His Holy Spirit so that you may rest in Him. Do not be anxious like the world, For we are sons and daughters of a good Father. Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find. God is for you and not against you.

TOGETHER

Thanks be to God!
For yours is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.