



Lexington Presbyterian Church  
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## GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE

SIGN IN AND FELLOWSHIP

GATHERING HYMN 526

*Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ*

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

This is the day that the Lord had made  
***Let us rejoice and be glad in it***

TIME OF REFLECTION

Michael Anne Lynn

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The Peace (responsive)

Let us greet one another with the Peace of Christ. The peace of Christ be with you.  
***and also with you...***

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

*Stewardship Campaign Report*

Kevin Burke

GENEROUS GIVING

Invitation to Give

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn

*Living Stones, v. 1&2*

***Our God has built with living stones, a church that lives as well:  
In solid and in certain tones to pray, and sing, and tell.***

***God's Son, our Rock, our Cornerstone, on which we stones must build;  
Foundation that is Christ alone, each stone in Christ fulfilled.***

## HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING Psalm 100

NEW TESTAMENT READING 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

SERMON *A Dynamic Church*

Rev. Tom Groome

HYMN OF REFLECTION 85

*All People That on Earth Do Dwell*

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

PRAYERS OF PEOPLE & LORD'S PRAYER

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Hymn 654 during Communion

*In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful*

***In the Lord I'll be ever thankful; in the Lord I will rejoice!***

***Look to God; do not be afraid. Lift up your voices; the Lord is near.***

***Lift up your voices; the Lord is near.***

Post-Communion Prayer

### SENDING

HYMN 300

*We Are One in the Spirit*

BLESSING IN WORD

RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE : HYMN 742 (sung twice)

*We Will Walk with God*

***We will walk with God, my brother, we will walk with God.***

***We will walk with God, my sister, we will walk with God.***

***We will go rejoicing till the kingdom has come.***

***We will go rejoicing till the kingdom has come.***

FELLOWSHIP/BREAKOUT ROOM

*\*Time with the Young People: A Reading of () will be made available on [www.lexpreg.org](http://www.lexpreg.org)*

The **flowers** are given to the glory of God and in memory of Jacob Nathaniel Smith, son of Wendell and Neil.

**Thank you** to Michael Anne Lynn for assisting with worship this morning.

**Thank you** to Kevin Burke for providing today's Life of the Church on the Stewardship Campaign results.

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Hymn 385

All People That on Earth Do Dwell

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Hymn 526

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Hymn

Living Stones

Text: Terry W. York, 1949

Music (tune: *St. Anne*): Public Domain

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Hymn 65

In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful

Text and Music: Jacques Berthier © 1991 Les Presses de Taizé (GIA Publ., Inc.)

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Hymn 300

We Are One in the Spirit

Text & Music: Peter Scholtes, 1966.

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Hymn 742

We Will Walk with God

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Numbered Hymns from *Glory to God* (Westminster John Knox Press, 2013).

Hymn: "Living Stones" from *The Baptist Hymnal* (Convention Press, 1991).

# 526 Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ



1 Let us tal - ents and tongues em - ploy, reach - ing out with a  
 2 Christ is a - ble to make us one; at the ta - ble he  
 3 Je - sus calls us in, sends us out bear - ing fruit in a



shout of joy: bread is bro - ken; the wine is poured;  
 sets the tone, teach - ing peo - ple to live to bless,  
 world of doubt, gives us love to tell, bread to share:



Christ is spo - ken and seen and heard.  
 love in word and in deed ex - press. Je - sus lives a - gain;  
 God (Im - man - u - el) ev - ery - where!



earth can breathe a - gain; pass the Word a - round: loaves a - bound!

# All People That on Earth Do Dwell 385

(Psalm 100)

1 All peo - ple that on earth do dwell, sing to the  
 2 Know that the Lord is God in - deed; with - out our  
 3 O en - ter then his gates with praise; ap - proach with  
 4 For why? The Lord our God is good; his mer - cy

Lord with cheer - ful voice; him serve with mirth, his  
 aid he did us make; we are his folk; he  
 joy his courts un - to; praise, laud, and bless his  
 is for - ev - er sure; his truth at all times

praise forth tell. Come ye be - fore him and re - joice.  
 doth us feed, and for his sheep he doth us take.  
 name al - ways, for it is seem - ly so to do.  
 firm - ly stood, and shall from age to age en - dure.

# We Are One in the Spirit 300

## They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love

Capo 1: (Em) (Bm) (Em)  
Fm Cm Fm

1 We are one in the Spir - it; we are one in the Lord;  
 2 We will walk with each oth - er; we will walk hand in hand;  
 3 We will work with each oth - er; we will work side by side;  
 4 All praise to the Fa - ther, from whom all things come,

(Am) (Em)  
B<sup>b</sup>m Fm

we are one in the Spir - it; we are one in the Lord,  
 we will walk with each oth - er; we will walk hand in hand,  
 we will work with each oth - er; we will work side by side,  
 and all praise to Christ Je - sus, God's on - ly Son,

(Am) (Em)  
B<sup>b</sup>m Fm

and we pray that all u - ni - ty may one day be re - stored:  
 and to - geth - er we'll spread the news that God is in our land:  
 and we'll guard hu - man dig - ni - ty and save hu - man pride:  
 and all praise to the Spir - it, who makes us one:

*Refrain* (C) (Em)  
D<sup>b</sup> Fm

And they'll know we are Chris-tians by our love, by our

(Am) (Em) (Am) (Bm) (Em) (Am/E) (Em)  
B<sup>b</sup>m Fm B<sup>b</sup>m Cm Fm B<sup>b</sup>m/F Fm

love; yes, they'll know we are Chris-tians by our love.