

Call to Worship – Confession: Wash Me... and Cleanse Me from My Sin

Leader: With penitent hearts,
we gather for worship.
Though it is hard to be honest with ourselves,
with each other and with God,
we acknowledge that our lives
are not what we hope they will be.
We have not loved God
with our whole heart, soul, and mind;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
Today we want to see ourselves and each other
as God sees us— with eyes of mercy, compassion, and love.
Today we want to receive God's cleansing grace.

*All: Lord of life, all our longings are known to you;
send our roots rain;
refresh us and make us whole.*

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