



Worship Service for February 1, 2026 Scout Sunday

Prelude	Marshall Davies
Chiming of the Hour	Mary Davis
Welcome	Pastor Felix Carrión
Centering Moment	Pastor Felix Carrión
Praise & Worship Songs	Congregation
<i>Sing! #7 "Welcome to This House"</i>	

Welcome to this house,
Open and affirming.
In God's Son we are all one.
Hand in hand we stand.
Welcome to this house,
Caring and accepting.
In God's Son we are all one.
Welcome to this house of God.

Welcome to this house,
There is room for everyone.
All will sing, praises we bring
Let us all be one.
Welcome to this house,
Where God gives the call to serve.
All will sing, praises we bring.
Welcome to this house of God.

Welcome to this house,
Blessed by Word and Harmony.
Child of God, born from above.
Know that Christ is love.
Welcome to this house,
Filled with peace and charity.
Child of God, born from above.
Welcome to this house of God.

Announcements

Mary Davis

Call to Worship

Mary Davis

LEADER: Who among you is seeking the wisdom of God?

ALL: We long to hear God's voice speak to our hearts.

LEADER: Who among you is seeking pure truth?

ALL: We long to learn the ways of wisdom and righteousness.

LEADER: Who among you is seeking a Spirit-filled life?

ALL: We long to live lives of holiness and honesty.

LEADER: God grants wisdom generously to all who ask.

ALL: We ask for this wisdom to illuminate our understanding and guide our ways.

***Hymn**

Congregation

TNCH #436 "God of Grace and God of Glory"

God of grace and God of glory,

On your people pour your power;

Crown your ancient church's story;

Bring its bud to glorious flower.

Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,

For the facing of this hour,

For the facing of this hour.

From the evils that surround us
And assail the Savior's ways,
From the fears that long have bound us
Free our hearts for faith and praise.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
For the living of these days,
For the living of these days.

Cure your children's warring madness;
Bend our pride to your control.
Shame our reckless, selfish gladness,
rich in things and poor in soul.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
Make our broken spirits whole,
Make our broken spirits whole.

Gathering Prayer

Congregation

**ALL: Holy One, we are seekers on the way to a deeper
wisdom. Our lives are full of information and**

opinions, but in the midst of it all, we long to hear the voice of wisdom cutting through the noise and teaching us how to order our steps and ways. We have come here this morning so that wisdom may call us into the illuminating light of your truth. Holy One, make us ready to hear the call of wisdom and grant us courage to respond with acceptance and affirmation.

Amen.

Invitation to Offering

Mary Davis

Tackle Hunger: Souper Bowl of Caring

Offertory Music

Marshall Davies

***Doxology**

Congregation

Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Praise God all creatures here below

Praise God for all that Love has done

Creator, Christ, and Spirit one

Amen.

Offertory Prayer

Mary Davis

ALL: Holy One, accept and bless our offerings this day. Grant that we might live generously, as we serve to be a blessing to our world. May we be faithful in all things and at all times!

Amen.

Biblical Witness

Pastor Felix Carrión

Proverbs 4:5 - 9

Get wisdom; get insight: do not forget nor turn away from the words of my mouth.

Do not forsake her, and she will keep you;
love her, and she will guard you.

The beginning of wisdom is this: get wisdom,
and whatever else you get, get insight.

Prize her highly, and she will exalt you;
she will honor you if you embrace her.

She will place on your head a fair garland;
she will bestow on you a beautiful crown.”

Contemporary Witness

Mary Davis

Various Quotes by Rumi

“Whoever travels without a guide needs two hundred years for a two-day journey.”

“Yesterday I was clever, so I wanted to change the world. Today I am wise, so I am changing myself.”

“I have been a seeker, and I still am, but I stopped asking the books and the stars. I started listening to the [wisdom] of my Soul.”

“Remember, the entrance door to the sanctuary is inside of you.”

Reflection

Pastor Felix Carrión

“The Way of Wisdom”

Special Music

Plymouth Choir

TNCH #331 "Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life"

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life:

such a way as gives us breath;

Such a truth as ends all strife;

such a life as conquers death.

Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength:

such a light as shows a feast;

Such a feast as mends in length;

such a strength as makes a guest.

Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart:

such a joy as none can move;

Such a love as none can part;

such a heart as joys in love.

Welcoming Scout Troop 1323, Pack 1550, and Pack 1323

Pastor Felix Carrión

Souperbowl of Caring Winner Announced

Mary Davis

Invitation and Communion Prayer

Pastor Felix Carrión

PASTOR: Welcome, friends, to this holy sharing.

ALL: Welcome to offer love.

PASTOR: Welcome to this time set apart.

ALL: A time to remember the holy promises of God.

PASTOR: Welcome to this table of remembrance and joy.

**ALL: The table where we are fed, the feast we share
with many.**

Communion Prayer

Pastor Felix Carrión

Breaking Bread and Pouring Cup

Sharing the Elements

**all elements are gluten free*

Communion Music

Plymouth Choir

Sing! #45 "Gather Us, O God"

Gather us, O God,

Body, spirit, soul, and mind.

Gather us, O God,

one in union now with you.

Jesus' Prayer

Congregation

The New Zealand Book of Prayer

**ALL: Eternal Spirit, Earth-maker, Pain-bearer,
Life-giver, Source of all that is and that shall be,
Father and Mother of us all, Loving God, in whom is
heaven: The hallowing of your name echoes through
the universe! The way of your justice be followed by
the peoples of the world! Your heavenly will be done
by all created beings! Your commonwealth of peace
and freedom sustains our hope and comes on earth.
With the bread we need for today, feed us. In the
hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us. In
times of temptation and test, strengthen us. From
trials too great to endure, spare us. From the grip of
all that is evil, free us. For you reign in the glory of
the power that is love, now and forever.**

Amen.

A Moment of Silence to Honor the Lives of Renee Good and Alex Pretti

Pastor Felix Carrión

***Congregational Song**

Congregation

"Change This World"

Spirit of Christ, shine through our lives

Use us to change this world

Fill us with Light, brilliant and bright

Use us to change this world

Help us do what's ours to do

To make this world a better place

There is enough

Compassion, Mercy and Love

God's Justice working through us

To change this world

Change this world

Spirit of Christ, shine through our lives
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Change this world
We can change this world
Change this world

Benediction

Pastor Felix Carrión

Song of Parting

Congregation

Sing! #199 "Go Make a Difference"

Go make a diff'ence.

We can make a diff'ence.

Go make a diff'ence in the world.

Go make a diff'ence.

We can make a diff'ence.

Go make a diff'ence in the world

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Postlude

Marshall Davies

Today's Worship Participants

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