

MAYFLOWER CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
A SERVICE OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, May 12, 2024, 10:30 a.m.

Seventh Sunday of Easter
Mother's Day

Welcome and Greeting - Pastor Mark

Prelude: "They'll Know We Are Christians" (Peter Scholtes, arr. Mark Hayes) - DeeAnn

Opening Sentences - Jen

Hymn 372: "Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak" - DeeAnn et al.

Opening Prayer - Jen

Anthem: "River in Judea" (Linda Marcus and Jack Feldman, arr. John Leavitt) - Barb/DeeAnn/Marsha/JustinChoir

Giving and Receiving of Our Gifts - Pastor Mark
Doxology - DeeAnn et al.

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (using debts and debtors) - Pastor Mark

New Testament Reading: Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 - DeeAnn

In those days Peter stood up among the believers (together the crowd numbered about one hundred and twenty people) and said, 'Friends, the scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit through David foretold concerning Judas, who became a guide for those who arrested Jesus—for he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry.' So one of the men who have accompanied us throughout the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us—one of these must become a witness with us to his resurrection.' So they proposed two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also known as Justus, and Matthias. Then they prayed and said, 'Lord, you know everyone's heart. Show us which one of these two you have chosen to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place.' And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias; and he was added to the eleven apostles.

Sermon: "LEFT OUT: WOMEN" - Pastor Mark

Hymn 43: "How Like a Gentle Spirit" - DeeAnn et al.

Benediction - Pastor Mark

Benediction Response 576: "May the Lord Bless You" - DeeAnn et al.

May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever; grant you peace, perfect peace, courage for ev'ry endeavor. Lift up your eyes and seek His face, and His grace forever. May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever.

Greet One Another - All

Participants: Pastor Mark & DeeAnn McCormick, Barb Fuller, Jen Hall, Marsha Hacker, Justin Stephens, Chancel Choir

Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak

372

Frances R. Havergal, 1836-1879

Arr. from Robert A. Schumann, 1810-1856

1. Lord, speak to me, that I may speak In
2. O strength - en me, that while I stand Firm
3. O teach me, Lord, that I may teach The
4. O fill me with Thy full - ness, Lord, Un -

liv - ing ech - oes of Thy tone; As Thou hast sought, so
on the rock, and strong in Thee, I may stretch out a
pre - cious things Thou dost im - part; And wing my words, that
til my ver - y heart o'er - flow In kin - dling thought and

let me seek Thy err - ing chil - dren lost and lone.
lov - ing hand To wres - tlers with the trou - bled sea!
they may reach The hid - den depths of man - y a heart!
glow - ing word, Thy love to tell, Thy praise to show! A - men.

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Obedience and Commitment

THE CHRISTIAN LIFE

How Like a Gentle Spirit

43

C. Eric Lincoln, 1924–2000

Alfred Morton Smith, 1879–1971

Unison

1. How like a gen - tle spir - it deep with - in God
 2. Let God be God wher - ev - er life may be; Let
 3. God like a moth - er ea - gle hov - ers near On
 4. When in our vain pre - ten - sions we con - spire To
 5. In all our fret - ful claims of sex and race The

reins our fer - vent pas - sions day by day, And
 ev - 'ry tongue bear wit - ness to the call; All
 might - y wings of pow - er man - i - fest; God
 shape God's im - age as we see our own, Hark
 u - ni - ver - sal love of God shines through, For

gives us strength to chal - lenge and to win De -
 hu - man - kind is one by God's de - cree; Let
 like a gen - tle shep - herd stills our fear, And
 to the voice a - bove our base de - sire; God
 God is love tran - scend - ing style and place And

spite the per - ils of our cho - sen way.
 God be God, let God be God for all.
 com - forts us a - gainst a peace - ful breast.
 is the sculp - tor, we the bro - ken stone.
 all the i - dle op - tions we pur - sue.