



Worship Service for February 20, 2022

Prelude Marshall Davies

Chiming of the Hour Paula McKnight

Welcome Pastor Mak

Centering Moment Pastor Mak

Call to Worship Paula McKnight

LEADER: Those who are thirsty, come to the fount that will not dry up.

ALL: We bring our thirst here to be quenched.

LEADER: Those who are weary, Spirit is a ready refuge.

ALL: We bring our weariness that we might find rest.

LEADER: Those who feel lost, come to the One who knows the way.

ALL: Lead us by the hand, by our hearts, and by hope.

Hymn Marshall Davies

Sing! # 33 "There's a Spirit of Love in This Place"

Biblical Witness

Paula McKnight

2 Kings 2:6-14

Elijah said to Elisha, "Stay here; for the Lord has sent me to the Jordan." But Elisha said, "As the Lord lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So the two of them went on. Fifty of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground.

When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, "Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you." Elisha said, "Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit." Elijah responded, "You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not." As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. Elisha kept watching and crying out, "Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its

Open unto me, courage for my fear
Open unto me, hope for my despair
Open unto me, peace for my turmoil
Open unto me, joy for my sorrow
Open unto me, strength for my weakness
Open unto me, wisdom for my confusion
(ppt 18) Open unto me, forgiveness for my sins
Open unto me, tenderness for my toughness
Open unto me, love for my hates
Open unto me, Thy Self for myself
Lord, Lord, open unto me!

Invitation to Offering Paula McKnight

Offertory Music Marshall Davies

Doxology Marshall Davies

Offertory Prayer Paula McKnight

LEADER: Hear us, O God.

ALL: We seek to do justice,

LEADER: to love kindness,

ALL: and to walk humbly with each other.

LEADER: Multiply what is before you like the loaves and the fishes.

ALL: So needs can be met and joy fulfilled. Amen.

Hymn

Marshall Davies

TNCH #471 "What a Covenant"

Benediction

Pastor Mak

Postlude

Marshall Davies