

eleven fifty-nine

A time to gather

We are invited to visit with one another as the space is transformed.

Gathering music

A welcoming word

Opening prayer

O God,
Let faith abide.
Let hope abide.
Let love abide—
here in this sanctuary,
here in our community,
here in our world,
but most of all, here in us.
Amen.

J. C. Brown

A Bible sharing: John 15:12-17

A teaching moment

A time for prayer

Where Have All the Flowers Gone
Pete Seeger

A closing in song

A sending



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First Congregational
Church Hudson

(Vs. 1) Blessed be your name
in the land that is plentiful,
where your stream of abundance flows,
blessed be your name.
Blessed be your name
when I'm found in the desert place.
Though I walk through the wilderness,
blessed be your name.

(Chorus) Every blessing you pour out,
I'll turn back to praise.

When the darkness closes in, Lord,
still I will say:

Blessed be the name of the Lord,
blessed be your name.

Blessed be the name of the Lord,
blessed be your glorious name.

(Vs. 2) Blessed be your name
when the sun's shining down on me.
When the world's all as it should be,
blessed be your name.

Blessed be your name
on the road marked with suffering.
Though there's pain in the offering,
blessed be your name. (Chorus)

(Chorus) I will choose Christ,
I will choose love, I choose to serve.
I give my heart, I give my life,
I give my all to you.

(Vs. 1) How many times must he call my name
and show me that he is God?
And as a servant, he calls to me,
"You must serve, too." (Chorus)

(Vs. 2) Christ my teacher and healer,
teach my heart and heal my soul.
And as I walk this road with you,
teach me to love. (Chorus)

(Vs. 3) As I look upon your cross,
so too must I die with you.
And with the death of my own desires,
I'll rise with you. (Chorus)

Lord prepare me to be a Sanctuary,
pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving I'll be a living
sanctuary for You.

I want Jesus to walk with me,
I want Jesus to walk with me.
All along my journey,
I want Jesus to walk with me.

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Today's **eleven fifty-nine** worship leaders:
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Jeanette Brodersen, Associate Pastor
Steve Hockstra, Associate Pastor
Tom Scott, Director of Music Ministries
Brian King, electric bass
Karsen Guldan, drums

**Wherever you are on your
journey... you are welcome here.**