



**Worship Resources for August 1, 2021**  
**The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Summer Communion**

Today, we will gather at Christ's table for Holy Communion.  
Please have your Communion elements ready before  
viewing the service.

**Welcome**

**Opening Song      "Break Thou the Bread of Life"**

Break Thou the bread of life, dear Lord, to me,  
As Thou didst break the loaves beside the sea;  
Beyond the sacred page I seek Thee, Lord;  
My spirit pants for Thee, O living Word!

Bless Thou the truth, dear Lord, to me, to me,  
As Thou didst bless the bread by Galilee;  
Then shall all bondage cease, all fetters fall;  
And I shall find my peace, my all in all.

**Opening Prayer**

*God, you have sent your Son,  
our Savior Jesus Christ,  
to be the Bread of Life.  
You have called us to be your church,  
through which the world's hunger can be assuaged.  
Grant us glad and generous hearts,  
and the vision to see a world nourished and at peace.  
Amen*

**Scripture Readings**

Ephesians 4: 1-16  
John 6: 24-35

## **Meditation**

### **Prayers of the People/The Prayer of Our Savior (debts and debtors)**

#### **Gather at the Welcome Table: The Sacrament of Holy Communion**

Call to the Table

Communion Prayer

Breaking the Bread and Blessing the Cup

Sharing the Meal

Prayer of Thanksgiving

*God of grace and glory,  
with deep gratitude for the gifts we have received,  
we offer ourselves as living testimony to  
the presence of Jesus Christ in the world.  
May we strive to be worthy of the sacrifice of Jesus,  
and of the trust you place in us as his disciples. Amen*

#### **Closing Song      “Amazing Grace”**

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found;  
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved;  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed.

## **Benediction**

### **Threefold Amen**