

Augsburg Morning Chapel
January 14, 2020

Welcome to Campus Ministry's morning chapel service at Augsburg University.

Prelude

Welcome and Invocation

Kyrie lament from Brazil

For the troubles and the sufferings of the world,
God, we call upon your mercy:
the whole creation's laboring in pain.
Lend an ear to the rising cry for help
from oppressed and hopeless people;
Come, hasten your salvation, healing love!

We pray for peace,
the blessed peace that comes from making justice,
to cover and embrace us, have mercy, Lord!

We pray for power,
the power that will sustain your people's witness:
until your kingdom come,
Kyrie eleison

"For the Troubles and the Sufferings"/Pelas dores deste mundo
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Scripture Reading Daniel 3:37-43 (Inclusive Bible Translation)

Holy One, now we're the lowest of all the nations-now, today, we're despised the world over, because of our sins. Now we have no leader, no prophet, no ruler, no burnt offering, no sacrifice, no oblation, no incense, no altar where we can offer you the firstfruits and turn your heart back to us. So let our repentant soul, our humbled spirit, be as acceptable to you as burnt offerings of rams and bulls and thousands of fatted lambs. Let this be our sacrifice to you today, and give us the ability to follow you with a whole heart, for those who trust you completely will never be disappointed. We hereby put our whole heart into following you, into revering you and seeking your presence once again. So please don't let us be disappointed, and treat us gently, because you yourself are gentle and so very merciful. Deliver us by your marvelous works-let your Name bring you the glory, Holy One!

Homily

Jenn Luong

Hymn Teach Us What It Means to Pray Richard Bruxvoort and Bret Hesla

Teach us what it means to pray in all this world of sorrow.
Teach us what it means to pray and to humbly work for good.
More than duty, more than words can say,
teach us what it means to pray.

Teach us what it means to live with a whole heart, in this country.
Teach us what it means to live even only for this breath.
What is ours to take and what to give?
Teach us what it means to live.

Teach us what it means to try to heal a land split open.
Teach us what it means to try to share each other's pain.
One part suffers, all creation cries.
Teach us what it means to try.
Teach us what it means to live.
Teach us what it means to pray.

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Benediction and Dismissal

Postlude

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Worship Leaders

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Liturgist: Pastor Babette Chatman, University Pastor

Musician: Tom Witt, Interim Campus Ministry Musician

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