

CALL TO WORSHIP: *sung*

**Come all you people, come and praise your Maker; x 3
come now and worship the Lord.**

**U-ya-i-mose, tin-a-ma-te Mwa-ri x 3
U-ya-i-mose, zvi-no**

Shona African, via Iona

WELCOME

PRAYER

HYMN: **107** Sing praise and thanksgiving

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

... Loving God, in our human condition you know who we are, and what we are like; you know our troubles with ourselves, with each other and with you, we open ourselves to you. *(a time of silence)*

LORD God, you are close to the broken-hearted and you save those with a crushed spirit. You stand with those in need, rescue us in your mercy.

**O LORD, you redeem the life of your people.
All our thanks to you in Christ. Amen.**

RESPONSIVE READING **PSALM 34** *'The Message' translation*

Left: I bless God every chance I get;

***Right:* my lungs expand with his praise.**

I live and breathe God; if things aren't going well,
hear this and be happy:

**Join me in spreading the news;
together let's get the word out.**

God met me more than halfway,

he freed me from my anxious fears.

Look at him; give him your warmest smile.

Never hide your feelings from him.

When I was desperate, I called out,
and God got me out of a tight spot.

**God's angel sets up a circle of protection around us
while we pray.**

Open your mouth and taste, open your eyes and see

- how good God is. Blessed are you who run to him.

PSALM REFLECTION

HYMN **412** God sends us his Spirit

Readings:

Mark 10: 46 - 52

SEEING NEEDS: ANSWERING CRIES

HYMN: **579** The blind man sat by the road vs. 1,3,4

Job 42: 1 – 6, 10 – 12a

In this is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

REFLECTION: "I want to see – an end to suffering"

HYMN: **453** We limit not the truth of God

SHARING & NOTICES

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

... Lord in your mercy,

hear our prayer,

OFFERING
DEDICATION

HYMN **210** O for a thousand tongues vs. 1,2,5,6

BLESSING

.....Go in peace to love and serve the Lord
in the name of Christ. Amen

SUNG BLESSING: **779** May the feet of God

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Jesus said to him, 'What do you want me to do for you?'

WHY DOES JESUS ASK?
DOESN'T HE ALREADY KNOW
WHAT BARTIMAEUS WANTS?
I MEAN, HE'S JESUS!



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I THINK HE WANTS BARTIMAEUS
TO EXPRESS HIS LONGING.
MAYBE SOME OF THE SIGNS OF
SALVATION ARE UNIQUE TO
EACH OF US.



I'D RATHER NOT BE OHTED
BY MY LONGINGS, IF THAT'S
OKAY WITH JESUS.



MARK 10:46-52

Pentecost + 23

10 am Worship
Sunday October 27, 2024

