## Litany of Thanksgiving

Leader: Let us praise the Lord our God

Unison: Let us praise God for the good world He has made: for things great and small, beautiful and awesome; for seen and unseen splendors.

For human life; for the variety of our skills and interests; for our different ways of thinking and believing and speaking; for common hardships and common hopes we have from birth till dying.

For work to do; for useful tasks that need concentration and perseverance; for the comradeship of labor; and for exchanges of good humor and encouragement.

For family; for living together and learning together; for family amusements and for the bonding of shared experiences.

For children; for their energy and curiosity; for their spontaneous play and their startling truthfulness; for their unconditional sympathies and trusting affections.

For the young; for their high hopes, for their irreverence toward outdated customs; their search for freedom; and life-building purposes.

For growing up and growing old; for wisdom deepened by experiences; for rest in leisure and for time made precious by its passing.

For Thy grace in times of doubt and sorrow; for healing our diseases; for preserving our lives through challenges and dangers.

For the Church into which we have been called; for the Gospel received by Word and experience; and for our life together in the Lord.

For thy Holy Spirit, who guides our steps and brings us gifts of strength and hope; who lives in us and prompts our worship and service to Thee.

Above all, O God, for Thy Son Jesus Christ who lived and died and rose again for our salvation and will return to earth to fully bring in His Kingdom; for abundant life in this world and eternal life beyond death.

We thank and praise Thee, O Lord, our God and Father. Amen

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Unison:

Creation Bible

World Jesus

Earthly Life Crucifixion

America Resurrection

Freedom 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming

Family Holy Spirit

Friends Teachings

Leisure Learning

Recreation Miracles

Work Science

Experiences Salvation

Material Gifts Talents

Abundant Life Life Tests

Eternal Life Heaven

Church Community