

April 19, 2020

Dear Church Family,

Thinking of you this week and am missing seeing your faces! Some of the worship & tech team was able to gather via Zoom this week, chat a bit and check in with one another. It was so good just to see each other's faces and hear each other's voices. As I was reflecting on that experience, it brought to mind this verse from 1 Corinthians 13:12: "For now we see only a reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known." Can you imagine what that experience will be like?! Amazing... Meanwhile, there is a bit of that experience folded into our interactions with one another as the body of Christ. It's hard being physically distanced from one another, isn't it? And yet, we are still connected by the Holy Spirit who makes us one.

So, as we gather to worship, perhaps take time to pray for those in the church body that God brings to mind. Next, invite members of your family take turns reading 1 Corinthians 13, verses 1 through 13 and then join in with Scot as he leads us in singing about the love and presence of Emmanuel, God with us. Peace be with you. – Margaret

Scot Cook worship video: <http://www.unioncenter.org/files/unioncenter/Sermons/2020/20200419-Worship.mp4>

Worship lyrics:

<http://www.unioncenter.org/files/unioncenter/Sermons/2020/20200419-Worship%20lyrics.pdf>

Spotify Playlist: <https://open.spotify.com/playlist/78yxHRVrstAhRjSxyyL2SL>

Apple Music Playlist: <https://music.apple.com/us/playlist/uccc-04-19-20/pl.u-levl0JLfjMLGbG>

YouTube Videos (w/ Lyrics where possible)

Behold/Then Sings My Soul <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BDNrrouqSGjY>

How Great is Your Love <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L3-1i5ejG2k>

God is Near <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f8DpcpnMtis>