



## Sharing Joys and Concerns

(After each joy or concern, we sing, "**O Lord, hear my prayer. O Lord, hear my prayer.**")

## Silent Prayer

**Lord's Prayer** (sing responsively)

Black hymnal 2278

## \*Passing the Peace

### Listening to the Word

**Scripture Song**

*"When Jesus the Healer"*

Red hymnal 263(1,3,5,7)

**The Gospel**

Mark 5:21-43

Pew Bible 39

**Anthem**

Piano/Organ Duet

**The Sermon**

"Jesus, the Healer"

Dick Clark

**Sermon Response**

*"Change My Heart, O God"*

Black hymnal 2152

### Responding to the Word

## Opportunities and Announcements

### Offertory Sentence

Liturgist

"A group of students went on a social ministry trip to Washington DC to participate in several projects which help the homeless population. Upon arriving, the director of their program came to speak with them. One of the issues she spoke to was responding to those people who would be asking for money on the street. There are beggars on almost every corner of the city, they are in the subway, they are outside of restaurants. The students were most certainly going to be asked to give of their money. The words of the director stayed with the students all week: 'whether you give money or not is up to you; there are good reasons on both sides of that issue. What is important is that whether you answer 'Yes' or 'No' to the persons question, look him in the eye. Look him in the eye and give your answer. You see, most people just pass by without even acknowledging that there is someone sitting there. But when you look the man (or woman) in the eye, when you acknowledge his or her presence, you have given a greater gift than money. You have given him or her dignity. You look of love from your eyes to his or hers will say to them: 'You are a child of God, and you are worthy.'"

-Word & Witness, 1997

**Offertory**

*"Be Thou My Vision"*

Manz

