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### The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Leader: May the God who feeds us be with you.

**All: May God be with you as well.**

Leader: Let us open our hearts to the One who fills us with grace.

**All: We lift them to our God who touches us with hope.**

Leader: Let us join our voices in praising our God.

**All: Taught by the Word, we sing the melodies of the Spirit.**

Leader: As we your people gather at this Table, where the holy Meal awaits, pour out your Spirit on the gifts of the bread, the cup, and your children. As we eat of the bread which is as broken as your heart, may its love and hope not become leftovers we throw away, but strength for those broken by life, peace for those torn by conflicts, wonder for those dulled by disappointment. And may grace filling this cup not be poured down the drain, but be offered in love to those who have no friends, to those who long for justice, to all who listen for words of affirmation.

**All: And when we have accomplished more than we could ever dare imagine, gather up all of us from every time and place, so that together we may forever praise you, God in Community, Holy in One. Amen.**

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