

## CLOSING WORSHIP

Hymn & Response “Here I am, Lord” – verse 1 (with refrain) #525

LEADER: A child once dreamed that God called him by name, “Samuel.”  
And fisherfolk from the Galilean Sea once met a young man  
who told them to lay aside their nets and follow. A young  
woman, drawing water from a well, once spoke with a prophet  
whose words sent her back to town in a rush.

PEOPLE: I HEARD THE VOICE OF GOD SAYING: “WHOM SHALL  
I SEND? WHO WILL GO FOR US?” THEN I SAID, “HERE  
AM I, SEND ME!”

LEADER: Moses stood before a burning bush, protesting God’s call to  
him: “Who am I to go to Pharaoh to free the children of  
Israel? What will I say when they ask who sent me? O God, I  
beg of you, send someone else!”

PEOPLE: I HEARD THE VOICE OF GOD SAYING: “WHOM SHALL  
I SEND? WHO WILL GO FOR US?” THEN I SAID, “HERE  
AM I, SEND ME!”

LEADER: Mary stood before God’s messenger, amazed at the news she  
was hearing. “But how is it possible for this to take place?  
Yet, I am God’s servant, so let it be done as you have said.”

PEOPLE: I HEARD THE VOICE OF GOD SAYING: “WHOM SHALL  
I SEND? WHO WILL GO FOR US?” THEN I SAID, “HERE  
AM I, SEND ME!”

“HERE I AM, LORD” – VERSE 2 (with refrain) #525

LEADER: Jeremiah stood in despair before God who had appointed him  
a prophet while he was still within his mother’s womb:  
“Sovereign God! I don’t know how to speak to the nations: I  
am too young!”

PEOPLE: I HEARD THE VOICE OF GOD SAYING: “WHOM SHALL  
I SEND? WHO WILL GO FOR US?” THEN I SAID, “HERE  
AM I, SEND ME!”

LEADER: Mary Magdalene stood in joyous tears before the Risen Christ,  
framing the message she would bring to her grieving  
companions: “I have seen the Lord!”

PEOPLE: I HEARD THE VOICE OF GOD SAYING: “WHO SHALL I SEND? WHO WILL GO FOR US?” THEN I SAID, “HERE AM I, SEND ME!”

“HERE I AM, LORD” – VERSE 3 (with refrain) #525