

October 17, 2021 – Service of Healing Prayer for Healing

Omega and Alpha God, You who are with us through every end and beginning, we are stilled before your holy and healing presence. O God of abundant life, You who are with us in our doubt as much as in our faith, in our despair as much as in our hope, in our fear as much as in our love, in our grief as much as in our gratitude, in our pain as much as in our joy, we are stilled before your holy, healing presence.

Where our minds race, slow us.
Where our bodies ache, transform us.
Where our spirits deflate, animate us.

God, hear our prayer.

Where we are depleted, restore us.
Where we are unraveled, reconnect us.
Where we are empty, refill us.

God, hear our prayer.

Where we are exhausted, revive us.
Where we are afraid, comfort us.
Where we are alone, accompany us.
Where we are on the verge of breaking, flex us.
Where we are pained, hold and heal us.

God, hear our prayer.

Where our faith falters, remind us.
Where our hope fades, inspire us.
Where our love hesitates, embolden us.

God, hear our prayer.

O God, in our own brokenness, our loneliness, our fear, our depression, our anger, our fatigue, open us to your healing touch. Give us strength for resilience. Give us wings. Give us each other. **God, hear our prayer.**

And God, hear our prayer that we, wounded healers all, might also be renewed in our commitment to bring healing to our broken relationships, our broken communities, a broken world, a broken planet. That all may know life made new and whole.

In your Spirit we pray, amen.