



God of hope,

We thank you for our community of St. Clement's; for what has been, for what is, and for what is to come.

We thank you for the ways you have fashioned us as your people, Stretched our imagination, anchored us in hope, and sent us out to grow and to build, to love and to serve.

As those learning to follow Jesus – the One who became poor that all might share in his great treasures – may we enter into Christ's generosity of spirit.

Receive our offerings of time, talent, and treasure, and make of us a place of invitation and transformation, where all may experience God's love and mercy.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

“But just as you excel in everything – in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in complete earnestness and in your love for us – see that you also excel in this grace of giving.”

2 Corinthians 8:7