


# GREAT Second Acts

How God turns Mess  
into Success

**SUNDAY, MAY 9, 2021, 10:30 AM**

**Sermon Title: Great Second Acts: Ruth**  
**Rev. Dr. Jeffrey W. Gibelius**  
**Focus Scriptures: Ruth 1:16-17**

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*In the Bulb There is a Flower*

In the bulb there is a flower;  
in the seed, an apple tree;  
in cocoons, a hidden promise:  
butterflies will soon be free!  
In the cold and snow of winter  
there's a spring that waits to be,  
unrevealed until its season,  
something God alone can see.

There's a song in every silence,  
seeking word and melody;  
there's a dawn in every darkness,

bringing hope to you and me.  
From the past will come the future;  
what it holds, a mystery,  
unrevealed until its season,  
something God alone can see.

In our end is our beginning;  
in our time, infinity;  
in our doubt there is believing;  
in our life, eternity.  
In our death, a resurrection;  
at the last, a victory,  
unrevealed until its season,  
something God alone can see.

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*Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

Love divine, all loves excelling,  
Joy of heaven, to earth come down,  
fix in us thy humble dwelling;  
all thy faithful mercies crown.  
Jesus, thou art all compassion;  
pure, unbounded love thou art;  
visit us with thy salvation;  
enter every trembling heart.

Finish then thy new creation;  
pure and spotless let us be;  
let us see thy great salvation  
perfectly restored in thee:  
changed from glory into glory,  
till in heaven we take our place,  
till we cast our crowns before thee,  
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

## Welcome!

We are so glad you are here. We want this time together with God to be inspiring and safe. Dr. Gibelius would love to visit with you outside after worship.

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