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*Praise the Source
of Faith and Learning*

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**1. Praise the source
of faith and learning
that has sparked
and stoked the mind**



**with a passion
for discerning
how the world
has been designed.**

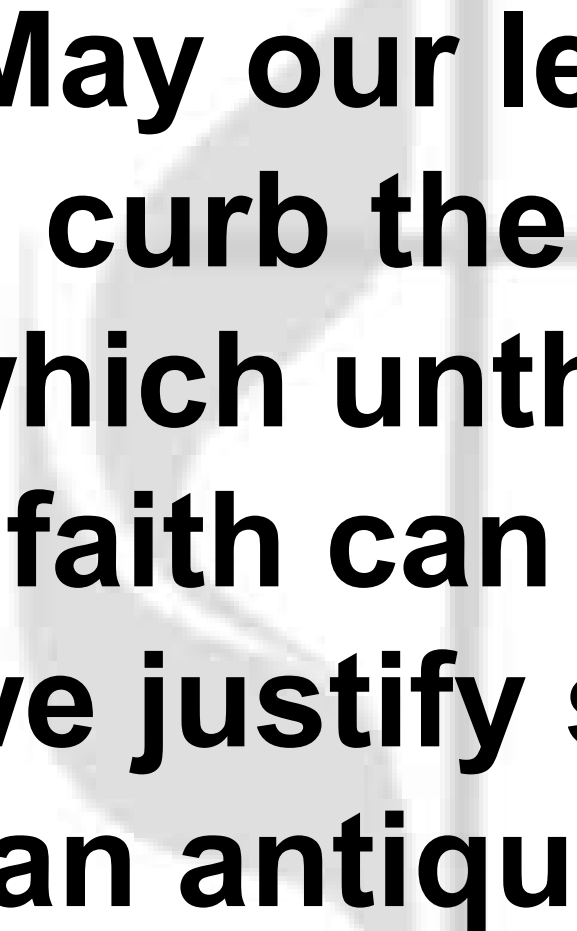


**Let the sense
of wonder flowing
from the wonders we survey
keep our faith
forever growing
and renew our need to pray:**

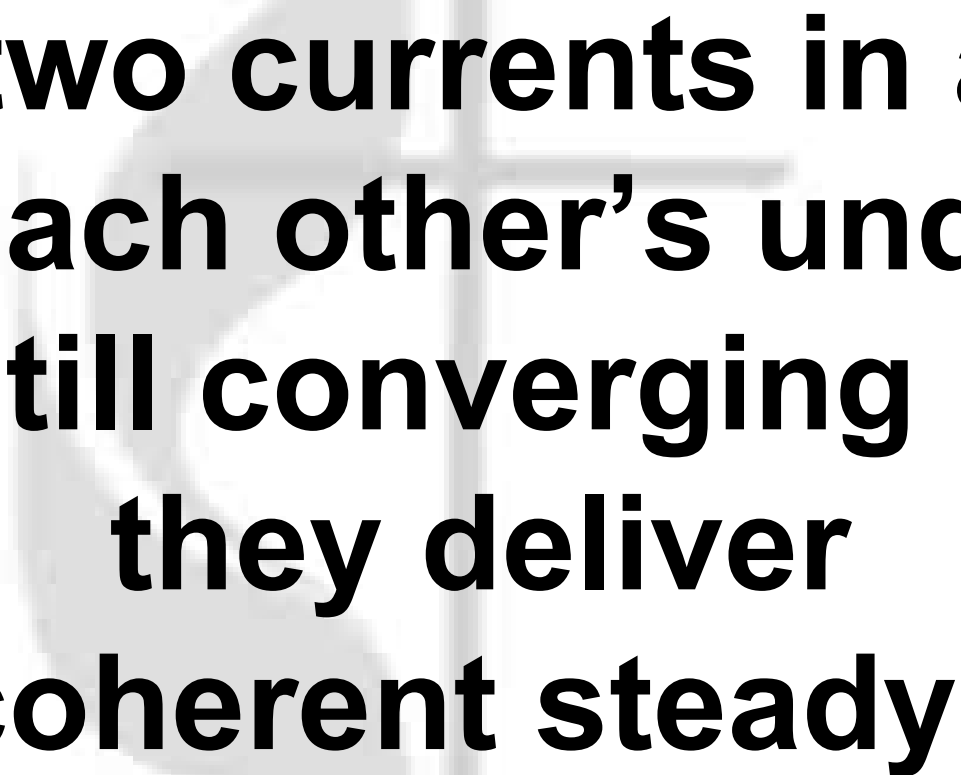
**2. God of wisdom,
we acknowledge
that our science and our art
and the breadth
of human knowledge
only partial truth impart.**

**Far beyond our calculation
lies a depth we cannot sound
where your purpose
for creation
and the pulse
of life are found.**

**3. May our faith
redeem the blunder of
believing that our thought
has displaced
the grounds for wonder
which the ancient
prophets taught.**



**May our learning
curb the error
which unthinking
faith can breed
lest we justify some terror
with an antiquated creed.**



**4. As two currents in a river
fight each other's undertow
till converging
they deliver
one coherent steady flow,**

**blend, O God,
our faith and learning
till they carve
a single course,
till they join as one, returning
praise and thanks
to you, their Source.**