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as the cross in the heart of our community,
where the rural highway intersects with the city streets,
where people of all ages celebrate and witness God's movement in their lives,
where those on the margins are invited into the center of the Body of Christ,

where ongoing spiritual growth provides a firm foundation for our Christian service,
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