

...seek ye first the kingdom of God
and His righteousness
and all these things
will be added unto you.
(Matthew 6:33)



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THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

July 11, 2021

11:00 a.m.

*The congregation
is asked to
remain silent
during the prelude
as a time of
prayer and
meditation.*

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude **“All Things Bright and Beautiful”** *arr. Mark Hayes*
*All things bright and beautiful,
All creatures great and small,
All things wise and wonderful,
The Lord God made them all.*

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Sentences Elder Lindsay Skidmore
Leader: We come to worship, weighed down with worry;
All: Worry about money, worry about work, worry about the future.
Leader: We come to worship hoping to hear a word;
All: A word of hope, a word of assurance, a word of peace.
*Leader: Jesus reminds us that we do not need to worry. If God cares for the
birds of the air and the grass of field, won't God care for each one of us?*
**All: We come to remember that God knows our every need and will
provide. Let us worship God.**

*Hymn #20 **“All Things Bright and Beautiful”** ROYAL OAK

Unison Prayer of Confession

**God of yesterday, God of tomorrow, God of this very moment:
we confess that we often waste our energy in worrying about things over
which we have very little control. Often our fears and our anxieties
overwhelm us. In our humanness we come before you, seeking the
strength and courage that only you can provide. Help us to remember
that we cannot add a single moment to our lives by worrying about the
future, and that worrying about the future keeps us from living fully in
the present. We come to relinquish our worries and be freed from our
burdens that we may fully experience your peace and joy through Jesus
Christ our Lord and Savior. Help us to trust in your love and goodness.
In Jesus' name we pray. Lord, hear our prayers . . .**

(A time for silent prayers of confession . . .)

*“Let nothing
trouble you; let
nothing frighten
you. All things are
passing; God
never changes.
Patience obtains
all things.
Whoever
possesses God
lacks nothing:
God alone
suffices.”
Teresa of Avila
(1515-1582),
Spanish
noblewoman called
to be a nun and
religious reformer*

“Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.”
Philippians 4:6-7

*“This is my Father’s world.
O, let me ne’er forget that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet.
This is my Father’s world.
Why should my heart be sad?
The Lord is King:
let the heavens ring! God reigns;
let earth be glad!”*
*“This Is My Father’s World”
by Maltbie Babcock (1901)*

Responsive Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Hear the Good News! While God knows our sin, God also hears our cries.

All: In our sin, Jesus Christ still reaches out to forgive and restore us.

Leader: Having confessed our sins, rejoice in forgiveness through Christ and live in God’s love.

All: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Gloria Patri

Glory Be to the Father

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Children’s Sermon

Prayer for Illumination

O God, by your Spirit tell us what we need to hear, and show us what we ought to do, to obey Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Unison Reading: Old Testament Lesson: Psalm 23 (King James Version)

Elder Lindsay Skidmore

¹The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

²He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

³He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name’s sake.

⁴Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

⁵Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

⁶Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 6:19-24

Sermon

THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT

Dr. Philip K. Gladden

”Sleeping With Bread”

A Time for Silent Reflection

Pastoral Prayer with the Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*"All good gifts
around us are
sent from Heaven
above. So, thank
the Lord, oh
thank the
Lord, for
all his love."
From "All Good
Gifts," Godspell
(1973)*



Offertory **"All Things Bright and Beautiful"** *setting* by John Rutter
*Each little flower that opens,
Each little bird that sings,
He made their glowing colors,
He made their tiny wings.*

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

The Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed
**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic Church;
the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting.**

*"Jesus Christ is
the same
yesterday and
today and
forever."
Hebrews 13:8*

*Hymn #175

"Seek Ye First"

LAFFERTY

Benediction

Postlude

** All who are able may stand.*



Camp Kirkwood



Sunday, October 10
Camp Kirkwood Sunday
Worship with Communion
Lunch
Fellowship and Camp Activities



WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, July 11	9:30 am	Alternative Sunday School Class via Zoom
	10:00 am	Living Stones (Children) Sunday School Class via Zoom
	11:00 am	Worship in-person and live-stream
Monday - Monday, July 12-19		Minister on Vacation
Monday, July 12		No Monday night Zoom Bible Study
Wednesday, July 14		No Wednesday morning Zoom Bible Study

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* **Philip Gladden** will be on vacation July 12-19. Please contact Cheryl Brinkley in the Church Office (285-2808) or Clerk of Session Hope Turnbull (284-2813) in an emergency.

* **Rev. Cynthia Williams** will be our preacher on Sunday, July 18. Her sermon texts will be Ephesians 2:11-22 and Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

