



ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 14, 2020
Celebration Sunday
Children's Sunday

PRELUDE: Trumpet Voluntary in C major
John Finney, organ

Thomas Sanders Dupuis

WELCOME

HYMN: All Creatures of Our God and King (Verses 1, 3, 4, & 5)
Hymns of Truth & Light (blue hymnal, front supplement) #H-20

Lasst uns erfreuen

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Welcome friends, to this holy day!
All: We come to offer thanks; we come to sing and pray!
One: Welcome friends, near and far.
All: Let us celebrate God's love, wherever we are!
One: Welcome friends, to this time of worship and praise!
All: With peace-filled hearts, our joy we raise!

A BLESSING PRAYER FOR PEACE

(Adapted from Traci Smith's *"Prayers for Faithful Families: A Blessing for Anxious Moments"*)

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Loving God,
Sometimes I forget not to be afraid.
I forget that you promised to always be with me and to bring me peace.
Forgive me when I am forgetful that others might be afraid too.
Help me to remember to be loving and kind.
Help me to remember that I do not have to fear and that I am loved.
Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON
SUMMARY OF THE LAW
GLORIA

PASSING OF THE PEACE

A PRAYER FROM PSALM 46: *You Made It All (From the Spark Story Bible Psalm Book)*

SCRIPTURE READING: Isaiah 66:12

*For thus says the Lord:
I will extend prosperity to her like a river,
and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream;
and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm,
and dandled on her knees.*

SPECIAL MUSIC: Peace Like a River

Sing Along with Miss Emily, Sally, Nick, and Sandy.

HOMILY: "Peace Like a River?"

Anne Marie Holloway

SPECIAL MUSIC: Jesus Loves Me

Sing Along with Miss Emily and Our Church School Children

PASTORAL PRAYER

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

OUR 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, for ever. Amen.

HYMN: All Things Bright and Beautiful

Hymns of Truth & Light (blue hymnal), #63

Royal Oak

COMMISSION AND BENEDICTION

"May the Peace be with you! May it flow through you! May these words of Jesus fill your hearts with joy and love, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid."

POSTLUDE: Prelude in C major

attrib. J. S. Bach

Preaching: Rev. Anne Marie Holloway

Liturgists: Rev. Judy Swahnberg, Sally Tomasetti, Rev. Matt Wooster

Soloists: Laurie Stewart Otten, Shannon Lebrón, Christian Figueroa, Garrett Murphy

Special guest soloist: Margaux Lebrón

Thank you to all the Church School children and youth who participated in today's Worship Service! We also would like to extend our sincere gratitude to our Church School Teaching Staff, Sandy Madden, Nick Slye and our Director of Children's Music, Emily Gauthier.

H-20 All Creatures of Our God and King

Unison

1. All crea-tures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us
 2. Thou rush-ing wind that art so strong, ye clouds that sail in heav'n a -
 3. Thou flow-ing wa - ter, pure and clear, make mu - sic for thy Lord to
 4. All ye who are of ten-der heart, for - giv - ing oth-ers, take your
 5. Let all things their cre - a - tor bless, and wor-ship him in hum-ble-

sing Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia! Thou burn - ing sun with
 long, O praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! Thou ris - ing morn, in
 hear, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia! Thou fire so mas - ter -
 part, O sing ye, Al - le - lu - ia! Ye who long pain and
 ness, O praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! Praise, praise the Fa - ther,

gold - en beam, thou sil - ver moon with soft - er gleam,
 praise re - joice, ye lights of eve - ning, find a voice,
 ful and bright, that giv - est us both warmth and light, O praise him,
 sor - row bear, praise God and on him cast your care.
 praise the Son, and praise the Spir - it, three in One.

O praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

WORDS: St. Francis of Assisi, 1182-1226; tr. William H. Draper, 1855-1933, alt.

MUSIC: *Geistliche Kirchengesäng*, Cologne, 1623;

harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872-1958

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

88.44.88 w. Alleluias

This hymn is based on St. Francis' 'Canticle of the Sun,'
 considered to be the first religious poem written in Italian.

All Things Bright and Beautiful

*Unison
Refrain*

All things bright and beau - ti - ful, all crea - tures great and small,

all things wise and won - der - ful, the Lord God made them all.

1. Each lit - tle flower that o - pens, each lit - tle bird that sings,
2. The pur - ple - head - ed moun - tain, the riv - er run - ning by,
3. The cold wind in the win - ter, the pleas - ant sum - mer sun,

God made their glow - ing col - ors, and made their ti - ny wings.
the sun - set, and the morn - ing that bright - ens up the sky.
the ripe fruits in the gar - den, God made them ev - ery one.

to Refrain

WORDS: Cecil F. Alexander, 1848, alt.
MUSIC: English melody, 17th century; adapt. Martin Shaw, 1915

ROYAL OAK
76.76 w. refrain

Cecil Frances Humphreys Alexander wrote over four hundred hymns, many for children. This text was written to make the creedal 'Maker of heaven and earth' more vivid.

GOD THE CREATOR