

Prayer of Consecration

(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation.)

Communion Music

One: The bread which we break is our communion in the Body of Christ.

**All: The cup of blessing for which we give thanks is our Communion
in the blood of Christ. Amen.**

Benediction

Postlude

Grand March
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Franz Joseph Haydn



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Sunday, June 20, 2021

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ORDER OF WORSHIP
Fourth Sunday After Pentecost
Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope

GATHERING

Prelude ***Nobilmente*** Quentin Thomas
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Introit

*Opening Hymn ***This Is My Father's World*** No. 59

*Responsive Reading

Leader: Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise him in the highest.

People: Praise the name of the Lord!

Leader: Praise the Lord from the earth; the seas below and the skies above.

People: Praise the name of the Lord!

Leader: Praise the Lord all living things; all trees and all animals.

People: Praise the name of the Lord!

Leader: Praise the Lord all peoples: all rulers of the earth, all young and old together.

People: Praise the name of the Lord!

Leader: Praise the Lord whose glory is above earth and heaven.

People: Praise the name of the Lord!

*Invocation

*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.**

*Gloria Patri

No. 35

Children's Message

PRAYER

Prayer Hymn ***O Love*** Elaine Hagenberg

Pastoral Prayer

Prayer Response

PROCLAMATION

Offertory Invitation

Special Music ***America, The Beautiful*** arr. Mark Hayes

Scripture Reading Psalm 148

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon ***Harmony Restored: God in All Things***

RESPONSE

Invitation to Discipleship

Communion Hymn

For the Beauty of the Earth (vs. 1, 2, 3) No. 56

(In Christ's name we welcome all persons into membership into the church by confession of faith and baptism or by transfer of membership. Please step to the front pew during the singing of this Hymn of Communion.)

Meditation

David York/Kevin Miller

Words of Institution

Worship Extras

June 20, 2021

For your reflection (in preparation for the message):

Where is your favorite place to be in nature?

Harmony Restored: God in All Things

Creation / the Natural World:

- *Not to be used by us as a means to an end*
- *Not to be worshiped by us*
- *But to be praised as expressions of God's goodness*

Since God is in all things, all things reveal God's presence

Praise is the natural response when "God is found!"

Harmony Restored with Creation: Seeing God in all things

- *Not just landforms, but situations, events and circumstances*
- *Some of those are easy to identify*
Sun, moon, stars, majestic mountains
- *Some are less obvious ("sea monsters")*
When we are uncertain and afraid
- *Psalm 23:6 – But the goodness of God can be seen everywhere*

Psalm 148 NRSV

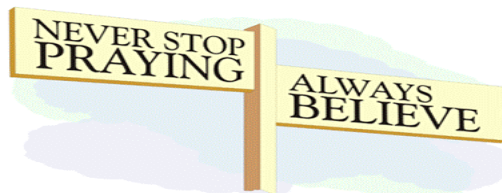
- ¹ Praise the LORD!
Praise the LORD from the heavens;
praise him in the heights!
- ² Praise him, all his angels;
praise him, all his host!
- ³ Praise him, sun and moon;
praise him, all you shining stars!
- ⁴ Praise him, you highest heavens,
and you waters above the heavens!
- ⁵ Let them praise the name of the LORD,
for he commanded and they were created.
- ⁶ He established them forever and ever;
he fixed their bounds, which cannot be passed. ^[a]
- ⁷ Praise the LORD from the earth,
you sea monsters and all deeps,
- ⁸ fire and hail, snow and frost,
stormy wind fulfilling his command!
- ⁹ Mountains and all hills,
fruit trees and all cedars!
- ¹⁰ Wild animals and all cattle,
creeping things and flying birds!
- ¹¹ Kings of the earth and all peoples,
princes and all rulers of the earth!
- ¹² Young men and women alike,
old and young together!
- ¹³ Let them praise the name of the LORD,
for his name alone is exalted;
his glory is above earth and heaven.
- ¹⁴ He has raised up a horn for his people,
praise for all his faithful,
for the people of Israel who are close to him.
Praise the LORD!



Prayer List

Members

Howard Cravens
Jean Booher
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Doris Matey (Hickory Pt Christian Village)
Ellen Sheffer (Hickory Pt Christian Village)
Joan Smith (Heritage Health)
Bess King (The Glenwood)

We Pray for Those in the Military:

Bobby Backes (nephew of Keith & Jeannie Backes)
Trysten Hall (son of Sheila & Charles Hall, great-grandson of Lawrence & Sally Thicksten)
Katy & Matt Holden (granddaughter & grandson-in-law of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Phillip Johnston (son of Becky Johnston)
Mitchell Lucas (grandson of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Jeremiah & Rachel Singletary (great-nephew of Marilyn Ward)
Lucas Ward (grandson of Marilyn Ward)

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Friends & Family

Misty Mochel (friend of Marci Baumann)
Gary & Diane Lockwood (Friends of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Barb Disney (Friend of Penny Rutherford)
Shannon Francisco (Friend of Bob Smith)
Bryanna Shaw (Friend of Maria Jacobs)
Timothy Littrell (friend of the Lintons & the Bednars)
Brook Stewart (Parents friend of Jim & Pamela Bednar)
Janet May Carpenter (mother of Karma Lynn Carpenter)
Anne Hostetler (friend of many CCC members)
Michael Moran (son in law of Larry & Marla Winkleblack)
Catherine Bower (friend of Jerry Bean)
Carter Goodman (nephew of Greg & Gale Barnes)
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Carrol Virt (father of Diana Ritter)
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Mac Funk (son of Steve & Carrie Funk)
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