

WE GATHER TOGETHER PRAISING GOD

Greeting Introit Video Announcements Welcome

Call to Worship

**Craig Roberts** 

One: God, our Mother, we thank you for grounding your character in the tenderness, protection, and even sorrow of a mother.

All: To know that no human experience – mother or child – is far from you gives us permission to uncover the particularities of how we were made to love and be loved. One: On this day, we're reminded that we do not begin with ourselves.

All: Our beauty, our pain, do not exist in a vacuum but are tethered to those who've come before us.

One: We pray for the mothers who have protected us, who are weary, who have stayed, who have left, who are grieving, who are proud, understanding that the story of what it means to be a mother is not singular.

All: And as children, would you remind us that it is okay to lament the ways we have not been loved well, while also celebrating the miracle and mystery of those who loved us fiercely.

One: We are made of more than us.

All: Help us to behold it. Amen.

\*Opening Hymn #144

"This Is My Mother's World"

This is my Mother's world, and to my listening ears All nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres. This is my Mother's world: I rest me in the thought of Rocks and trees, of skies and seas; the hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Mother's world, the birds their carols raise, The morning light, the lily white, declare their Mother's praise. This is my Mother's world: God shines in all that's fair; In the rustling grass I hear God pass; God speaks to me everywhere.

This is my Mother's world. O let me ne'er forget That though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet. This is my Mother's world: why should my heart be sad? The praise we sing; let the heavens ring! God reigns; let the earth be glad! **Opening Prayer** 

Risen Christ, be present in our lives and in our worship. Help us recognize and celebrate your presence. Grant us the power of your Holy Spirit, that we may answer the call to be your disciples and bring your message of love to the world. Amen.

Ministry Moment: Mental Health Awareness		David DeBus
*Sharing the Peace of Christ "You Are Good" Lord, you are good, and your mercy endureth forever. Lord, you are good, and your mercy endureth forever. People from every nation and tongue, From generation to generation: We worship you, Hallelujah! Hallelujah! We worship you for who you are! We worship you, Hallelujah! Hallelujah! We worship you for who you are! And you are good!		
	WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GO	
Children's Time Music to Lift Our Spirits Scripture:	Acts 1:15-17, 21-26; John 17:6-19	Tami Johnson
Message:	In the World	Rev. Lori Leopold
WE RESPOND TO GOD'S LOVESong of Prayer #2080"All I Need Is You" Vs 1 & 3		
All I need is you, Jesus, all I need is you. You are the source of all I need. All I need is you. My only hope is you, Lord, my only hope is you. You are the source of all I need. My only hope is you.		
Pastoral Prayer		
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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.		
Invitation to the Offering/Offertory		
Praise God, all cre Praise God, the so	whom all blessings flow; eatures here below: Allelulia! Alleluia! urce of all our gifts!	

## Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Allelulia! Allelulia! Allelulia!

#### \*Prayer of Dedication

Glorious God, may these gifts bring glory to you and grace to your world. May our lives and our ministry reflect your love, and may we spread your message of love throughout the world. Amen.

#### \*Closing Hymn #549

"Where Charity and Love Prevail" Vs 1, 2 & 6

Where charity and love prevail, There God is ever found; Brought here together by Christ's love, By love are we thus bound.

With grateful joy and holy fear True charity we learn; Let us with heart and mind and strength Now love Christ in return.

Love can exclude no race or creed If honored be God's name; Our common life embraces all Whose Maker is the same.

### \*Benediction

\*On Eagle's Wings

And God will raise you up on eagle's wings, Bear you on the breath of dawn, Make you to shine like the sun, And hold you in the palm of God's hand.



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