

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

Sunday, October 18, 2020

World Food Day

GATHERING IN COMMUNITY

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**indicates the community stands, as able

WELCOME *Affirming, Caring, Growing Spiritually, Reaching Out*
...Michael Brooks

PRELUDE *Londonderry Air* arr. S. Eithun
...Bellissima Handbell Ensemble

CALL TO WORSHIP ...Martha Reynolds

VOICES UNITED **217, verses 1, 3, 5 *All Creatures of Our God and King*

All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us sing:

**hallelujah, hallelujah! Bright burning sun with golden beam,
soft shining moon with silver gleam,
sing praises, sing praises, hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah!**

Earth, ever fertile, day by day brings forth rich blessings on our way:

**sing praises, hallelujah! The flowers and fruits that verdant grow,
let them God's glory also show:
sing praises, hallelujah! hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah!**

Let all things their Creator bless, and worship God in humbleness:

**sing praises, hallelujah! Praise God eternal, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, three in one:
sing praises, hallelujah! hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah!**

**PEACE GREETING

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you!

(children and youth may proceed to programs)

COMMUNITY PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(unison)*

**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.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:

For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

SEEKING TO GROW SPIRITUALLY

BIBLE READINGS [Psalm 23](#)
[Mark 6: 35-44](#) *(click link to read text)*

SERMON "WORKING TOGETHER TO END GLOBAL HUNGER"
...Musu Taylor-Lewis, Canadian Foodgrains Bank

RESPONDING IN CARE

INVITATION FOR OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Come, Thou Almighty King* arr. A. L. Page

REACHING OUT IN HOPE

COMMISSIONING AND BLESSING

VOICES UNITED **227 *For the Fruit of All Creation*

For the fruit of all creation, thanks be to God.

For the gifts to every nation, thanks be to God.

**For the ploughing, sowing, reaping, silent growth while we are sleeping,
future needs in earth's safekeeping, thanks be to God.**

In the just reward of labour, God's will is done.

In the help we give our neighbour, God's will is done.

**In our worldwide task of caring for the hungry and despairing,
in the harvests we are sharing, God's will is done.**

For the harvests of the Spirit, thanks be to God.

For the good we all inherit, thanks be to God.

**For the wonders that astound us, for the truths that still confound us,
most of all that love has found us, thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE *Toccata in E Minor* J. Pachelbel

*A 30-minute seminar on food access issues with Musu Taylor-Lewis
and Scott Brooks will begin at 11.45am in the Roseland Room*

Guidelines for In-Person Worship

We have put the following initiatives and guidelines in place to make our in-person worship experience as safe as possible:

- Keep a social distance of 6 feet between yourself and others attending worship; this also means that unfortunately, no hugs or handshakes are permitted at this time
- Washrooms are available and may be used; please maintain social distancing while in the washroom
- In accordance with Health Authorities, congregational singing is not permitted; music will be provided by soloists and instrumentalists
- You are invited to exchange the Peace of Christ using non-contact gestures such as waves, folded hands or peace signs
- Your offering may be placed into the collection plates at the back of the sanctuary at the end of the service while exiting
- No coffee or refreshments will be served following worship
- Following worship, please leave the building as per ushers' directions

***If you have any questions or concerns,
please contact the church office at 905-637-5631***



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