

MAPLE STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, UCC

*For the **B E A U T Y** of the Earth*

Summer Worship • August 28, 2022



Let the Children Come Unto Me by Richard Hook

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PRELUDE

His Eye Is On The Sparrow
Judy Bonnell, piano

music by Charles Gabriel
arr. Mark Hayes

WELCOME & SHARING

Rev. Douglas Vooyo

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: This is the Day the Lord has made.

All: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

One: Holy God let your light shine upon us.

All: Let your living water wash over us.

One: Open our hearts and renew our Spirit

All: So that we might be a blessing to your created world.

***HYMN**

All Things Bright and Beautiful

Tune: ROYAL OAK
Words: Cecil F. Alexander

REFRAIN: All things bright and beautiful,
All creatures great and small,
All things wise and wonderful,
The Lord God made them all.

1. Each little flower that opens, each little bird that sings,
God made their glowing colors, God made their tiny wings. **REFRAIN**
2. The purple-headed mountain, the river running by,
The sunset, and the morning that brighten up the sky. **REFRAIN**
3. The cold wind in the winter, the pleasant summer sun,
The ripe fruits in the garden, God made them every one. **REFRAIN**

***OPENING PRAYER**

**Creator God, your works are magnificent!
Everywhere we look we see signs of your goodness;
the care you have taken in creating each and every one of us
is a marvel to behold. You are full of mercy and compassion,
and we praise you. In this time of worship
open us to be ever more aware of your loving presence
all around us.**

*We pray in the name of Christ, whose love renews all people and who taught all
his disciples to pray, saying...*

***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 today our daily bread. 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, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever, Amen.**

***SUNG RESPONSE**

Red No. 241

**Spirit divine, attend our prayers and make this world thy home;
Descend with all thy gracious powers, O come, great Spirit, come!**

SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

*We welcome the family and friends of
Owen Hahn who is being baptized here today.
Owen is the son of Jeffrey and Ami Hahn.*

SPECIAL MUSIC

*Beautiful City (from Godspell)
Ed Rozmiarek, baritone*

Stephen Schwartz

SCRIPTURE READING —I Corinthians 12:12-27

Linda Donovan
Pew Bible pgs.1048

MESSAGE

"Welcome"

Rev. Douglas Vooyo

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Shalom to You Now

Traditional Spanish Melody
words by Elise Eslinger

**Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends.
May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.
In all your living and through your loving,
Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.**

POSTLUDE

Joshua Fit The Battle Of Jericho Spiritual, arr. Mark Hayes
Judy Bonnell, piano

*We extend special thanks to Ed Rozmiarek for sharing special music this morning
and to Judy Bonnell, for providing sacred music for today's worship.*

*The flowers this Sunday are given in loving memory of
Henry & Bertha Tongue
Given by Karen Tongue Hammond*

**Please stand as you are able.*

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Zoom Prayer & Table Worship — Tuesdays at 6pm

Zoom Bible Study — Thursdays at 12noon

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