

Responsive Psalm

Psalm 148

(One) Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise him in the heights! To Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his hosts!

(All) Praise him, sun and moon, praise him, all you shining stars! Praise him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!

(One) Let them praise the name of the Lord! For he commanded and they were created. And he established them forever and ever; he gave a decree, and it shall not pass away.

(All) Praise the Lord from the earth, you great sea creatures and all deeps, fire and hail, snow and mist, stormy wind fulfilling his word!

(One) Mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars! Beasts and all livestock, creeping things and flying birds!

(All) Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth! Young men and maidens together, old men and children!

(One) Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name alone is exalted; his majesty is above earth and heaven.

(All) He has raised up a horn for his people, praise for all his saints, for the people of Israel who are near to him. Praise the Lord!

Hymn

This is My Father's World

(1) This is my Father's world, And to my listening ears
All nature sings, and round me rings The music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas, His hand the wonders
wrought.

(2) This is my Father's world: The birds their carols raise,
The morning light, the lily white, Declare their Maker's praise.
This is my Father's world: He shines in all that's fair;
In the rustling grass I hear Him pass, He speaks to me everywhere.

(3) This is my Father's world: O let me ne'er forget,
That though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Ruler yet.
This is my Father's world: Why should my heart be sad?
The Lord is King: let the heavens ring! God reigns; let earth be
glad!

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 44:21-23

New Testament Reading

Galatians 3:7-14

Gospel Reading

John 15:11-17

Sermon

Lyn Lampert

Hymn

What A Friend We Have in Jesus

(1) What a friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer!
O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear,
all because we do not carry everything to God in prayer!

(2) Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged; take it to the Lord in prayer!
Can we find a friend so faithful who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness; take it to the Lord in prayer!

(3) Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge—take it to the Lord in prayer!
Do your friends despise, forsake you? Take it to the Lord in prayer!
In his arms he'll take and shield you; you will find a solace there.

Affirmation of Faith

Tim Mallory

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was
conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered
under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and buried; he
descended into hell, on the third day he rose from the dead; he
ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the
Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and
the dead. **I believe** in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the

communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

CCS Offering Appeal

Jason Santos

Lake City Community Choir

A Celebration of the Earth

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

Jason Santos

Pastoral Prayer

Dan File

The Lord's Prayer

Donna Jackson

Benediction

Lyn Lampert

Postlude

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Lake City Community Churches

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Prelude

Welcome

Ed Nettleton

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship

Erin Cavit

(One) Give thanks to the Lord, who is good.

(All) God's steadfast love endures forever!

(One) Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.

(All) This is the gate of the Lord; let the faithful come & worship God.