

who died eternal life to bring and lives that death may die. Alleluia!
Crown Him the Lord of heav'n; one with the Father known,
one with the Spirit through him giv'n from yonder glorious throne.
To Thee be endless praise, for Thou for us hast died;
be Thou, O Lord, through endless days adored and magnified! Alleluia!

*DOXOLOGY Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow UMH 94
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
Alleluia, Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose
power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed UMH 881
**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and 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, dead, and buried; 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 quick 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.**

*GLORIA PATRI Glory Be to the Father UMH 70
**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.**

TIME FOR CHILDREN Courtney Hutchins

*HYMN OF PREPARATION In This Very Room WHM 307
**In this very room there's quite enough love for one like me,
and in this very room there's quite enough joy for one like me;
and there's quite enough hope, and quite enough power
to chase away any gloom.**

Refrain: For Jesus, our Lord Jesus, is in this very room.

**In this very room there's quite enough love for all of us,
and in this very room there's quite enough joy for all of us;
and there's quite enough hope, and quite enough power
to chase away any gloom. (sing refrain)**

**In this very room there's quite enough love for all the world,
and in this very room there's quite enough joy for all the world;
and there's quite enough hope, and quite enough power
to chase away any gloom. (sing refrain)**

*SCRIPTURE Joshua 24:1-18, 23-31 Rev. Amanda Davis
The word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God!**

MESSAGE We Will Serve the Lord Rev. Amanda Davis

PASTORAL PRAYER Rev. Amanda Davis

*THE LORD'S PRAYER (SPOKEN) Rev. Amanda Davis
**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, and the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen.**

INVITATION TO THE ALTAR Rev. Amanda Davis

*HYMN OF BLESSING For the Beauty of the Earth UMH 92
**For the beauty of the earth, for the glory of the skies,
for the love which from our birth over and around us lies;**

Refrain: Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.

**For the beauty of each hour of the day and of the night, hill and vale,
and tree and flower, sun and moon, and stars of light; (*sing refrain*)**

**For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's delight,
for the mystic harmony, linking sense to sound and sight; (*sing refrain*)**

**For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child, friends on earth
and friends above, for all gentle thoughts and mild; (*sing refrain*)**

**For thy church, that evermore lifteth holy hands above,
offering up on every shore her pure sacrifice of love; (*sing refrain*)**

**For thyself, best Gift Divine, to the world so freely given, for that great,
great love of thine, peace on earth, and joy in heaven: (*sing refrain*)**

*STEP FORWARD IN FAITH

Rev. Amanda Davis

*BENEDICTION

Rev. Amanda Davis

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand (Refrain) UMH 724

***Refrain: I am bound for the promised land, I am bound for the promised land;
Oh, who will come and go with me? I am bound for the promised land.***

POSTLUDE

Festival Toccata

Percy Fletcher

*Please stand as you are able.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar today are given in memory of
Juanita Ramirez' birthday, by her daughter, Hope Webber.

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