

Sunday, June 14 — Online Worship Guide

PRELUDE — *Blessed Assurance & Awesome God* - Rachel McClellan, Piano

WORDS OF WELCOME

INVOCATION

We gather in the three-fold name of
God, the Creator of Wonders,
Jesus Christ, the gracious Savior,
and the Holy Spirit, giving life to all.
Amen.

THANKSGIVING FOR CREATION— *Congregation responds with words in **bold***

For all that you have given us,
we praise you, O God.
For day and night, evening and morning,
we praise you, O God.
for land and sea, for fish and birds,
we praise you, O God.
for plants and animals, and for all of humankind,
we praise you, O God.
for your Son, who came among us
with the gift of life abundant.
we praise you, O God.
Let your Holy Spirit abide in our midst
and work through our gifts,
that all of creation may have joy and peace,
in Jesus' name.
Amen.

OPENING HYMN — *This Is My Father's World*



1 This is my Fa-ther's world, and to my lis-t'ning ears all
2 This is my Fa-ther's world; the birds their car-ols raise; the
3 This is my Fa-ther's world; oh, let me not for-get that,



na-ture sings, and round me rings the mu-sic of the spheres.
morn-ing light, the lil-y white, de-clare their mak-er's praise.
though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the rul-er yet.



This is my Fa-ther's world; I rest me in the thought of
This is my Fa-ther's world; he shines in all that's fair. In the
This is my Fa-ther's world; why should my heart be sad? The



rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the won-ders wrought.
rus-tling grass I hear him pass; he speaks to me ev-'ry-where.
Lord is king, let heav-en ring; God reigns, let earth be glad!

Text: Maltbie D. Babcock, 1858–1901

Music: TERRA PATRIS, Franklin L. Sheppard, 1852–1930, adapt.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

WELCOME AND SHARING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE — Robin Patras, Director of Children's Ministry

"Sunday at Home" is a new resource for parents and kids ages 3 through 5th grade. Kids can have Faith Time at home watching a fun interactive video with music videos and a Bible story lesson on their own device while parents are tuned in to the sermon. Once the video is over, kids can rejoin their families for Holy Communion and the remaining time of worship. <https://theparentcue.org/faith/>

STORY OF OUR ANCESTORS — Beth Ellis

READING — Genesis 18:1-15, 21:1-7

A reading from Genesis.

1The LORD appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. 2He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. 3He said, "My lord, if I find favor with you, do not pass by your servant. 4Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. 5Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on — since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." 6And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, "Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes." 7Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. 8Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate. 9They said to him, "Where is your wife Sarah?" And he said, "There, in the tent." 10Then one said, "I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son." And Sarah was listening at the tent entrance behind him. 11Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in age; it had ceased to be with Sarah after the manner of women. 12So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, "After I have grown old, and my husband is old, shall I have pleasure?" 13The LORD said to Abraham, "Why did Sarah laugh, and say, 'Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?' 14Is anything too wonderful for the LORD? At the set time I will return to you, in due season, and Sarah shall have a son." 15But Sarah denied, saying, "I did not laugh"; for she was afraid. He said, "Oh yes, you did laugh."

The LORD dealt with Sarah as he had said, and the LORD did for Sarah as he had promised. ²Sarah conceived and bore Abraham a son in his old age, at the time of which God had spoken to him. ³Abraham gave the name Isaac to his son whom Sarah bore him. ⁴And Abraham circumcised his son Isaac when he was eight days old, as God had commanded him. ⁵Abraham was a hundred years old when his son Isaac was born to him. ⁶Now Sarah said, "God has brought laughter for me; everyone who hears will laugh with me." ⁷And she said, "Who would ever have said to Abraham that Sarah would nurse children? Yet I have borne him a son in his old age."

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

APOSTLES' CREED — *In Unison*

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will 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.**

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

SONG DURING PRAYERS — *Great is Thy Faithfulness* – Sally Eppert, Piano

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER — *In 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,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

SHARING OF HOLY COMMUNION

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

OFFERING

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BLESSING

SENDING SONG — *O Praise Him*

Turn your ear to heaven
And hear the noise inside
The sound of angel's awe
The sound of angel's songs
And all this for a King
We could join and sing
All to Christ the King
How constant how divine
This song of ours will rise
O how constant how divine
This love of ours will rise will rise

O praise Him O praise Him

He is holy

He is holy yeah

Turn your gaze to heaven

And raise a joyous noise

The sound of salvation come

The sound of rescued ones

And all this for a King

Angels join to sing

All for Christ the King

How infinite and sweet

This love so rescuing

O how infinitely sweet

This great love that has redeemed

As one we sing

Alleluia alleluia

He is holy

He is holy yeah

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Go in peace. Christ is with you.

Thanks be to God.