



CENTRAL
CHURCH IN THE PARK

7.11.21

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Chris Zimmer

Leader: In the beginning, before time, before people, before the world began,

People: God was.

Leader: Here and now among us, on this beautiful planet, enlisting the people of earth for the purposes of heaven,

People: God is.

Leader: And in the future, when we have turned to dust, and all we know has found its fulfillment,

People: God will be.

Leader: Not denying the world but delighting in it, not giving up on the world, but redeeming it,

People: God was, God is, God will be.

Hymn for All “How Great Thou Art”

*O Lord my God! when I in awesome wonder
consider all the worlds thy hand have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
thy power throughout the universe displayed.*

Refrain:

*Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee;
how great thou art, how great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God to thee;
how great thou art, how great thou art!*

*When through the woods and forest glades I wander,
and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur
and hear the brook, and feel the gentle breeze; **[Refrain]***

*When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart.
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
and there proclaim, my God, how great thou art! **[Refrain]***

Prayer of the People and The Lord's Prayer *(from the People of Polynesia)*

Eternal Spirit of God, Earth-maker, Pain bearer, Life-giver, Source of all

that is and all that shall be, Father and Mother of us all, Loving God, in whom is heaven:

May the hallowing of your name echo through the universe; The way of your justice be followed by the peoples of the world; Your heavenly will be done by all created beings; Your commonwealth of peace and freedom sustain our hope and come on earth.

With the bread we need for today, feed us. In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us. In times of temptation and test, strengthen us. From trial too great to endure, spare us. From the grip of all that is evil, free us. For you reign in the glory of the power that is love, that will never end, now and forever. Amen.

Special Music

“The King of Love, My Shepherd Is
John Flesher, vocalist

Baker/Mendelssohn

Scripture

Psalm 8

Message

Creation Speaks Sermon Series:
“How Majestic is Your Name!”

Pastor Chris

Giving Gifts We’ve Brought for God

(hosts will circulate with buckets, QR code for online giving on back of bulletin)

Hymn

“This is My Father’s World”

*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.*

*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.*

*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 the earth be glad!*

Parting Blessing

Pastor Chris

Parting Music

TODAY’S WORSHIP LEADERS:

Pastors: Rev. Chris Lane & Rev. Linda Stephan
Chris Zimmer, liturgist; Music: John Flesher, vocalist;
Michael Coonrod, piano

A/V Team: Tom Bartlett, Topher Busch, Silvio Ciccone, Austin Robison
Hosts: Carla Roberts, John Flesher, Lisa Myers, Carl & Emily Taphouse, Eldon Horner
Set-Up Team Leader: Dan Ahrns

Thank you for joining us today!



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