

Pilgrim's Online Worship will begin at 10:30. If you are reading this message you are in the right place!

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Welcome to our early folks! Our worship leaders are muted as we continue to prepare.

You may use the chat function in Zoom to greet one another now.

This service will be recorded.
Please stay muted for now.



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Prelude	Let All Things Now Living	arr. Lloyd Larson
Welcome and Announcements		Sarah Fuller
Call to Worship		Bob Beckwith
In this holy time, We gather to praise God! Let us give thanks to God, for God is good, all the time! Let us give thanks to God, for God's steadfast love endures forever.		

Holy One, we gather today with our church family in Your presence. We have learned, we have heard, and we have read in our Bibles that You are always with us, Your presence is always near; yet at times we forget. We should know You are always beside us, within us and beyond us, and yet at times we feel alone and abandoned. Help us to remember Your covenants of old are renewed in our hearts. Help us to know Your peace that passes all understanding and help us to trust in Your presence. When we walk through the dark valleys in our lives, help us to remember You are beside us, comforting us, and holding us close. May we seek Your presence in the lives of those around us, our family and friends, our church family, and in those we encounter in the world. May we seek Your face in the face of others, and may our hands and feet be Your hands and feet in this world. In the name of Jesus, our companion on this journey of faith, we pray. Amen.

Opening Hymn Lord of All Hopefulness PH 217

1 Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,
Whose trust, ever child-like, no cares can destroy,
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

2 Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Be there at our labors, and give us, we pray,
Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

3 Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,
Your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace,
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,
Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

4 Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,
Whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm,
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,
Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

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Lord of All Hopefulness

SLANE 10.11.11.12

Traditional Irish Melody

Harm. by David Enns, 1874-1948

Jan Struther, 1901-1953

In unison

The musical score is written for voice and piano in 3/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). It consists of four systems, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line of each system. The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and chords that support the melody.

1 Lord of all hope - ful - ness, Lord of all joy,
2 Lord of all ea - ger - ness, Lord of all faith,
3 Lord of all kind - li - ness, Lord of all grace,
4 Lord of all gen - tle - ness, Lord of all calm,

Whose trust, ev - er child - like, no cares could de - stroy,
Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
Your hands swift to wel - come, your arms to em - brace,
Whose voice is con - tent - ment, whose pres - ence is balm,

Be there at our wak - ing, and give us, we pray, Your
Be there at our la - bors, and give us, we pray, Your
Be there at our hom - ing, and give us, we pray, Your
Be there at our sleep - ing, and give us, we pray, Your

bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.
strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.
love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.
peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day. A - men.

I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.” ³⁷Then the righteous will answer him, “Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? ³⁸And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? ³⁹And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?” ⁴⁰And the king will answer them, “Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.”

Children's Message

Sarah Fuller

Anthem

Followers of the Lamb

Pilgrim Church Choir

Sermon

Rev. Reebee Girash

Passing the Peace

Sarah Fuller

Prayers of the People

Rev. Reebee Girash

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Our Father (Creator), 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Stewardship Moment

Michael Scott-Morton

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Prayer of Dedication

Michael Scott-Morton

Giving God,

We give You thanks and praise for all of Your gifts to us.

We know that you are the source of every good thing,
light and love come from You.

You have created us,

and you continue to breathe life into us
through the power of Your Holy Spirit.

You have given us so much,

and it is because we recognize the gifts You have given to us
that we now give to the work of Your kingdom.

We now dedicate this offering to the work of Your reign here on earth.

May this collection be used wisely and diligently,
that Your love may be known widely. Amen.

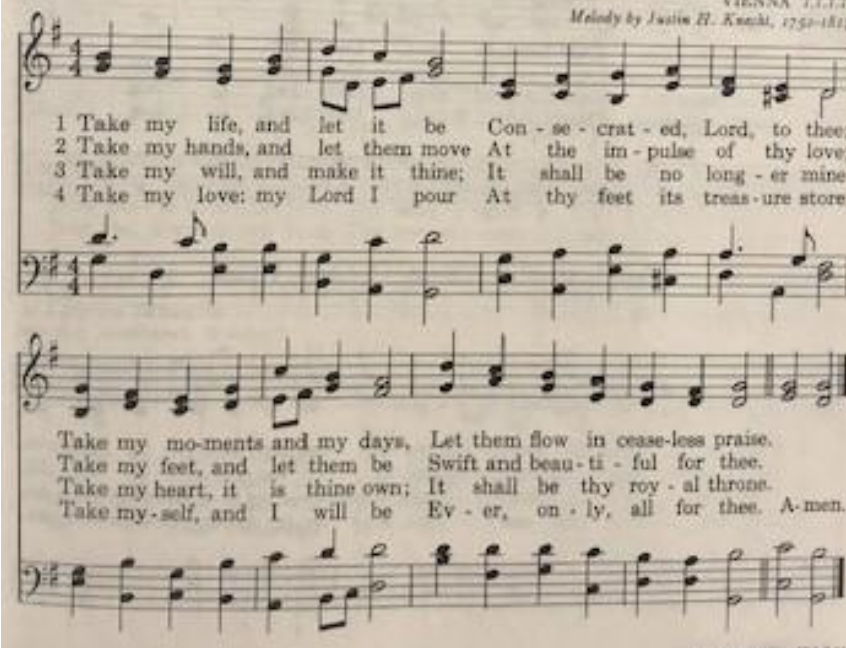
Closing Hymn **Take My Life and Let It Be PH 404**

- 1 Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee;
Take my moments and my days, Let them flow in endless praise.
- 2 Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of thy love;
Take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for thee.
- 3 Take my will, and make it thine; It shall be no longer mine;
Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne.
- 4 Take my love; my Lord I pour at thy feet its treasure store;
Take my-self, and I will be Ever, only, all for thee.
Amen.

Take My Life and Let It Be 404

Francis R. Havergal, 1830-1870 VIENNA 7.7.7

Melody by Justin H. Knack, 1750-1817



1 Take my life, and let it be Con - se - crat - ed, Lord, to thee;
2 Take my hands, and let them move At the im - pulse of thy love;
3 Take my will, and make it thine; It shall be no long - er mine;
4 Take my love: my Lord I pour At thy feet its treas - ure store;

Take my mo - ments and my days, Let them flow in cease - less praise.
Take my feet, and let them be Swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
Take my heart, it is thine own; It shall be thy roy - al throne.
Take my - self, and I will be Ev - er, on - ly, all for thee. A - men.

CONSECRATION

Benediction

Rev. Reebee Girash

Postlude

Sonatina Op 36: Rondo

Muzio Clementi

Source Notes: The Call to Worship is adapted from Psalm 106. The Opening Prayer is by Rev. Mindi Welton-Mitchell (<http://rev-o-lution.org/>) . The Prayer of Dedication is by Rev. Michael Mair and included in the Church of Scotland's liturgical materials (<https://www.churchofscotland.org.uk/>) .