



Dayspring

United Methodist Church

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9:00 a.m.

WELCOME

We are committed to transforming the church and the world into a full expression of Christ's inclusive love.

Dayspring UMC is a Reconciling Congregation. All people, regardless of age, sex, race, color, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, economic status or ability are welcome into the full life of our congregation. Dayspring affirms the value and worth of all persons, recognizing that everyone is a child of God. We call all to live by and attest to gender equality and to observe Jesus' principles of love and non-violence in all our relationships.

Together we are on a mission to make God's world more peaceful, just, compassionate and inclusive.

THE CHURCH GATHERS TO CELEBRATE

ANNOUNCEMENT SLIDES & MUSIC	"Wade in the Water"	Dayspring Trio
GREETING		Amy Notbohm

CALL TO CELEBRATION

O sing to God a new creation song.

For God has done marvelous things.

We are born creatures of God's world.

For God has done marvelous things.

Let us see the earth as children of the earth.

God, you are with us from the foundations of the earth.

Challenge our stewardship to affirm our relations with your Creation.

God's hands are upon all creatures who live upon the earth.

Many and great are your things, O God, maker of earth and sky.

May all the ends of the earth rejoice in song! Amen.

*OPENING HYMN	"All Creatures of the Earth and Sky"	(verses 1-3)
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*OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

God, Giver of Life and all that makes life good,

we bless your name for all that you are and all that you have given.

We thank you not only for the things we call ours,

but for those we share with all your children:

For sun and wind, flowers and far horizons, for laughter, tears and hope.

We thank you not that you have made life easy

but that you give us strength to grow through our troubles;

We bless you not only for what we know,

but that through your Spirit we can learn how to live;

We thank you not only for what we are,
but for all your grace can do with us and through us.
For all that you are to us and all that we may be to you, we give you thanks.
Guide our steps, steady our courage,
open our eyes to your mercies in all our days.
Amen.

RESPONSE

Verse 4

Embracing earth, you, day by day,
bring forth your blessings on our way,
Alleluia, Alleluia!
All herbs and fruits that richly grow,
let them the glory also show:
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

A TIME FOR OUR CHILDREN

Emily Slater

Jesus said, "Let the children come unto me." Mark 10:13

BLACK HISTORY MOMENT *Frederick Douglass*

ANTHEM

"My Life Flows On"
Dayspring Chimers

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Prayers can be entered online at dayspring-umc.org/prayers

CALL TO PRAYER

"O Lord, Please Hear My Prayer"

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Joel Bullock

Jesus said, "Pray always and don't lose heart." Luke 18:1

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Mark 1:40-45

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church
Thanks be to God

MESSAGE

For the Healing of the World

Rev. Jeff Procter-Murphy

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

give online at: dayspringumc.org/give

Jesus said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Acts 20:35

OFFERTORY

"All Things Bright and Beautiful"
Dayspring Chorale

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Rev. Shirley Wells

CLOSING HYMN

"God Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens"

Hymnal #150

BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION

"May the Dayspring from On High"

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PRAYERS

Laura Bacon Ruck, just diagnosed with thyroid cancer and requiring treatment while she completes her doctoral program and works full time as an RN with COVID patients; **Sydney**, a member of a former church of Dr. Melanie Dobson, who now lives in our area and seeks spiritual help; **The family and friends of Joe Cournoyer**, brother of Marie Vonk, following his death on February 13; **The family and friends of Diane Grouwinkel**, mother of Kari Monk, following her death on February 11; **The family and friends of Jim Geraghty**, husband of Loreen Geraghty and father of Trish Geraghty, following his death; **Maryann and Tom Busha**, colleague of Dave Monk, following the death of their son, Jeff; **Jenny and Danny Shea**, friends of Bev and Larry Haubrock, as their mother, Janna, is now in hospice care in Denver, Colorado; **Ellen Angell**, sister of Kris Bullock, with Parkinson's and undergoing a medical procedure to insert a feeding tube; **Charlene Douglas**, first wife of the brother of Patie Hawley and who is like family, who is hospitalized with COVID-19; for the pastors and leaders of Dayspring UMC, in gratitude of their service to this church; for refugees worldwide, including the Al Naeem and Derow-Mohamed families; for all the indigent people in our society who suffer through all the seasons of the year; for all who actively serve the public common good, including our men and women in the military.

Ongoing Health Concerns

Arlene Roe, Kitty Moran, Michael Luzaich, Marvel Schlick, Joyce Dolin, Skylar-Ann Dunham, Barbara Link, Cindy Sacha, Diane Paz, Heidi Bullock, Anthony Lee, Claire Logan, Pedro Lujan, Jenny Baker, Sheila Fisher, Emily Fitzpatrick, Esther Melo se Orozco, Ron Kessing, Karen Marco, Evelyn Kerr, Fred Miles, and Joyce Larson.

For our Healthcare Workers

Cheryl Anderson, Laura Bacon, Helen Bates, Alan Cadman, Brianna Cadman, Bill Chauvin, Sabrina Gacke, Eric Garlington, Marcie Gest, Amanda Grace, Lara Graf, Tammy Jelen, Karen Kirkland, Trish Lamb, Michelle Locke, Joely Martin, Annie Mayson, Jordan Obray, Simon Parkinson, Jennifer Prochniewski, Lauren Ruck, Kim Searing, AmyLou Simminger, Kathy Vigness, and Christina Weston-Morrow.

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