

**ORCHARD VALLEY UNITED CHURCH
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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, October 4, 2020

18th Sunday after Pentecost

Music as We Gather

Gathering

*** Clergy Enters**

*** Introit**

*** Lighting of the Christ and Outreach Candles**

*** Hope Candles**

Recognition of the Land and Indigenous People

Welcome and Announcements

May the peace that Christ gives be with you.

And also with you!

*** Call to Worship:**

We have but one God to put first.

**In all things put God first, put love, put grace, put
compassion first.**

What is it that we worship?

We worship that which brings out the best in us.

That which treats us with value and worth.

God knows how much we are worth.

Worship lovingly of God so that the whole world knows
the gift you are to the world. Let's begin now!

*** Hymn: "This is the Day That God Has Made" VU #175**

Refrain:

This is the day that God has made!

Rejoice! Rejoice, and be exceeding glad!

This is the day that God has made!

Rejoice! Rejoice! Hallelujah!

Christ has conquered death at last,
left the tomb that held him fast!
Gone the sorrow, gone the night,
dawns the morning clear and bright! **R**

Jesus lives who once was dead,
lives forever, as he said!
Risen now our Saviour, King;
songs of gladness let us sing! **R**

*** Opening Prayer:**

Holy God, lead us this hour in your way, teach us your truth,
and share with us your very life, as we honour your very name.
May our lives, and the life of our world through us, be enriched
in our living and our working, and may we serve to be a
blessing to all. Amen.

Listening

Children's Time / Time for all Ages

Scriptures: Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20
Matthew 21:33-46

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Special Music

Sermon: The 10 Do's

Celebrating

Minute for Mission

Offering

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer:

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, the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever.

Amen.

* Hymn: **“All Things Bright and Beautiful”** **VU #291**

Refrain:

*All things bright and beautiful,
all creatures great and small,
all things wise and wonderful:
in love, God made them all.*

Each little flower that opens,
each little bird that sings,
God made their glowing colours,
God made their tiny wings. **R**

The purple-headed mountains,
the river running by,
the sunset and the morning
that brightens up the sky. **R**

The cold wind in the winter,
the pleasant summer sun,
the ripe fruits in the garden:
God made them every one. **R**

The rocky mountain splendour,
the lone wolf's haunting call,
the great lakes and the prairies,
the forest in the fall. **R**

God gave us eyes to see them,
and lips that we might tell
how great is God our maker,
who has made all things well. **R**

*** Commissioning**

*** Benediction:**

The God of forgiveness bless you,
the grace of Christ keep you,
and the wisdom of the Holy Spirit strengthen you.
Let us go now in peace, to love and to serve.
Thanks be to God!

Music as We Depart