



## DATES TO REMEMBER

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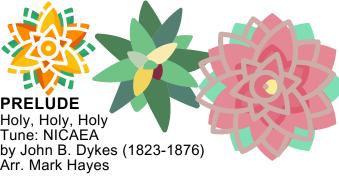
Sunday, August 4, 2024

AN INCLUSIVE, WELCOMING COMMUNITY OF CHRISTIAN FAITH.
OUR MISSION IS TO MANIFEST CHRIST'S LOVE IN THE WORLD.

# TODAY Holy Things



My trust in a higher power that wants me to survive and have love in my life, is what keeps me moving forward. ~ Kenny Loggins



#### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Summer Reading: "Poverty, by America"
- TODAY after service Adult Ed: "The Religious History of Abortion: Patriarchy and the Future of Religion"
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- Lay Reader: Sue Warninghoff

#### PAUSE FOR REFLECTION

"I believe in Christianity as I believe that the sun has risen: not only because I see it, but because by it I see everything else."

-C.S. Lewis

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord our God! Glorious and powerful is the God of all creation!

In reverent awe, we gather to worship our God.
The Lord our God is just Judge of all things for all eternity, all people and all places.

In reverent awe, we gather to praise our God.

The Lord our God is forgiving! 'Fairness' and 'Justice' are the names of our God.

> In reverent awe, we gather to worship God, within the light of God's holiness, justice, mercy and love. Amen.

By Joan Stott

#### **OPENING HYMN**

#1 Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

#### PASSING OF THE PEACE

Pastor: The peace of Christ be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us offer signs of Christ's

peace to one another.

#### CHILDREN'S TIME

Children and youth are dismissed.

#### **HEBREW TESTAMENT READING**

2 Samuel 6:1-10

David again gathered all the chosen men of Israel, thirty thousand. David and all the people with him set out and went from Baale-judah to bring up from there the ark of God, which is called by the name of the Lord of hosts who is enthroned on the cherubim. They carried the ark of God on a new cart and brought it out of the house of Abinadab, which was on the hill. Uzzah and Ahio the sons of Abinadab, were driving the new cart with the ark of God, and Ahio went in front of the ark. David and all the house of Israel were dancing before the Lord with all their might, with songs and lyres and harps and tambourines and castanets and cymbals. When they came to the threshing floor of Nacon. Uzzah reached out his hand to the ark of God and took hold of it, for the oxen lurched. The anger of the Lord was kindled against Uzzah, and God struck him there, and he died there beside the ark of God. David was angry because the Lord had burst forth with an outburst upon Uzzah, so that place is called Perez-uzzah to this day. David was afraid of the Lord that day; he said, "How can the ark of the Lord come into my care?" So David was unwilling to take the ark of the Lord into his care in the city of David; instead, David took it to the house of Obed-edom the Gittite.

#### THEME READING

"Over time, we move beyond a dualistic view of God being "up there" while we are "down here" to a vision where God is up there, down here, in others, and within ourselves, all at the same time. "We are all en Cristo." In taking this view, we start to see that all things are sacred, including the masks we wear, the shadows we seek to hide, the wounds we carry, and the parts of ourselves we consider profane. Everything is sacred."

~ Fr. Richard Rohr

#### SPECIAL MUSIC

Let It Be

Words and Music by John Lennon & Paul McCartney, Arr. Roger Emerson

#### **SERMON**

Holy Things Rev. Scott Dalgarno

#### **RESPONSIVE HYMN**

#331

God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand

#### **OFFERTORY**

Spirit In the Sky By Norman Greenbaum

#### **DOXOLOGY**

Through all our living, we our fruits must give. Good works of service are for offering. When we are giving, or when receiving, We belong to God. We belong to God. We belong to God. We belong to God. We belong to God



#### INVITATION TO THE TABLE

#### **GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Blessed are you, God of time and space. Heaven is here and earth, too, and the space between them, thin. Here are those bound by time and those blessed by eternity, the Church above and the Church below, Abraham and Sarah, Miriam and Moses are here,

Amos and Jeremiah, Simeon and Anna,
Peter and Paul, Martha and all the Marys,
Stephen and Perpetua, Bonhoeffer and Romero,
Francis of Assisi and Hildegard of Bingen,
Martin Luther King and Mother Theresa,
saints from far back
and those who left not long ago,
Only sight prevents our seeing them,
here at your table.
Heaven is here, and earth, and you, great God,

who made them!

And so, we join in the unending hymn of praise: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

#### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

#### PRESENTATION OF THE ELEMENTS

# **CLOSING HYMN**

#205 Ubi Caritas

### PRAYER IN OUR CLOSING CIRCLE

#### **BENEDICTION**