

Hymn: Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

Savior, like a shepherd lead us,
much we need Thy tender care.
In Thy pleasant pastures feed us
for our use Thy folds prepare.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Thou hast bought us, Thine we are.
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Thou hast bought us, Thine we are.

We are Thine, do Thou befriend us,
be the guardian of our way.
Keep Thy flock from sin defend us,
seek us when we go astray.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
hear Thy children when we pray.
Blessed Jesus, oh blessed Jesus,
hear Thy children when we pray.

Thou hast promised to receive us,
poor and sinful though we be.
Thou hast mercy to relieve us,
grace to cleanse and power to free.
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,
Thou has let us turn to Thee.
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Hymn: The King of Love My Shepherd Is

The King of love my shepherd is,
whose goodness faileth never.
I nothing lack if I am His,
and He is mine forever.

Thou spread a table in my sight;
Thy unction grace bestoweth,
and O, what transport of delight
from Thy pure chalice floweth!

And so through all the length of days,
Thy goodness faileth never.
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise
within Thy house forever.



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Our Covenant

As followers of Jesus Christ,
we commit ourselves to share in the worship and service of God,
to grow in the knowledge and expression of our faith,
to reach out with compassion to those in need,
to treat each other with love and understanding,
and to return to God a portion of God's gifts.

SUNDAY WORSHIP ONLINE & IN-PERSON
April 25, 2021 ~ 10:00 am/ 4th Sunday of Easter

To access the service online
go to firstchurchtosa.org - home page.
*Under **Worship** heading, click on **April 25th Service**.*

WELCOME

Rev. William S. Trump

THE PRELUDE

Shepherd Me, O God
(Based on the 23rd Psalm)
Rhonda Kwiecien, Keyboard Musician

Marty Haugen/
arr. by Mark Hayes

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (Read responsively)
Leader: Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing.
People: Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise.
Leader: Give thanks to Him, bless His name! For the Lord is good;
People: His steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

HYMN SOLO (See p. 4) *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* BRADBURY
(verses 1, 5 & 6) Sara Kramer, Soprano

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Founded as an extension of the mission of the First Congregational Church of Wauwatosa, the
Congregational Home, creates and maintains a caring community for the elderly offering housing,
health care and quality of life services.
President/CEO - Kris Sprtel-NHA, Chaplain – Dan Cunningham, Board Chair – Merrill York

PRAYER OF INVOCATION (To be read aloud)
Eternal God, we come to You this morning not because we must, but because we may. We come in freedom to praise You and find in Your Word guidance for our lives. Strengthen us so that we can return to our daily lives with new directions and a dedication for living our lives according to Your Will. Fill our hearts with the joy and power of Your Love, so that we may reflect and share this magnificent love in all that we do. Hear us as we raise our voices together in the prayer Jesus taught us . . .

THE LORD’S PRAYER (To be read aloud)
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 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.

INSTRUMENTAL RESPONSE

CHILDREN'S STORY Tonia Wallner

THE LESSON (See insert) John 10:11-18

SPECIAL MUSIC Sing Ye a Joyful Song by Antonín Dvorák
Sara Kramer, Soloist

THE MESSAGE "Shepherding" Rev. Trump

PASTORAL PRAYER AND RESPONSE

SPECIAL MUSIC (See insert) Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring by Johann Sebastian Bach

DEDICATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

HYMN SOLO (See p. 4) The King of Love My Shepherd Is ST. COLUMBA
(verses 1, 2 & 4)

INSTRUMENTAL BENEDICTION

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POSTLUDE With High Delight by Kenneth T. Kosche

The Chancel Flowers given by Matt and Laura Herrick in honor of their fifth wedding anniversary.

CARING CORNER
As of April 22, 2021

Born to Eternal Life

Thomas Winkel passed away at the Congregational Home on April 8, 2021. Services were held Saturday, April 17, at First Church.

Randy Goelzer recently passed away at home. Services were held Saturday, April 24th at First Church.

In Our Prayers
Gene Halvorson, who is now convalescing at home with son Joel and daughter-in-law Lorene.

Rev. Sa Do and all those at the Congregational Church of Myanmar. Their mission has been impacted by the continuing military violence against civilians in Myanmar.

Sunday Worship Service Preview May 2, 2021
Rev. William S. Trump
Rhonda Kwiecien, Keyboard Musician
Jillian Bruss, Soloist

Special Music: *Sing Ye a Joyful Song*

Text: Psalm 98:1-8

Sing ye a joyful song unto the Lord,
who hath done marvelous,
marvelous things.
Praise the Lord all the earth!

Sing praises, shout and be joyful.
Let the sea roar and all that is therein,
the round world
and all they that dwell there.

Lift your voices floods and tempests.
Mountains, clap your heads for joy.
Let the fields laugh and sing with waving
corn,
and let all the trees of the forest be joyful!

Special Music: *Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring*

Text: Robert Bridges

Jesus, joy of man's desiring,
holy wisdom, love most bright.
Drawn by Thee, our souls aspiring
soar to uncreated light.

Word of God our flesh that fashion'd
with the fire of life impassion'd.
Striving still to Truth unknown,
soaring, dying, round Thy throne.

Through the way where hope is guiding,
hark, what peaceful music rings!
Where the flock, in Thee confiding,
drink of joy from deathless springs.

Theirs is beauty's fairest pleasure,
theirs is wisdom's holiest treasure.
Thou dost ever lead Thine own,
in the love of joys unknown.

Lesson: John 10:11-18

“I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father.”