

Special Music: *Lord of the Small*
Text: Johanna Anderson

Praise to the Lord of broken things,
Who sees the poor sparrow
That cannot take wing,
Who loves the lame child,
And the wretch in the street
Who comforts their sorrows
And washes their feet.

Praise to the Lord of the faint and afraid,
Who girds them with courage
And lends them His aid.
He pours out His Spirit on vessels so weak
That the timid can serve
And the silent can speak.

Praise to the Lord of the frail and the ill,
Who heals their afflictions, or carries them till
They leave this tired frame and to paradise fly,
To never be sick, and never to die, never die.

Praise Him, O praise Him, all ye who yet live,
Who've been given so much
And can so little give.
Our frail, lisping praise
God will never despise.
He sees His dear children
Through mercy-filled eyes.

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The Congregational Home, founded as an extension of the mission of the First Congregational Church of Wauwatosa, creates and maintains a caring community for the elderly offering housing, health care and quality of life services.

President/COO – Kris Sprtel, R.N., M.S. Chaplain – Maureen Collins Board Chair – Steve Russ

Special Music: *Alleluia!*
Text: Frederick H. Martens

O Lord! My God! Earnestly I seek Thee.
My soul thirsts for Thee in this dry place.
It searches for Thee in this dreary space.
O Thou didst lead me by the hand
Who languished in a barren land!
Thy mercy, Thy mercy,
I sing and praise Thee now.
Alleluia!

Thou dear Lord, Thou art my shepherd,
Thy mercy doth my soul restore.
Thy rod and staff they are my comfort,
My cup of joy, behold it runneth o'er!

Beside still waters Thou art leading,
In pastures green Thou had me live,
My soul exalts Thee, my voice shall rise,
Thy mercy praising to the sky.
Alleluia!



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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 & COMMUNION IN THE NAVE
12th Sunday After Pentecost
August 28, 2022 ~ 9:00 am

A nursery for infants and toddlers is available during the service.

Please silence your cell phones.

Join us for Coffee Fellowship in the Lounge following the service.

THE PRELUDE

Praeludium und Fuge g-moll
(Prelude and Fugue in g-minor)

by Nicolaus Bruhns

Rhonda Kwiecien, Director of Music and Keyboard Artist

WELCOME

Dr. Gerry B. Krupp

GREETING OF PEACE

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (read responsively)

Patty Reddy

Leader: The Lord is my helper.

PEOPLE: I will not be afraid.

Leader: Remember your leaders, those who spoke the word of God to you, and imitate their faith.

PEOPLE: Let us continually offer a sacrifice of praise to God, that is the fruit of lips that confess his name.

Leader: Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have;

PEOPLE: For such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

Adapted from Hebrews 13:6-7,15

*HYMN 60

When Morning Gilds the Skies

LAUDES DOMINI

THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION (read in unison)
Eternal God, we have sinned against You and against our neighbors in what we have thought, in what we have said, and in what we have done. We ask Your forgiveness. Show us Your love at work in our world and inspire us to work toward the fulfillment of Your Holy Will. Help us to grow through the experience of worship that we may become better servants of You and Your Kingdom. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

*THE GLORIA PATRI (Hymn 558)
**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.**

THE CHILDREN'S STORY Tonia Wallner

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 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.

Children ages 3-entering 6th grade are invited to One Room Sunday School in Room 107.

SPECIAL MUSIC Lord of the Small by Dan Forrest
Brett Hanisko, Soloist

THE LESSONS Luke 14:1; 7-14 Bible, page 951

THE MESSAGE "When Jesus Came to Sunday Dinner" Pastor Krupp

CALL TO PRAYER & SILENT RESPONSE

PASTORAL PRAYER & INSTRUMENTAL RESPONSE

OFFERTORY Alleluia! by Ferdinand Hummel

*THE DOXOLOGY (Hymn 563)
**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

OFFERTORY PRAYER
*HYMN 497 Blest Be the Tie That Binds DENNIS

*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE Gigue in D-Major by J. S. Bach
(from the Orchestral Suite No. 3) arr. by David A. deSilva

*Indicates where the congregation is asked to stand, if able.

Today’s Chancel flowers are given by Dick & Mary Berger in remembrance of Steve and the “Vegas 58.”

Caring Corner
as of August 25, 2022
Born to Eternal Life
James Nortman, brother-in-law of Sharon Nortman, died on August 20, 2022.
Family services will be held August 30.

In Our Prayers
Jane Jacobson fell at home and is at the Congregational Home for rehabilitation.

Congratulations!
Mike & Holly Elwing celebrated the marriage of their daughter, Alissa, to Jesse Koenig on August 5th in Allentown, WI. They currently reside in Fargo, North Dakota.

Anne & Phil Callen are pleased to announced the engagement of their daughter, Bryn, to Ryan Blank.

Sunday Worship Service Preview
Labor Day Sunday / September 4, 2022 ~ 9 AM in the Nave

Rev. Tom Griffey, Guest Minister
Elle Dannecker, Anthony Andronczyk & Brett Hanisko, Vocalists
Rhonda Kwiecien, Director of Music and Keyboard Artist