

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

June 16, 2024

8:30 am and 10:45 am



GATHERING MUSIC

Larry Landusky

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Annie Bray-Cox

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

* *Ye Servants of God*

LYONS

1. Ye ser - vants of God, your Mas - ter pro - claim, And pub - lish a - broad His
2. Then let us a - dore and give Him His right, All glo - ry and pow'r, all
won - der - ful name; The name all - vic - to - rious of Je - sus ex - tol; His
wis - dom and might; All hon - or and bless - ing, with an - gels a - bove, And
king - dom is glo - rious and rules o - ver all.
thanks nev - er - ceas - ing, and in - fi - nite love.

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*Please stand if it is comfortable to do so

**For the Beauty of the Earth*

DIX



1. For the beau - ty of the earth, for the glo - ry of the skies,
2. For the won - der of each hour of the day and of the night,
3. For the joy of hu - man love, broth - er, sis - ter, par - ent, child,
4. For Thy - self, best Gift Di - vine! To our race so free - ly giv'n,



for the love which from our birth o - ver and a - round us lies:
hill and vale and tree and flow'r, sun and moon and stars of light:
friends on earth and friends a - bove; For all gen - tle thoughts and mild:
for that great, great love of Thine, peace on earth, and joy in heav'n.



Lord of all, to Thee we raise this our hymn of grate - ful praise.

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***PASTORAL PRAYER**

Charles Johnson

CHILDREN'S TIME (10:45)

Kelly Martin

All children are invited to come forward. Following Children's Time, ages 4-5 are invited to Preschool Praise, room #102 of the Children's Wing.

Romans 1:11-17

¹¹ For I long to see you so that I may share with you some spiritual gift so that you may be strengthened— ¹² or rather so that we may be mutually encouraged by each other’s faith, both yours and mine. ¹³ I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that I have often intended to come to you (but thus far have been prevented), in order that I may reap some harvest among you, as I have among the rest of the gentiles. ¹⁴ I am obligated both to Greeks and to barbarians, both to the wise and to the foolish, ¹⁵ hence my eagerness to proclaim the gospel to you also who are in Rome. ¹⁶ For I am not ashamed of the gospel; it is God’s saving power for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek. ¹⁷ For in it the righteousness of God is revealed through faith for faith, as it is written, “The one who is righteous will live by faith.”

The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God!

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

SHOWALTER



1. What a fel - low - ship, what a joy di - vine, Lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms;
2. Oh, how sweet to walk in this pil - grim way, Lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms;
3. What have I to dread, what have I to fear, Lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms?



What a bless - ed - ness, what a peace is mine, Lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.
Oh, how bright the path grows from day to day, Lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.
I have bless - ed peace with my Lord so near, Lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.

CHORUS



Lean - ing, lean - ing Safe and se - cure from all a - larms; Lean - ing, lean - ing Lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.

He Never Failed Me Yet
composed by Robert Ray
Tom Hodges, soloist

***GOSPEL READING**

William Sullivan, Quin Shelton

Mark 4:26-34

²⁶ He also said, “The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground ²⁷ and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. ²⁸ The earth produces of itself first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. ²⁹ But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle because the harvest has come.” ³⁰ He also said, “With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? ³¹ It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth, ³² yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade.” ³³ With many such parables he spoke the word to them as they were able to hear it; ³⁴ he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.
Thanks be to God!

** Beautiful Things*

GUNGOR



1. All this pain. I won - der if I'll ev - er find my way; I won - der if my
2. All this earth. Could all that is lost ev - er be found; Could a gar - den
3. All a - round hope is spring - ing up from this old ground; Out of cha - os



life could real - ly change at all. Oh
come up from this ground at all?
life is be - ing found in You.

CHORUS



You make beau - ti - ful things, You make beau - ti - ful things out of the dust.



You make beau - ti - ful things, You make beau - ti - ful things out of us.

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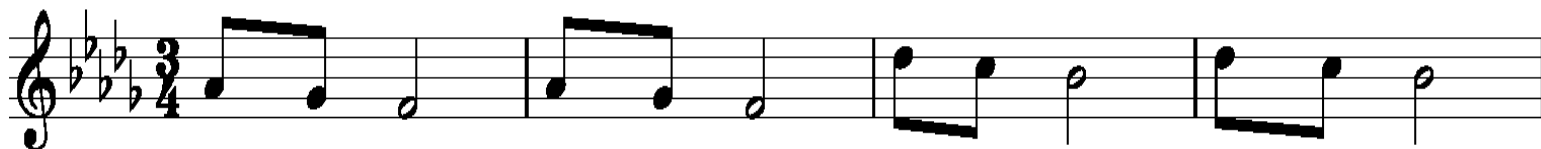
The Power of Small and Secret Things

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

You are invited to dedicate your life to Christ, join our faith community, or answer a call from God to do ministry in this world by coming forward during the hymn and share this decision with a minister.

** Take My Life, Lead Me Lord*

LANGLEY



1. Take my life, lead me, Lord, take my life, lead me, Lord,
2. Take my life, teach me, Lord, take my life, teach me, Lord,
3. Here am I, send me, Lord, here am I, send me, Lord,



make my life use - ful to Thee; Take my life, lead me, Lord,
make my life use - ful to Thee; Take my life, teach me, Lord,
make my life use - ful to Thee; Here am I, send me, Lord,



take my life, lead me, Lord, make my life use - ful to Thee.
take my life, teach me, Lord, make my life use - ful to Thee.
here am I, send me, Lord, make my life use - ful to Thee.

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***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Jessica Medina, Stephanie Nash

OFFERTORY

Marilyn Arland

Oh How I Love Him
by Eduardo di Capua

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Please share the peace with those near you.

* *He Never Failed Me Yet*

RAY

He is my God and I'll serve Him, no mat - ter
what the test. Trust and nev-er doubt, Je - sus will sure-ly bring you out,
He nev-er failed me yet.

The musical score is written in G major (one flat) and 4/4 time. It consists of three staves. The first staff contains the first line of the melody with lyrics 'He is my God and I'll serve Him, no mat - ter'. The second staff continues the melody with lyrics 'what the test. Trust and nev-er doubt, Je - sus will sure-ly bring you out,'. The third staff concludes the melody with lyrics 'He nev-er failed me yet.' The score includes various musical notations such as treble clef, key signature, time signature, and triplets.

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*PASTORAL BENEDICTION

Charles Johnson

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Prayer cards are available. Please place your filled out card and offerings in the box on the rear wall of the Worship Hall or place in the offering plate as it is passed during worship.

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Please ask an usher for assistance as you enter the sanctuary for worship.

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