

Song Texts

Come, Children, join to sing Alleluia! Amen!
Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen!
Let all, with heart and voice, Before His throne rejoice;
Praise is His gracious choice Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high Alleluia! Amen!
Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen!
He is our Guide and Friend; To us He'll condescend;
His love shall never end Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet our Christ again Alleluia! Amen!
Life shall not end the strain; Alleluia! Amen!
Come, everybody, let's sing! Lift your hands to the King!
The King of Kings! "Alleluia! Amen!"

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**Christ is our cornerstone:** On him alone we build;  
With His true saints alone  
The courts of heaven are filled;  
On His great love our hopes we place  
Of present grace And joys above.

Here may we gain from heaven  
The grace which we implore;  
And may that grace, once given,  
He with us evermore,

Until that day when all the blest  
To endless rest Are called away.

O now with hymns of praise  
These hallowed courts shall ring;  
Our voices we will raise  
The Three in One to sing,  
And thus proclaim in joyful song,  
Both loud and long That glorious name.

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In Christ there is no east or west,
In Him no south or north,
But one great fellowship of love
Throughout the whole wide earth.
In Christ shall true hearts everywhere
Their high communion find;
His service is the golden cord
Close-binding humankind.
Join hands, disciples of the faith,
Whate'er your race may be.
Who serves the Father and the Son
Is surely kin to me.
In Christ now meet both east and west;
In Him meet south and north.
All Christly souls are one in Him

Are you new to our church? If you are interested in sharing your contact information with us, please fill out a bright yellow card found in the racks of the pews. Then either give it to one of the ministers or drop it in the offertory plate. Thank you for joining us today!

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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.
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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, April 22, 2018 ~ 4th Sunday of Easter
10:00 AM - Worship in the Nave

If you are a guest this Sunday, we would love to meet you!

*Following the service is a Coffee Fellowship in the Friendship Lounge located off the parking lot hallway, please join us.
Please silence your cell phones.*

TOWER BELLS

THE PRELUDE

*How Great Thou Art Swedish folk melody arr. by Dan Forrest
Rhonda Kwiecien ~ Keyboard Musician*

WELCOME AND THE GREETING OF PEACE

Rev. Bill Trump

CHIMES

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: I was glad when they said unto me, let us go unto the house of the Lord.

PEOPLE: This is the day that the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

Leader: Oh magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together.

PEOPLE: For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised.

*HYMN 550

All Are Welcome

TWO OAKS

*THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION (unison)

Eternal God, we know that You are not far from any of us. Touch our eyes that we may see You in all the beauty and joy of life. May we be at home in Your universe, take our part in this life cheerfully and without complaint, and find many things in which to rejoice. With calm and trusting hearts may we face the future and the unknown, assured that we cannot stray beyond Your love and care. We ask that You make Your presence known to us as we seek to worship You. Hear us as we pray. 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.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

*Come, Christians, Join to Sing arr. Heather Sorenson
Junior Choir ~ directed by Mrs. Roxanne Trump-Miles*

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.

All children ages 3 – 5th grade and youth in grades 6th through 12th are invited to meet in the Social Hall for a large group activity.

LESSON

John 10:22-30 Bible, pg. 978

ANTHEM

*Christ Is Our Cornerstone Alice Jordan
Dr. Patrick Dill conducts the FCC Choir*

THE MESSAGE

The Shepherd's Voice Rev. Trump

*HYMN 50

The King of Love My Shepherd Is ST. COLUMBA

THE CALL TO PRAYER and TIME FOR SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER AND RESPONSE

THE OFFERTORY

In Christ There is No East or West arr. by Dale Wood

*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.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN 27 How Great Thou Art HOW GREAT THOU ART

*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*THE POSTLUDE *Praeludium und Fuge e=moll* Nicolaus Bruhns

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

CARE FOR CHILDREN

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

The Chancel Flowers are given in memory of Virginia Mason and all life-long Congregational ladies.

Caring Corner

RECOVERING
Georgia Buchta ~ Congregational Home

CONGRATULATIONS
Avery and Amy Moore are the proud parents of Owen Christopher Moore, born Friday, April 13, 2018. The grandparents are Ardith and J.C. Moore, and great-grandparents are Sharon & Richard Raymond.

10:00 a.m. Worship Service Preview for Sunday, April 29, 2018
Rev. Bill Trump presents the message at FCC.
Dr. Patrick Dill directs the FCC Choir / Rhonda Kwiecien - Keyboard Musician