

## Caring Corner

### *In Our Prayers*

**Stephen Houriet** – Recovering in Oconomowoc Memorial Hospital

**Ray Sutphin** – Recovering at home

### **For the Beauty of the Earth**

text by F.S. Pierpoint

For the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies,  
For the love which from our birth  
Over and around us lies.

#### Refrain

Christ, our God, to Thee we raise,  
This our hymn of endless praise.

For the beauty of each hour, of the day and of the night,  
Hill and vale, and tree and flower,  
Sun and moon, and stars of light. *Refrain*

For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child,  
Friends on earth and friends above,  
For all gentle thoughts and mild. *Refrain*

For Thyself, best gift divine! To our race so freely given,  
For that great, great love of Thine,  
Peace on earth and joy in Heaven. *Refrain*

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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, November 25, 2018 - 10:00 a.m. - Worship in the Nave  
Christ the King Sunday

*If you are a guest this Sunday, we would love to meet & greet you.*  
*All are invited to the Friendship Lounge for Coffee Fellowship following today's worship service.*  
*Please silence your cell phones.*

WELCOME AND THE GREETING OF PEACE

Rev. Bill Trump

THE PRELUDE

*For the Beauty of the Earth*

arr. Anna Laura Page

The Jubilation Ringers directed by Dr. Patrick Dill

CHIMES

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Barry W. Szymanski

Leader: The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me, because the Lord has anointed me to bring good tidings to the afflicted.

**People: He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and to release the prisoners,**

Leader: To proclaim the year of the Lord's favor, and the day of vengeance of our God.

**People: To comfort all who mourn; to grant to those who mourn in Zion a garland instead of ashes,**

Leader: The oil of gladness instead of mourning, the mantle of praise instead of a faint spirit.

**People: That they may be called oaks of righteousness, the planting of the Lord, that he may be glorified.**

-- Isaiah 61:1-3

\*HYMN 243

*Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*

NICAEA

\*THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION (unison)

Eternal God, Heavenly Father, as we gather in this house of worship, challenge us with Your truth and inspire us with Your love. Then, Lord, as we return to our worlds of work, learning and living, enlighten us with your wisdom and empower us with your strength so that we might be better servants of you and your kingdom here on earth. In Jesus name 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.

CHILDREN’S SERMON

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 – 5th grade are invited to Sunday School.*

*Youth in grades 6th through 12th are invited to Pilgrim Fellowship in Youth Room 302.*

THE LESSON

Mark 12:28-34

Bible, pg. 924

ANTHEM

*Now Thank We All Our God*  
The Jubilation Ringers

J. S. Bach/arr. Alinda Couper

THE MESSAGE

“ ? ”

Rev. Trump

\*HYMN 361

*My Faith Looks Up to Thee*

OLIVET

THE CALL TO PRAYER and SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER AND CHORAL RESPONSE

THE OFFERTORY

*For the Beauty of the Earth*  
Dr. Patrick Dill directs the FCC Choir

Robert Wetzler

\*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 437

*He Leadeth Me, O Blessed Thought*

HE LEADETH ME

\*THE CHARGE

\*A CHORAL BENEDICTION

*Go Now in Peace*  
**(please see insert)**

Don Besig

\*THE POSTLUDE

*Italian Hymn*

*Felice de Giardini, setting by Albert L. Travis*

\*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.

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*The Thanksgiving decorations were provided by the Deacons and many thanks to DdG & Charlie Wakefield for the preparation.*

**10:00 a.m. Worship Service Preview for Sunday, December 2, 2018**  
Rev. Bill Trump presents the message.  
Dr. Patrick Dill directs the FCC Choir / Rhonda Kwiecien - Keyboard Musician

*Thank you for joining us today! Are you new or returning 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) and either drop it in the offertory plate or give it to one of the ministers. We hope to see you soon again.*