



A SONG OF THANKSGIVING

PSALM 100



November 9, 2025

Traditional Worship

8:15 am Sanctuary

**Please stand or lift your heart*

WELCOME

Rev. Jonathan Jonas



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OPENING PRAYER

PRELUDE

Song of Praise
Gerald Peterson
Dr. Jenny Anderson, piano

***HYMN No. 62** *All Creatures of Our God and King* (vv. 1, 2, 3, 7)
LASST UNS ERFREUEN

*CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 95

LEADER: O come, let us sing to the Lord;
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

**ALL: Let us come into God's presence with thanksgiving;
let us make a joyful noise with songs of praise!**

LEADER: O come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!

**ALL: For the Lord is our God, and we are the people of
God's pasture and the sheep of God's hand.**

*RESPONSE

Come, Hear His Voice
DARWALL'S 148TH

Come, hear his voice today, receive what love imparts;
his holy will obey and harden not your hearts.
Lift high your songs before his throne
to whom alone all praise belongs.

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 100 (NRSV)

- 1** Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth.
- 2** Worship the LORD with gladness;
come into his presence with singing.
- 3** Know that the LORD is God.
It is he that made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
- 4** Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise.
Give thanks to him, bless his name.
- 5** For the LORD is good;
his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.

LEADER: All scripture is inspired by God.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Rev. Sarah Slack
A Song of Thanksgiving

ANTHEM

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty
arr. Bruce Greer
Morning Glory Chorus; Dr. Dwight Dockery, conductor

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise him for he is my health and salvation!
All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near;
join me in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
shelters thee under his wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!
Hast thou not seen how thy desires e'er have been
granted in what he ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before him.
Let the amen sound from his people again,
gladly forever adore him. Gladly forever adore him.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH No. 883**

A Statement of Faith of the United Church of Canada

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,
who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh,
to reconcile and make new,
who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the church:

to celebrate God's presence,
to love and serve others,
to seek justice and resist evil,
to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,
our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death,
God is with us.

We are not alone.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

TIME OF PRAYER

OFFERING MOMENT

OFFERTORY

Praise the Lord, O My Soul
Maurice Green
Greg Brakebill, tenor

***DOXOLOGY No. 94** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*
LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow
Praise God, all creatures here below.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts.
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts.
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

***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 trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for
thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen.

***HYMN No. 75** *All People That on Earth Do Dwell*
OLD 100th

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

Sing, Rejoice!
Edward Broughton

Traditional Worship

10:30 Sanctuary

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OPENING PRAYER

BRINGING OF THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

Lydia Givens, acolyte
Ruth Ann Slack, acolyte

PRELUDE

Prelude on "We Gather Together"
arr. John G. Barr
Dr. Jenny Anderson, organ

INTROIT

Just a Closer Walk With Thee
arr. Susan Berry and Janet Van Valey

Pleasant Valley
John C. Dare
Elementary Chimes and Intermediate Bells;
Meredith Simpson, conductor

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TIME WITH CHILDREN

CHILDREN DISMISSED TO KIDS OWN WORSHIP

Children **age 3 through 1st grade** may follow a member of our ministry team to Kids Own Worship. For new 1st Kids children, please complete the child information card in the pew and send with your child to help us better serve your child. Please meet them on the lower level following the worship service.

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***BENEDICTION RESPONSE** *God of Beauty, Truth and Goodness*
Sandra Ford, arr. James Pethel

God of beauty, truth, and goodness, Lord of wisdom yet unknown,
grant us strength to match the vision
as we come before your throne.
Sing a joyful alleluia, praising God in all you do
and remember as you witness, God is singing over you!

***POSTLUDE**

Father, We Praise You
Gerald Peterson

Contemporary Worship

10:30 am | Asbury Hall

WELCOME MUSIC

The Band

The Earth is Yours
Gungor

WELCOME

Ralph Jeffers



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WORSHIP

Forever
Bethel Arrangement

Raise a Hallelujah
Jake Stevens

A Thousand Hallelujahs
Brooke Ligertwood

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Thank You Jesus
Josh Baldwin

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CLOSING WORSHIP

Jesus Thank You
Katy Nichole

BENEDICTION

Churchwide Thanksgiving Dinner

Tonight at 5:00 pm

The Church provides the main course. Please remember to bring side dishes and/or desserts to share.

Need a new picture for the online directory? Then come to Room 152 from 4:30 to 5:00 or after the Thanksgiving Dinner to get your picture.



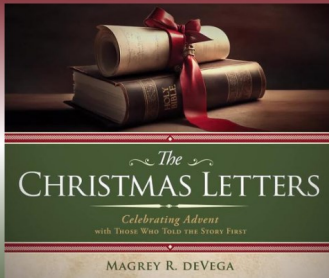
Wednesday,
November 12th
Guest Speaker:
Jackie North
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Pancakes with Pastors



NEXT SUNDAY!
NOVEMBER 16TH
9:15 TO 10:15
WESLEY HALL

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A Study for Advent

Led by Bernice Howard

Thursdays (except Thanksgiving)
November 20th through December 18th

Sign up online at:
1stchurch.org/letters
or call 865-982-1273



Bless the Blessing Box

Throughout the month of November you are encouraged to keep the Blessing Box overflowing with items to help make Thanksgiving meals.

Here are some suggestions:

- Boxed Dressing/Stuffing
- Canned Green Beans
- Canned Pumpkin
- Canned Sweet Potatoes
- Gravy Packets
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Instant Potatoes



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