

If you are a guest with us, welcome! We are glad you are here. Below is some information that may be helpful to you joining us in worship.

#### Worship Information:

During our service, we have a volunteer staffed Nursery available for children up through Pre-K. You may find it by going downstairs and into the blue room in the corner of the basement. In worship, we will be saying the Lord's Prayer and singing the Doxology. If you do not know the words, please find them below.

#### 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.

#### The Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye, Heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.

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## United Church of Christ



**August 20, 2023**  
**10:00 am**

# SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

\*Call to Worship

One: What joy we feel when we are called together to celebrate God's love.

**Many: God's love flows through our lives!**

One: This is what it means to be the body of Christ!

**Many: this is what it means to be faithful witnesses to God.**

One: Let us rejoice on this day!

**Many: Lord, we thank you for the blessings you pour on us. Amen.**

\*Prayer of Invocation (in unison)

**Lord, be with us today as we come to you from all life's circumstances. Give us courage and strength and fill us with your love and grace that we may serve you effectively and fully. Amen.**

\*Hymn "Precious Memories" #539

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Silence/Morning Prayer/Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

\*Response "Doxology" 621

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving (in unison)

**God of abundance and joy, we thank you for the many blessings you have poured on our lives. Receive these gifts, lovingly given, and bless them in your service. Amen.**

Special Music "Sing to the King"  
(Foote/Arr. McDonald & Shackley)

Scripture Psalm 148

Sermon "Graybeards and Little Children"

\*Closing Hymn "Majestic" On Screen

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

On the cover: A great group from St. Paul's UCC visited the Mesker Park Zoo together August 6

(\*) All who are able please stand when noted.