



OAK GROVE

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

June 9, 2024

Third Sunday after Pentecost

YOUTH MUSIC MISSION HOMECOMING



EARTH AS IN
HEAVEN

Little Rock, AR
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8:30 AND 11 A.M. ORDER OF WORSHIP

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Youth Choir Homecoming Sunday

Gathering Music

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Melissa Kime-Hall

*Call to Worship

(8:30) Hadley Van Buren
(11:00) Cole Jones

You are salt for the earth, O people.

Salt for the Kingdom of God!

Bring forth the Kingdom of mercy. Bring forth the Kingdom of peace.

Bring forth the Kingdom of justice; bring forth the City of God!

*Hymn

Bring Forth the Kingdom

TFWS 2190

(We invite all children to stay in worship during the summer.)

*Affirmation of Faith

The United Church of Canada (UMH 883)

(8:30) Brooke Edmunds
(11:00) Ella Dorsett

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 live with respect in Creation, 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

A Morning Prayer

Dr. Joseph McBrayer

Anthems

Unclouded Day

arr. D Marsh

Heaven Medley

arr. J Coates

Ain'a That Good News

W Dawson

Baba Yetu

C Tin, arr. R Emerson

Translation: Our Father, who art in heaven. Amen! Our Father, hallowed be thy name. Give us this day our daily bread, Forgive us of our trespasses as we forgive others who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one forever. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

Notre Père

M Duruffé

Translation: 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.

Prayer of Saint Francis

A Pote

One Voice

R Moody, arr. M Moody

Saints Bound for Heaven

arr. M Burton

The Lord's Prayer

(8:30) Luke Gillmore
(11:00) Eva Grace

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 **This Is My Song** **UMH 437**
- Moment of Reflection Carter Loughran
- Offertory Prayer Carter Loughran
It is a joy to offer our gifts to you, O God! We praise you for the ways you have blessed us and are grateful to return a portion to you for the building of your kingdom. Amen.
- Offertory Anthem Let Everything That Hath Breath Youth Choir J Ames
- *Doxology Old 100th
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.
- *Gospel Lesson Matthew 6:7-13 (8:30) Cole Jones
(11:00) Lauren Edmunds
The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.
- Sermon **Heaven on Earth** Mr. John Cowden
Director of Traditional Music
- *Hymn **Forth in Thy Name** **UMH 438**
During the closing hymn, alumni and friends of the choir are invited to join the choir to sing the benediction.
- Benediction Dr. Beth LaRocca-Pitts
- Choral Benediction Closing Prayer Youth Choir and Friends D Besig
The time has come, O Lord, for us to leave this place. Guide us and protect us and lead us in thy grace. Wherever life may take us as we go our separate ways, help us share with others the things we've shared today. May the peace of God the Father and the love of Christ, His Son, guide us in the days ahead and strengthen us, each one. May the blessings of the Spirit fill us from within: God bless us and return us to this fellowship once again. Amen.
- *Postlude Toccata for Organ J Pethel

*Congregation stand as able. **UMH: United Methodist Hymnal / TFWS: The Faith We Sing**
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Worship Times and Locations

8:30 and 11:00 a.m.: Traditional (Sanctuary)
10:45: Modern (Fellowship Hall)

ONLINE: 10:45 a.m. – Modern Worship

ONLINE: 11:00 a.m. – Traditional Worship.

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Our Pastors

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Dr. Amy Morgan – *Pastor of Service and Nurture* ext. 210

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