

***Second Congregational Church  
United Church of Christ  
September 18, 2022***



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## Pastoral Prayer

### Prayers of Joys and Concerns of the People

#### Lord's Prayer

Pastor: Let us pray as Christ our savior has taught us.

**All: 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.**

#### Offertory

\*Doxology "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" No. 34

\*Prayer of Dedication

#### Scripture

1 Timothy 2:1-7

NT pg. 198

#### Sermon

"Environmental Justice"

Rev. Dr. Will Sencabaugh

#### \*Hymn

"For Beauty of Meadows"

No. 28

#### \*Benediction

##### Response

"Savior, Again to Your Dear Name" No. 711, vs. 1

**Savior, again to your dear name we raise  
with one accord our parting hymn of praise;  
we give you thanks before our worship cease,  
and now departing, wait your word of peace.**

#### Postlude

Toccata on *Lasst uns erfreuen*

Callahan

*If you are leaving the sanctuary during the postlude, please do so quietly.*

*Throughout the bulletin, when you see an \* you are invited to stand if you are able.*

# 23 All Creatures of Our God and King

1 All crea-tures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us  
 2 O rush-ing wind that art so strong, you clouds that sail in heaven a -  
 3 O flow-ing wa - ter, pure and clear, make mu - sic for your Lord to  
 4 All you who are of ten - der heart, for - giv - ing oth - ers, take your  
 5 Let all things their Cre - a - tor bless, and wor - ship him in hum - ble -

sing Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia! O burn - ing sun with gold - en  
 long, O praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! O ris - ing morn in praise re -  
 hear, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia! O fire so mas - ter - ful and  
 part, sing prais - es, Al - le - lu - ia! All you who pain and sor - row  
 ness, O praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! Praise, praise the Fa - ther, praise the

beam, and sil - ver moon with soft - er gleam, O praise him, O  
 joice, O lights of eve - ning, find a voice, O praise him, O  
 bright, pro - vid - ing us with warmth and light, O praise him, O  
 bear, praise God and on him cast your care, O praise him, O  
 Son, and praise the Spir - it, Three in One, O praise him, O

praise him, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!

WORDS: St. Francis of Assisi (1182-1226); tr. William H. Draper (1855-1933), alt.  
 MUSIC: Geistliche Kirchengesäng, Cologne, 1623; arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

LASST UNS ERFREUEN  
 L.M. Alleluia

# For Beauty of Meadows

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1 For beau - ty of mead - ows, for gran - deur of trees,  
 2 As stew - ards of beau - ty re - ceived at your hand,  
 3 Teach us once a - gain to be gar - deners in peace;

for flow - ers of wood - lands, for crea - tures of seas,  
 as crea - tures who hear your most ur - gent com - mand,  
 all na - ture a - round us is ours but on lease;

for all you cre - at - ed and gave us to share,  
 we turn from our waste - ful de - struc - tion of life,  
 your name we would hal - low in all that we do,

we praise you, Cre - a - tor, ex - tol - ling your care.  
 con - fess - ing our fail - ures, con - fess - ing our strife.  
 ful - fill - ing our call - ing, cre - at - ing with you.

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**The Lead Deacon** this month is Mike Toulountzis. **The Conference Room** is available during the service for those who wish to remain separate from the congregation as singing resumes.

**Meetings and Activities**

Sunday, 18 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 am	Worship
		Sunday School
	11:00 am 1:00 pm	Outreach & Missions Committee Meeting Memorial Celebration of Life, Neill Shaw
Monday, 19 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 pm	Facilities Committee Meeting
Tuesday, 20 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 pm	Administration Committee Meeting
Thursday, 22 <sup>nd</sup>	6:30 pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	7:30 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal
Saturday, 24 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 pm	Celebration of Life – Katie Simmons
Sunday, 25 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 am	Worship Sunday School
	11:15 am	<b>October VOICE Deadline</b> Church Council Meeting
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup>	3-5 pm	Food Pantry Distribution
Wednesday, 28 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 pm	PFLAG Meeting
Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup>	6:30 pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	7:30 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal
Saturday, Oct. 1 <sup>st</sup>	11:00 am	Family Fellowship Apple Picking Steere Orchard, Greenville, RI
Sunday, 2 <sup>nd</sup>		Gathering Sunday
	10:00 am	Worship / Communion
	11:00 am	Women’s Fellowship Meeting
Saturday, 8 <sup>th</sup>	6 to 8 pm	Second Saturday Coffee House & Open Mic
Sunday, 9 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 am	Worship Sunday School
Monday		Columbus Day – Office is closed