



Who do you say that I am?
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LIVESTREAM WORSHIP

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Welcome to Live Stream worship. We're glad you've found your way to Peace!

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+ GATHERING +

PRELUDE *He Comes to Us as One Unknown* Jim Hunt, Violin

GATHERING HYMN *We Are All One in Mission* **ELW #576**

1 We all are one in mis - sion; we all are one in call,
 2 We all are called for ser - vice, to wit - ness in God's name.
 3 Now let us be u - nit - ed, and let our song be heard.

our var - ied gifts u - nit - ed by Christ, the Lord of all.
 Our min - is - tries are dif - f'rent; our pur - pose is the same:
 Now let us be a ves - sel for God's re - deem - ing Word.

A sin - gle great com - mis - sion com - pels us from a - bove
 to touch the lives of oth - ers with God's sur - pris - ing grace,
 We all are one in mis - sion; we all are one in call,

to plan and work to - geth - er that all may know Christ's love.
 so ev - 'ry folk and na - tion may feel God's warm em - brace.
 our var - ied gifts u - nit - ed by Christ, the Lord of all.

GREETING

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C **And also with you.**

P You are the treasured people of the Lord

C **a people holy to the Lord our God.**

P Keep the words of the Lord in your heart; teach them to your children.

C **Talk about them when you are at home and when our away, when you lie down
and when you rise.**

P One does not live by bread alone,

C **but every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord.**

SCRIPTURE SONG

Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil

ELW #512

Lord, let my heart be good soil, o-pen to the seed of your word.

Lord, let my heart be good soil, where love can grow and peace is un-der-stood.

When my heart is hard, break the stone a - way. When my heart is cold,
warm it with the day. When my heart is lost, lead me on your way.

Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart be good soil.

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray together:

C **O God, with all your faithful followers of every age, we praise you, the rock of our life. Be our strong foundation and form us into the body of your Son, that we may gladly minister to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

+ WORD +

FIRST READING: Romans 12:1-8

Paul offers practical advice to the Roman Christians, suggesting new ways of relating to God, to the world, to the self, and to other believers.

I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship.
²Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God--what is good and acceptable and perfect.

³For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. ⁴For as in one body we have many members, and not all the members have the same function, ⁵so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. ⁶We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; ⁷ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in teaching; ⁸the exhorter, in exhortation; the giver, in generosity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

L The word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S TIME

Melanie Coulson

L The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 16th Chapter.

C **Glory to you, O Lord.**

GOSPEL: Matthew 16:13-20

At a climactic point in Jesus' ministry, God reveals to Peter that Jesus is "the Messiah, the Son of the living God," and Jesus responds by revealing his vision of the church.

Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" ¹⁴And they said, "Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." ¹⁵He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" ¹⁶Simon Peter answered, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God." ¹⁷And Jesus answered him, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven. ¹⁸And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it. ¹⁹I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." ²⁰Then he sternly ordered the disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.

L The Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

Rev. David Hahn

HYMN OF THE DAY

Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good

ELW # 871 vs 1-2

1 Sing praise to God, the high - est good, the au - thor of cre -
2 What your al - might - y pow'r has made, in mer - cy you are
3 We sought the Lord in our dis - tress; O God, in mer - cy
4 All who con - fess Christ's ho - ly name, give God the praise and

a - tion! O God of love, you un - der - stood our need for
keep - ing; by morn - ing glow or eve - ning shade, your eye is
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+ PRAYER +

PRAYERS

Petitions are offered that end with:

P Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

OFFERING

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OFFERTORY

For the Fruit of All Creation

ELW #679

TUNE: AR HYD Y NOS

1. For the fruit of all creation, thanks be to God.
For these gifts to ev-'ry nation, thanks be to God.
For the plowing, sowing, reaping, silent growth while we are sleeping,
future needs in earth's safe-keeping, thanks be to God.

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OFFERTORY PRAYER

L Merciful God,

C God of goodness and growth, all creation is yours, and your faithfulness is as the heavens. Water and word, wine and bread: these are signs of your abundant grace. Nourish us through these gifts, that we might proclaim your steadfast love in our communities and in the world, through Jesus Christ, our strength and our song. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

David Haas

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, we sing the prayer of Jesus:

Our Fa - ther in heav - en, hal - low - ed be your
name, your king - dom come, your will be done on
earth as in heav - en. Give us to - day our
dai - ly bread. For - give us our sins as
we for - give those who sin a - gainst us.

Save us from the time of trial and de -
liv - er us from e - vil, for the king - dom, the pow'r and the
glo - ry are yours, now and for ev - er.

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BLESSING

P The Triune God, Creator, + Redeemer, and Spirit, bless and keep you in eternal love.

C Amen.

+ SENDING +

SENDING HYMN

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who is by one and all a - dored.
God is the Lord, and God a - lone:

P Go in peace, Christ is with you. C Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

God Created Heaven and Earth

Jim Hunt, Violin



Wherever the summer finds you, whether you are staying close to home, enjoying God's good creation, or doing otherwise, know that Christ remains close at hand.