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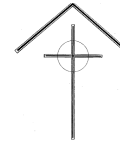
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Welcome to Wilton Presbyterian Church

October 11, 2020
WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

We are glad that you found us and that you are here. We are a progressive, welcoming and inclusive congregation seeking both to know Christ and to make Christ known to people from all walks of life. We pray that we will become better acquainted with you.

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Shannon White

Prelude

“Let Us Build A House”

Zachary Wright

*Responsive Call to Worship

Leader : The whole world is in God’s hands.

People: Everything that lives and breathes. Everything that simply is. Everything.

Leader : From the farthest spaces, to the inmost places!

People: God is with us and we are with God. Alleluia!

Leader : As people of Christ, gathered at table, with our sisters and brothers around the world, to remember whose we are, we praise —

People: Alleluia! Thanks be to God!

Leader: Shall we pray?

**People: With all that we have, with all that we are,
we worship you, God-of-all-Being.
Bless this day. Bless this time. Bless this gathering.
Bless this world, with your overflowing love. Alleluia! Amen! (Canada)**

*Unison Opening Prayer

**God of brilliant sunsets and shining rainbows,
God of golden daffodils and glowing autumn leaves,
God of all the blues of sunlit seas,
God of all the shades of green in bush and field,
in rivers and oceans and lakes,
in rough stones on a beach and polished jewels in a showcase,
God of people, brown and amber, pink and ebony,
artistic and athletic, practical and visionary,
compassionate and laughter-bringing,
God who colours us a world of variety,
We thank you that you have made each of us unique,
that you call us to contribute our special colours to the life around us.
We come to you in thanksgiving and worship. Amen.
(Aotearoa/New Zealand)**

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Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

Matthew 22:1-14

Homily

Prayers of the People

Service of The Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Leader: Let us pray...

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.

Words of Institution

Sharing the Bread and Cup

Unison Prayer after Communion

We give you thanks O Lord, for all food that has arrived at our table from your generosity. Bless the people who have made it possible, from the cultivation of the earth until it arrived to us. Give bread to those who are hungry, and to those who have bread give us hunger for you. Amen

(Mexico, grace contributed from an orphanage in Colima, may not be the original source)

*Benediction

May the God of Life, be your guide on the road every day,
be your refuge in times of uncertainty and be your rest in times of fatigue.

May the God of Life, strengthen you when you feel weak,
comfort you when you feel sad and hug you when you feel alone.

May the God of Life, who loves you and knows you,
cover you with the tenderness of a Mother.

Forever.

Amen.

(Argentina)

Postlude

"This Little Light of Mine"

Zachary Wright



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