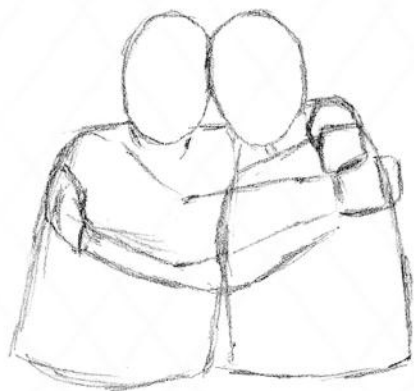


Synod of Saskatchewan

Online Worship

A Synod-wide online worship ministry - Summer 2020

Special thanks to Dr. Jo Szostak (Summer Students' Supervisor), Rev. Amanda Currie and Rev. Roberto DeSandoli (Summer Students' mentors) and those who are ministering in today's worship: Gillian Lyons (Pianist), Terri-Lynn Mitchell (Choir Conductor), Fran Gordon (Hymn Leader), Margaret Wilson (Clarinet), Stephen Kreuger (Bass), Members of the St. Andrew's Choir, Rev. Bob & Sheila Wilson, Carole Cann, and Dylon Nippi.



Another Side of Justice

Samuel Andri

We acknowledge that the people of the Synod of Saskatchewan worship on Treaty 4 and Treaty 6 Territory. These treaties encompass the traditional territories of numerous First Nations including Cree, Ojibwe, Dene, Saulteaux, Dakota, Nakota, and Lakota, as well as being the homeland of the Métis Nation. The Synod Summer Students are leading in worship from the Vancouver School of Theology, which is located on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Musqueam People.

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude and Welcome

Rev. Roberto DeSandoli

Call to Worship

Bob & Sheila Wilson

Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!

Let the nations be glad and sing with joy,
for you guide the nations upon earth.

Let the people praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!

Hymn (lyrics provided) - *All are Welcome*

Prayer of Adoration & Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Passing the Peace

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Time with Young Christians

Rev. Roberto DeSandoli

Hymn #751 - *Forgive Our Sins As We Forgive*

Prayer of Illumination

Carole Cann

Scripture Reading:

Genesis 45:1-15

Carole Cann

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God!

Sermon

Samuel Andri

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Hymn #632 - Help Us Accept Each Other

Prayers of the People

Dylon Nippi

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, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Presenting our gifts to God

Samuel

Anthem "Hine Ma Tov" (Naplan/Ross)

Prayer of Dedication

Samuel

Hymn #692 - Where Charity and Love Prevail

Commissioning & Benediction

Rev. Roberto DeSandoli

Choral Amen (#780): **Amen, amen, amen.**

Gillian Lyons

Postlude

"Great is Thy Faithfulness" (Runyan/Shackley)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join our Zoom fellowship soon after today's worship!

"Virtual Munch & Mingle"

the Zoom link was sent by email together with the bulletin

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NOTES

HYMN 1 ALL ARE WELCOME

Let us build a house where love can dwell and all can safely live,
a place where saints and children tell how hearts learn to forgive.
Built of hopes and dreams and visions, rock of faith and vault of
grace; here the love of Christ shall end divisions:
All are welcome, all are welcome, all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where prophets speak, and words are strong
and true, where all God's children dare to seek to dream God's reign
anew.
Here the cross shall stand as witness and as symbol of God's grace;
here as one we claim the faith of Jesus:
All are welcome, all are welcome, all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where love is found in water, wine, and wheat:
a banquet hall on holy ground where peace and justice meet.
Here the love of God, through Jesus, is revealed in time and space; as
we share in Christ the feast that free us:
All are welcome, all are welcome, all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where hands will reach beyond the wood and
stone to heal and strengthen, serve and teach, and live the Word
they've known.
Here the outcast and the stranger bear the image of God's face;
let us bring an end to fear and danger:
All are welcome, all are welcome, all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where all are named, their songs and visions
heard and loved and treasured, taught and claimed as words within
the Word.
Built of tears and cries and laughter, prayers of faith and songs of
grace, let this house proclaim from floor to rafter:
All are welcome, all are welcome, all are welcome in this place.

#751: FORGIVE OUR SINS AS WE FORGIVE

1. 'Forgive our sins as we forgive,'
you taught us, Lord, to pray,
but you alone can grant us grace
to live the words we say.

2. How can your pardon reach and bless
the unforgiving heart,
that broods on wrongs and will not let
old bitterness depart?

3. In blazing light your cross reveals
the truth we dimly knew:
what trivial debts are owed to us,
how great our debt to you!

4. Lord, cleanse the depths within our souls,
and bid resentment cease;
then, bound to all in bonds of love,
our lives will spread your peace.

#632 HELP US ACCEPT EACH OTHER

1. Help us accept each other as Christ accepted us;
teach us as sister, brother, each person to embrace.
Be present, Lord, among us and bring us to believe
we are ourselves accepted and meant to love and live.

2. Teach us, O Lord, your lessons, as in our daily life
we struggle to be human and search for hope and faith.
Teach us to care for people, for all not just for some,
to love them as we find them or as they may be come.

3. Let your acceptance change us, so that we may be moved
in living situations to do the truth in love;
to practice your acceptance until we know by heart
the table of forgiveness and laughter's healing art.

4. Lord, for today's encounters with all who are in need,
who hunger for acceptance, for righteousness and bread,
we need new eyes for seeing, new hands for holding on:
renew us with your Spirit; Lord, free us, make us one!

#692 WHERE CHARITY AND LOVE PREVAIL

Where charity and love prevail, there God is ever found;
Brought here together by Christ's love, by love are we thus bound.

With grateful joy and holy fear His charity we learn;
Let us with heart and mind and soul now love him in return.

Forgive we now each other's faults as we our faults confess;
And let us love each other well in Christian holiness.

Let strife among us be unknown, let all contention cease;
Be His the glory that we seek, be ours His holy peace.

Let us recall that in our midst dwells God's begotten Son;
As members of His body joined, we are in Him made one.

No race or creed can love exclude, if honored be God's name;
Our family embraces all whose Father is the same.