



THE OASIS

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST



Sunday, July 15, 2018 ♦ 10:00 A.M.

“To be commanded to love God at all, let alone in the wilderness, is like being commanded to be well when we are sick, to sing for joy when we are dying of thirst, to run when our legs are broken. But this is the first and great commandment nonetheless. Even in the wilderness - especially in the wilderness - you shall love him.”

- Frederick Buechner

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THE COMMUNITY GATHERS...

Opening and Welcome

*Gathering Song

“O God, Our Help In Ages Past”

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home.

A thousand ages in your sight
Are like an evening gone,
Short as the watch that ends
the night
Before the rising sun.

Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received its frame,
From everlasting you are God,
To endless years the same.

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Still be our guard while
troubles last,
And our eternal home.

*Opening Prayer

*Song of Praise

*Holy, holy, holy,
My heart, my heart adores you
My heart is glad to say the words,
“You are holy, Lord.”*

Passing the Peace:

“You are blessed by God, and you are a blessing from God.”

TO HEAR GOD’S WORD...

For the Child in Us All

Scripture Reading:

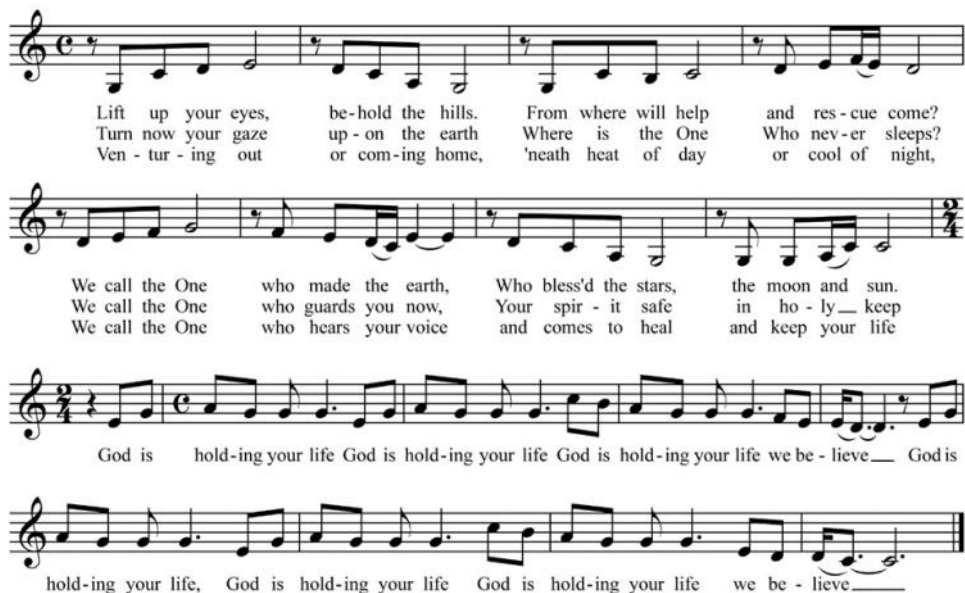
Psalm 63

Musical Reflection:
"O God, You Are My God"
Tom Fettke

Sermon:
"My Soul Thirsts For You"

TO RESPOND IN FAITH...

Hymn
"God Is Holding Your Life"



Lift up your eyes, be-hold the hills. From where will help and res-cue come?
Turn now your gaze up - on the earth Where is the One Who nev-er sleeps?
Ven - tur - ing out or com-ing home, 'neath heat of day or cool of night,

We call the One who made the earth, Who bless'd the stars, the moon and sun.
We call the One who guards you now, Your spir - it safe in ho - ly__ keep
We call the One who hears your voice and comes to heal and keep your life

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AND GO FORTH IN LOVE.

***Closing Hymn**

“Where the Road Runs Out”

Where the road runs out and the signposts end,
where we come to the edge of today,
be the God of Abraham for us,
send us out upon our way.

Refrain

*Lord, you were our beginning,
the faith that gave us birth.
We look to you, our ending,
our hope for heaven and earth.*

When the coast is left and we journey on
to the rim of the sky and the sea,
be the sailor’s friend, be the dolphin Christ
lead us in to eternity. **(Refrain)**

When the clouds are low and the wind is strong,
when tomorrow’s storm draws near,
be the spirit bird hovering overhead
who will take away our fear. **(Refrain)**

***Benediction**