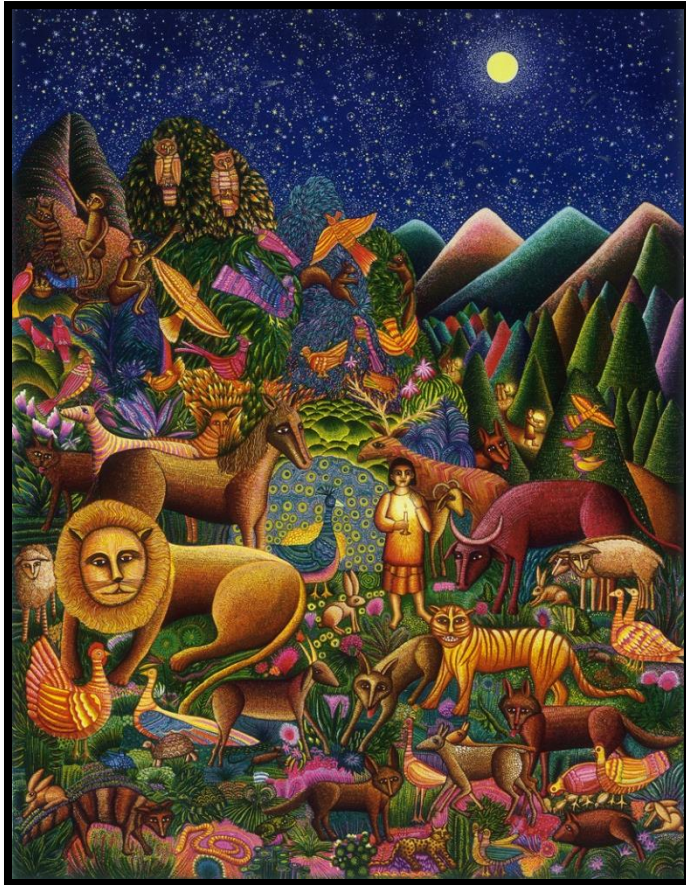


Wellesley Village Church

Congregational † United Church of Christ



Lenten Theme: Journey to Jerusalem

Sunday, February 21, 2021

10:00am Virtual Worship

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

“O Welt sieh hier dein Leben”
“O World, See Here Your Life”
Catherine Liddell, baroque lute

Georg Gebel

WELCOME & MEDITATION

Sean Patrick Coady

OPENING HYMN

“I Want Jesus to Go with Me”

Will Farrell, Celeste Godin, Kevin McDonald, Vera Savage, voice
David Carrier, organ

1 I want Je - sus to go with me;
2 In my tri - als, O com - fort me;
3 When I'm in trou - ble, O stay with me;

I want Je - sus to go with me;
In my tri - als, O com - fort me;
When I'm in trou - ble, O stay with me;

All a - long my pil - grim jour - ney,
When my heart is al - most break - ing,
When my head is bowed in sor - row,

O I want Je - sus to go with me.
O I want Je - sus to com - fort me.
O I want Je - sus to stay with me.

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Michaela McDonald

SONG OF PREPARATION Psalm 51 Gregorian Chant, Tone 4
Ed Broms, piano & voice

Have mercy upon me, O God, after thy great goodness; * according to the multitude of thy mercies do away mine offences.

Wash me thoroughly from my wickedness, * and cleanse me from my sin.
For I acknowledge my faults, * and my sin is ever before me.

Against thee only have I sinned, and done this evil in thy sight; * that thou mightest be justified in thy saying, and clear when thou shalt judge.

Thou shalt make me hear of joy and gladness, * that the bones which thou hast broken may rejoice.

Turn thy face from my sins, * and put out all my misdeeds.

Make me a clean heart, O God, * and renew a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away from thy presence, * and take not thy holy Spirit from me.

O give me the comfort of thy help again, * and stablish me with thy free Spirit.

Thou shalt open my lips, O Lord, * and my mouth shall show thy praise.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost:

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Diane Seaborn

KYRIE

“Jesu Dulcis Memoria” “Lord Have Mercy”
David Carrier, organ & voice

arr. David Carrier

Lord have mercy upon us,
Christ have mercy upon us,
Lord have mercy upon us.

SCRIPTURE

Genesis 9:8-17
Mark 1:9-15

Bob Feeny

SERMON

“Take a Walk on the Wild Side”

MUSICAL MEDITATION

“Pray for the Wilderness”

Chris Tomlin

Sanctuary Choir, voice

David Carrier, organ

Pray for the wilderness vanishing fast,
Pray for the rain forest, open and vast;
Pray for the waterfalls, pray for the trees,
Pray for the planet brought down by
degrees.

Work for the justice created things need,
Work for the health of each plant and its seed;
Work for the creatures abuse has betrayed,
Work for the garden God’s wisdom once
made

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Gary Gillis

LORD’S PRAYER

“The Lord’s Prayer”

Mark Miller

Lori Bruce, voice; Ed Broms, piano

Our God, in hea-ven, ho-ly is your name, your
reign come, your will done, on earth as in hea-ven.
Give us to-day our dai-ly bread, and help us for-give, as we have been for-giv-en.
In the time of tri-al lead us in-to light, for yours is the kin-dom, and the
po-wer, and the glo-ry, for-e-ver. Our God, in
hea-ven, ho-ly is your name, ho-ly is your name.

COMMON LIFE & PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Sarah Sarchet Butter

CLOSING HYMN

“Pray for the Wilderness”
Sanctuary Choir, voice
David Carrier, organ

Pray for the atmosphere, pray for the sea,
Learn from the river, the rock, and the tree;
Work ‘til shalom in full harmony rings,
Trust the connection of all living things.

BENEDICTION WITH PEACE OF CHRIST

Bob Feeny

POSTLUDE

“Aria”
David Carrier, organ

Georgi Mushel

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*All are welcome to join us for Zoom Coffee Hour following virtual worship (approx. 11 am).
The link is found here or from the website home page and the weekly e-news Village News.*

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Lenten worship on Sundays and Meditations on Wednesdays

Lent is a season for honest contemplation, and for responding faithfully to God's call in our lives. During Lent we will consider our interconnectedness with one another – and all the complexity and hope that brings. Join us for worship on Sundays and meditation on Wednesdays.



LENT *Virtual*
WORSHIP
Streaming Sundays at 10am

Join us for 5 weeks of Lenten worship, a holy season of prayerfulness, confession, contemplation, and trust that God is with us as together we *Journey to Jerusalem*

- February 21
Rev. Bob Feeny
- February 28
Rev. Sean Patrick Coady
- March 7
Rev. Dr. Sarah Butter
- March 14
Rev. Pam Emslie
- March 21
Rev. Diane Seaborn



THIRTY *on Zoom*
GOOD MINUTES
Wednesday Meditations in Lent

Choose a time that works well for you and join us each Wednesday throughout Lent for "Thirty Good Minutes" of meditation & prayer led by your pastors on Zoom. Come, be centered in the sacred story, as we *Journey to Jerusalem* together.

- 10:00am
with Sarah & Michaela
- 7:00pm
with Bob & Sean Patrick
- 8:30pm
with Pam & Diane

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