

Wellesley Village Church

Congregational † United Church of Christ

Summer Worship

9:00 am Chapel

June 18, 2023

Our Scripture Today:

Philippians 4:1; 4-9



What a blessing it is to have you here today!
Please use this QR code to register your presence
on our new online church attendance check-in web page.



ORDER OF WORSHIP

*Please rise in body or in spirit.

PRELUDE

“Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring”

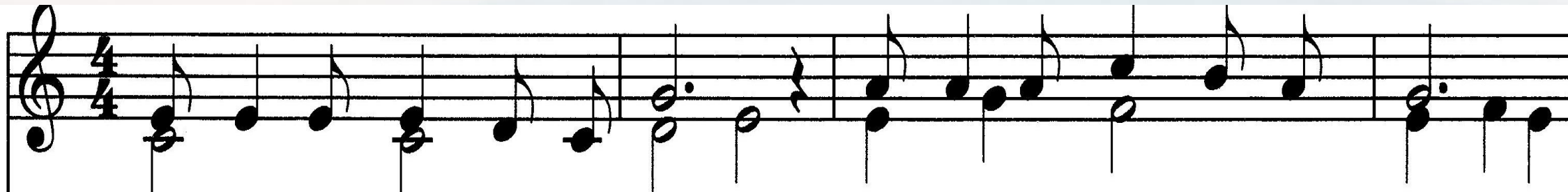
J.S. Bach

Kristjon Imperio, piano

WELCOME & COMMON LIFE

Sarah Sarchet Butter

***GATHERING SONG** "Enter, Rejoice and Come In"



1 En - ter, re - joice, and come in. En - ter, re - joice, and come in.
2 O - pen your-self to the song. O - pen your-self to the song.
3 O - pen your hearts ev - ery - one. O - pen your hearts ev - ery - one.
4 Don't be a - fraid of some change. Don't be a - fraid of some change.
5 En - ter, re - joice, and come in. En - ter, re - joice, and come in.



To - day will be a joy - ful day; en-ter, re-joice, and come in.

PSALM READING

Martha Schick

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth.

² Serve the LORD with gladness;
come into the Lord's presence with singing.

³ Know that the LORD is God.

It is God who made us, and we are God's;^[a]
we are God's people and the sheep of God's pasture.

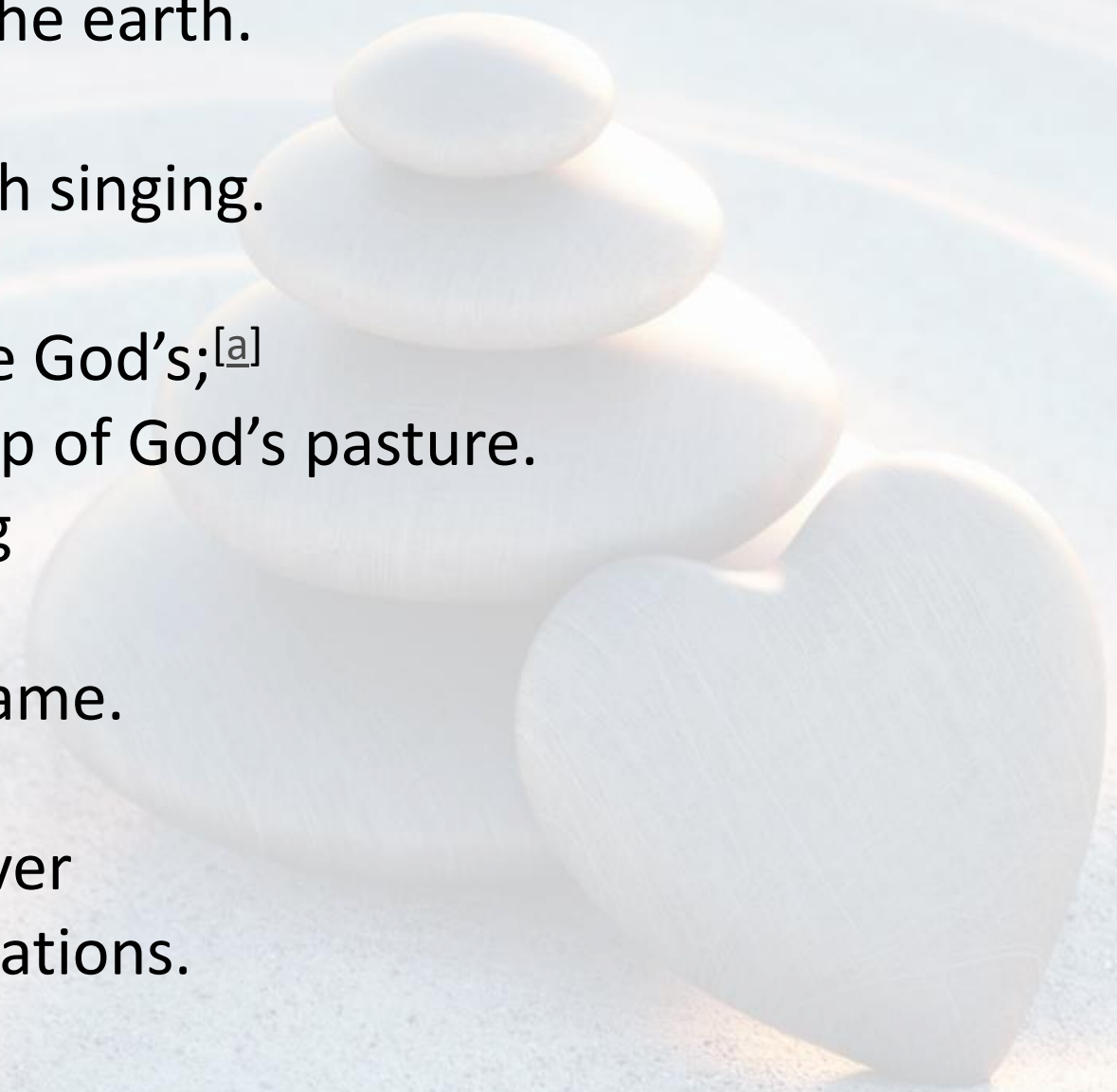
⁴ Enter God's gates with thanksgiving
and God's courts with praise.

Give thanks to God; bless God's name.

⁵ For the LORD is good;

God's steadfast love endures forever
and God's faithfulness to all generations.

REFLECTION



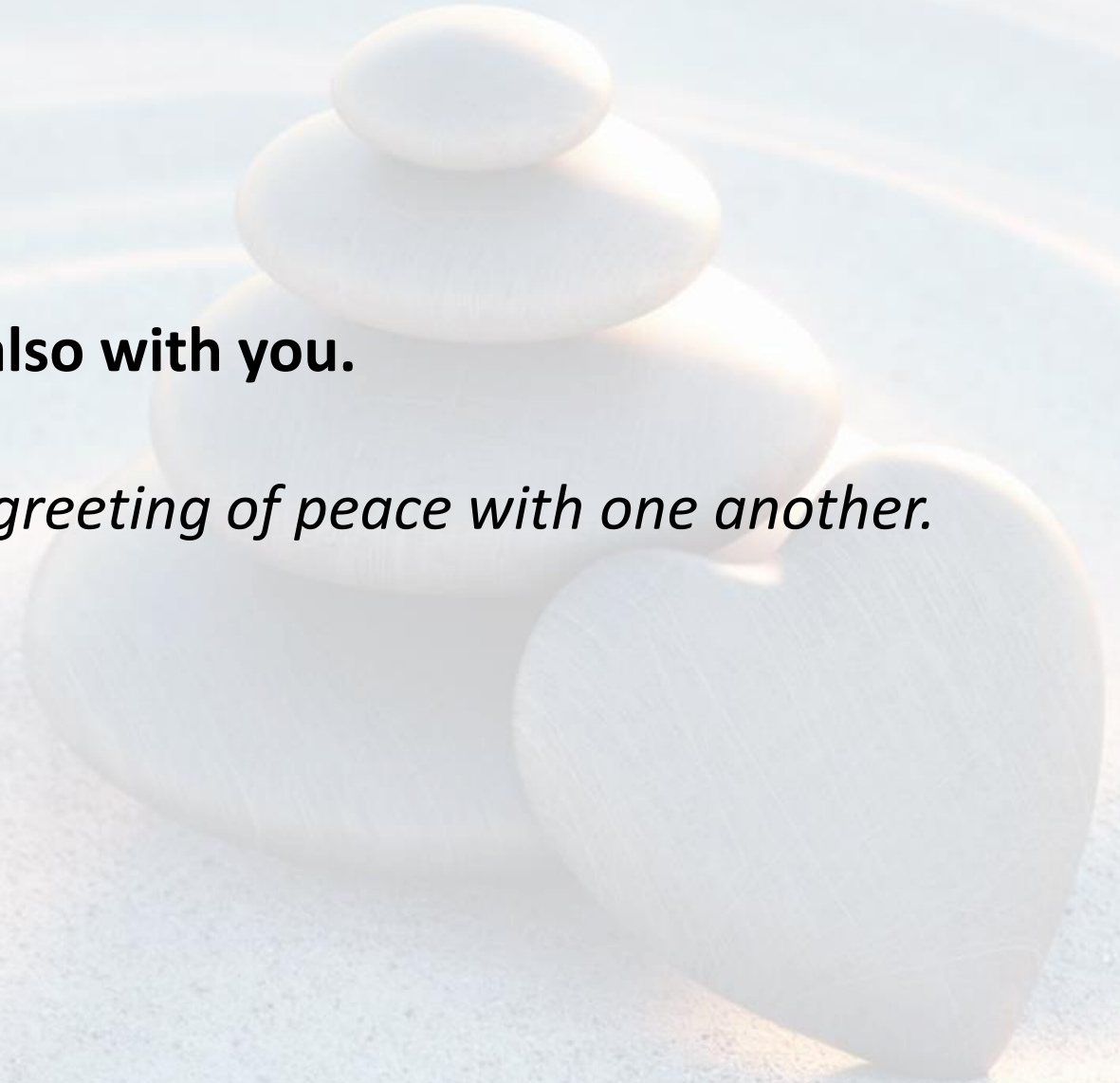
MUSICAL RESPONSE (Instrumental) “Joy”

Jim Brickman

***SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

The peace of Christ be with you, **and also with you.**

Please stand as you are able and share a greeting of peace with one another.



SUNG RESPONSE

“I’ve Got Peace Like a River”

I’ve got peace like a river
I’ve got peace like a river
I’ve got peace like a river
In my soul

I’ve got joy like a fountain...

I’ve got love like an ocean...



SCRIPTURE

Philippians 4:1; 4-9

Megan Berkowitz

REFLECTION / HOMILY

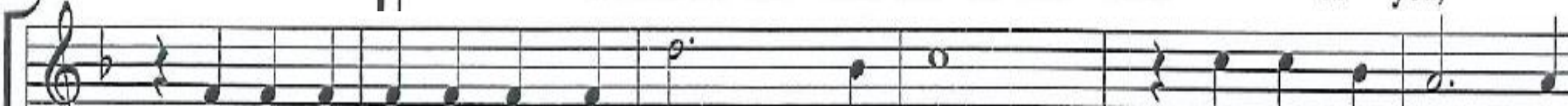
TIME OF PRAYER




MUSICAL RESPONSE “Taste and See” Verses



1. I bless the Lord in ev - 'ry place and time,
2. Now join with me and glo - ri - fy the Lord.
3. Look on the Lord and let God shine on you;



In praise of God I shall lift up my voice my soul shall make its
To - ge - ther let us praise God's might - ty name. I sought the Lord and
let not your face be hid - den, turned a - way. The poor cry out, and



boast in God a - lone. hear now, all hum - ble peo - ple, — and re - joice.
God has an - swered me; and set me free from all my — fear and shame
God will heed their call, and res - cue them from trou - ble ev - 'ry day.

MUSICAL RESPONSE “Taste and See” Chorus

Refrain

Taste and see, taste and see the good - ness of the Lord. —

— O taste and see, taste and see the

good - ness of the Lord, — of the Lord.

The image shows a musical score for a chorus. It consists of three systems of music. The first system is the vocal line, starting with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (Bb), and a 4/4 time signature. The lyrics are 'Taste and see, taste and see the good - ness of the Lord. —'. The second system is the piano accompaniment, starting with a treble clef and the same key signature and time signature. The lyrics are '— O taste and see, taste and see the'. The third system is the vocal line, starting with a treble clef and the same key signature and time signature. The lyrics are 'good - ness of the Lord, — of the Lord.' The music features various note values including quarter, eighth, and half notes, as well as rests and a fermata over the final note of the first system.

INVITATION TO PRAYER STATIONS

PRAYER STATION MUSIC

COMMUNION

All are welcome to participate in
Holy Communion at Christ's table.

To make an online offering:

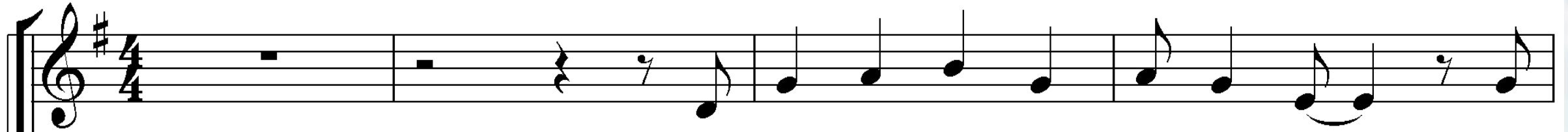


THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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 trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen.**

*CLOSING SONG

“How Can I Keep from Singing” Verses



My life flows on in end-less song, a-
Through all the tum-ult and the strife, I
What though the tem-pest round me roar, I



bove earth's la - ment - a - tion, I hear the real, though far-off hymn, that
hear that mus - ic ring ing. It sounds an ech - o in my soul, How
hear the truth, it liv - eth. What though the dark-ness round me close, songs



hails a new cre - a - tion
can I keep from sing-ing?
in the night, it giv - eth.

***BENEDICTION**

***SENDING MUSIC** “If My People Will Pray” *Dino Kartsonakis*

Thank you for joining us today!

*Please join us in the Cloister Garden
to share in fellowship and lemonade.*

We invite you to scan this QR code
to learn about upcoming
common life events and
opportunities, or to give.

