

PRELUDE, WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

MEDITATION MUSIC:

World Day 2024 video

CALL TO WORSHIP:

OPENING SONG: *For Everyone Born* (Shirley Erena Murray – additional verses C. McAvoy)

♪ *For everyone born, a place at the table, to live without fear and simply 'to be'
To work to speak out to witness & worship for everyone born, the right to be free*

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*For gay & for straight a place at the table a covenant shared a welcoming space,
a rainbow of race & gender and colour. Identified all; the chalice of grace*

***Chorus: And God will delight when we are creators of justice and joy,
compassion and peace. Yes God will delight when we are creators of
justice, justice and joy.***

*(words by Carolyn) For all in this land, a place at the table.
Indigenous born, or 'come from away' –
God's love is for all, di-vis-ions he shatters
in Jesus we know , that ev'- ry child matters*

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*(words by Carolyn) For all in the world, today as we worship
in every time zone, the table is spread
From isles in Pacific – to right here in Oakville
all over the world, God's people are fed*

***Chorus: And God will delight when we are creators of justice and joy,
compassion and peace. Yes God will delight when we are creators of
justice, justice and joy.***

*(words by Carolyn) For everyone born a place at the table
This will be my song, wherever I go
Forgiveness, and love and grace for each person
For everyone born I believe this is so.*

***Chorus: And God will delight when we are creators of justice and joy,
compassion and peace. Yes God will delight when we are creators of
justice, justice and joy.***

CHILDREN'S TIME: #639 *We are marching/Siyamhamba* (South African trad)

DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERINGS

♫ *Anthem: #828 You are holy, you are whole*

(Per Harling)

♫ *Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me, & to the Spirit, whose love has set me free. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, Amen*

SCRIPTURES: Psalm 133; Acts 2:42-47

Reader: Knollis Johnson

♫ *O look and wonder how good it is!
Mi-ren que bueno, que bueno es!
Oh, qu'il est mer-veill-eux, qu'il est doux!*

Leader: How very good and pleasant it is when kindred live together in unity.

All: It is like the precious oil on the head, running down the beard, on the beard of Aaron, running down over the colour of his robes!

♫ *O look and wonder how good it is!
Mi-ren que bueno, que bueno es!
Oh, qu'il est mer-veill-eux, qu'il est doux!*

Leader: It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountain of Zion.

All: For there the Lord ordained the blessing of life forevermore.

♫ *O look and wonder how good it is!
Mi-ren que bueno, que bueno es!
Oh, qu'il est mer-veill-eux, qu'il est doux!*

<p><i>This is the word of the Lord - ...thanks be to God.</i></p>
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MEDITATION: “*Bread for the World*”

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION:

- *Words of Invitation*
- *Prayer and Lord's Prayer: (said)*

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 and ever, AMEN

- *Words of Institution & Sharing of Gifts (Hymn: Table of Grace)* (Barbara Hamm)
- *Closing Prayer*

CLOSING HYMN: #563 *Let us talents and tongues employ*

(Fred Kaan)

BENEDICTION & BLESSING SONG: *Go now in peace*

(Don Besig)

POSTLUDE: