

Wesley Park United Methodist Church

Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost

9:15 am - September 30, 2018

We Gather Together

Prelude

Entrance of the Light of Christ

Welcome

*Call to Worship

Season of Creation

One: All dogs and cats, large and small:

All: **Praise the Lord!**

One: All rabbits, hamsters, and guinea pigs:

All: **Praise the Lord!**

One: All goldfish, guppies, and swimming creatures:

All: **Praise the Lord!**

One: All robins, wrens, and singing birds:

All: **Praise the Lord!**

One: All bats, squirrels and raccoons:

All: **Praise the Lord!**

One: All horses, cows, and sheep:

All: **Praise the Lord!**

One: All lizards, snakes and creeping things:

All: **Praise the Lord!**

One: Every animal in the sky, the sea, and the forest:

All: **Praise the Lord!**

*Hymn #147

All Things Bright and Beautiful

Children's Blessing

Chancel Choir

Creation Will Be at Peace

We Receive the Word

Scripture

Genesis 6:17-22

Season of Creation: Blessing of All Creation

Rev. Dean N. Prentiss

We Respond to the Word

*Hymn #62

All Creatures of Our God and King

Offering Gifts to God and the World

Stewardship Invitation

Offertory

*Doxology #64

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.

Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,

God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

God, our Creator, help us to love all creatures as our kin, all animals as our partners on Earth, all birds as messengers of praise, all small beings as expressions of your mysterious design and all frogs as voices of hope. Bless these gifts. Multiply them so that your Peaceable Kingdom may come. Amen.

We Go Forth Into the World

*Hymn TFWS #2008

Let All Things Now Living

Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude

**Please stand as you are able or comfortable.*

Our Mission is to build a Christian community with all people.

Our vision: by 2018, Wesley Park will strive to inspire from the youngest to the oldest and everybody in between to live out the greatest commandment: to love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength, and love your neighbor as yourself.

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9:15 am Worship Servants:

☀ **Greeters:** Lynda Edsall, Nancy Chambers, Betty Stoutjesdyk

☀ **Ushers:** Kathy DenHollander, Deb Hodges, Chuck & Sally Dear

☀ **Acolytes:** Maddie & Isabelle Brink

☀ **Nursery:** Skyler Maitner, Pat Essex (9:15)

☀ **Information Desk:** Jane Johnson

☀ **Musicians:** Sara Kropp, Adrienne Prentiss, Dave Strumfeld

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