



Sunday, October 4, 2020
Trinitarian Congregational Church
Concord, Massachusetts

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION TO THE SERVICE

HYMN #332 (v. 1, 2, 4) ***Live into Hope*** (organ and congregation)

Live into hope of captives freed, of sight regained, the end of greed.
The oppressed shall be the first to see the year of God's own jubilee.
Live into hope of liberty, the right to speak, the right to be,
The right to have one's daily bread, to hear God's word and thus be fed.
Live into hope of captives freed from chains of fear or want or greed.
God now proclaims our full release to faith and hope and joy and peace.
Amen.

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PRAYER OF INVOCATION

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (Carrie O'Brien)

HYMN #379 (v. 1 & 2) ***My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*** Sawyer & Bob Lawson

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly lean on Jesus' name
Refrain: On Christ the solid rock I stand
All other ground is sinking sand
All other ground is sinking sand

When darkness veils his lovely face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil

Refrain: On Christ the solid rock I stand
All other ground is sinking sand
All other ground is sinking sand

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SCRIPTURE READING	2 Kings 6:8-23	Read by Willie Page
SERMON	<i>Open Our Eyes</i>	Rev. June Cooper
ANTHEM	<i>He's Able</i>	Old South Gospel Choir
PRAYERS	Pastoral Prayer, Prayer Requests & Silent Prayer, The Lord's Prayer	
SOLO	<i>Be Thou My Vision</i>	Emily Roos

OFFERING OF GIFTS

Call to Stewardship

Liz Haff

Hymn of Praise (tune: *Old Hundredth*)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

HYMN #513 (v. 1 & 2) ***Let Us Break Bread Together*** (piano and congregation)

Let us break bread together on our knees,
Let us break bread together on our knees,
When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us drink wine together on our knees,
Let us drink wine together on our knees,
When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

Invitation

Communion Prayer

Sharing of the Elements

Prayer of Thanksgiving

HYMN #440 (v. 1-3) ***In Christ There Is No East or West*** (piano and congregation)

In Christ there is no east or west, in Him no south or north,
But one community of love throughout the whole wide earth.

In Christ shall true hearts everywhere their high communion find,
His service is the golden cord close-binding humankind.

Join hands, disciples of the faith, whate'er your race may be,
All children of the living God are surely kin to me. Amen.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

A Gaelic Blessing

Matt DiBattista

Words adapted from an old Gaelic rune. Music by John Rutter (b. 1945)

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Fellowship in Breakout Rooms

Worship Leaders

Rev. Robert Brown, Senior Minister; Rev. Gail Miller, Minister for Congregational Life; Rev. June Cooper, Executive Director City Mission; Carrie O'Brien, Director of Children's Ministries; Victoria Wagner, Director of Music.

Announcements