



BRESLAU MENNONITE CHURCH
April 23, 2017

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Accompanist	Simone P
Readers	Fred N, Erin B, Noah E, Alex C, Maria K

CELEBRATING THE CREATOR AND CREATION

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship and Prayer

- 1 In the warm, bright sun of spring, we watch excitedly
the green shoots rising, the red buds bursting.
We see and feel life awaken in our presence.
We thank you, O God, for the breath of new life.
- 2 Gentle, cleansing rains wash away the dusty grays of winter
and draw the sap and nectars of new growth.
We see and taste nature made new and colourful.
We thank you, O God, for the breath of new life.
- 3 In the soft breezes of approaching summer,
birds are chirping, rabbits are hopping, and children are laughing at play.
We see and hear life reborn.
We thank you, O God, for the breath of new life.
Fragrant lilies and hyacinths bloom
in the company of all manner of flowering trees and shrubs,
beside pools of recharged waters.
we see and smell the reflection of renewal.
We thank you, O God, for the breath of new life.
Praise be to you, O God, for all of creation.

Hymns

Let's sing unto the Lord #55 HWB
I sing the mighty power of God #46 HWB

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Giving Our First Fruit Offerings

Children's Offering: Children's School Project in Kenya

Scripture

Psalm 148

Hymn

Praise the Lord, sing hallelujah #50 HWB

Children's Story

Ella S

Sharing

Oliver B and Kyle GH

Hymn

All things bright and beautiful v 1-2 #156 HWB

Sharing

Katherine C and Dale W

Hymn

All things bright and beautiful v 3-4 #156 HWB

Sharing
Scripture
Hymn
Sharing Our Joys and Concerns
Praying Together
Hymn
Benediction
Postlude

Jillian B
Genesis 1
'Tis the gift to be simple

Sizohamba naye #78 STJ

**We welcome all to our church community.
Following the worship time, you are invited to enjoy coffee,
juice, and conversation.**