

Sunday July 24, 2016

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Chorister Janice K
Accompanists Marlys N, Paul H
Readers The Epp and Klassen Families

Welcome to God's Abundant Garden

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship Based on Psalm 104

God set the earth on its foundations, so that it will never be shaken.

God waters the mountains and the earth is satisfied with the fruit of God's work.

God causes the grass to grow for the cattle and nurtures plants for people to use.

God brings forth food from the earth and bread to strengthen the human heart.

All creation looks to God to give them their food in due season; when God opens God's hand, we are filled with good things.

We will sing to the LORD as long as we live, with gratitude we will sing praise to our God as long as we have breath. Praise be to God!

Prayer

Song For the Beauty of the Earth #89 HWB

Giving From What God Has Provided

Prayer of Thanksgiving
Giving Our First Fruit Offerings
Children's Offering Send'Em Off Smiling

Life Began in a Garden

Scripture Reading

Genesis 2:5-9, 15-17; 3:17-19

Reflection Song

As Rain from the Clouds #40 STJ

Where Flowers Bloom So Does Hope

Scripture Reading

Matthew 6:25-29

Children's Story

Song Scripture Reading In the Bulb There Is A Flower #614 HWB

Amos 9:14; Isaiah 51:3

Reflection Written by Andy Wade

Reflection

Tending Our Gardens

Song I Saw a Tree By The Riverside #116 STS

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Praying Together

Song of Response You Are All We Have #29 STJ

A Reflection on Gardening by Christine Sine

Reflecting in the Garden

Inviting Refection Singing

You Shall Go Out With Joy #427 HWB Halle, halle, hallelujah #17 STJ

He's got the whole

world in his hands 4x

He's got the wind and the rain in his hands 4x He's got our neightbourhood garden in his hands 4x He's got everybody here in his hands 4x

Benediction

We welcome all to our church community.

Following the worship time, you are invited to enjoy coffee, juice and conversation in the community garden.