


## Weekly Highlight

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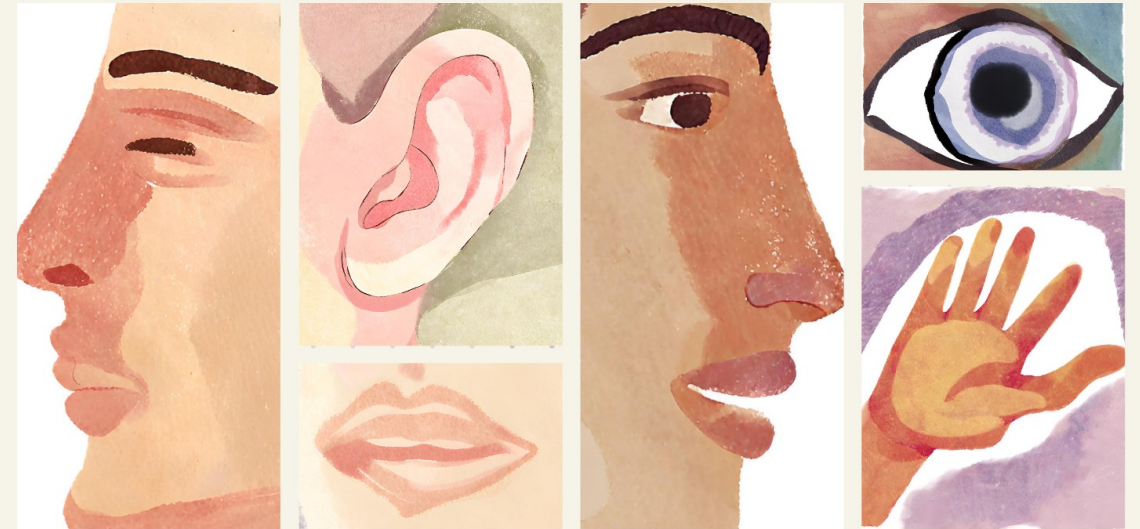
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# SENSE-ABILITY



# SEEING



**CENTREVILLE**  
United Methodist Church

April 14, 2024  
9:30 AM Traditional  
Worship Service

## The Service of Worship

(Please silence electronic devices)

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Matthew Smith

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Prelude

*Song of Gladness*  
Good News Ringers

Sherman

\*Call to Worship

Rev. Geitra Mickelson

Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob,

**Whose hope is in the Lord their God.**

The Lord sets the prisoners free,

**The Lord opens the eyes of the blind.**

The Lord will reign forever, for all generations.

**Praise the Lord!**

\*Opening Hymn

*All Things Bright and Beautiful*

Hymnal No. 147

\*Passing the Peace of Christ

Rev. Matthew Smith

Opening Prayer

Rev. Geitra Mickelson

**O God, who lifts us up, sets us free, and watches over us, visit us this day. Lift our spirits, and free our minds. Open our eyes and hearts to Your words, Your will, and the miracle of Your holy presence, that we may encounter You in the meeting of friends and in kindness to strangers. And when we see a need, free us for joyful obedience, for we ask it in Jesus' name. Amen.**

Anthem

*Gaudeamus Hodie*

Sleeth

Translation: Let us rejoice today

Voices in Praise and Carol Choir

Jen Ita and Anna Tiesler, piano duet; Sam Elson - percussion

Children Dismissed to Kid's Quest

Reception of New Member

Anne Scroggs

Congregational Response

**We rejoice to recognize you as a member of Christ's holy church, and bid you welcome to this congregation of the United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to uphold it by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness. With God's help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ that, surrounded by steadfast love, you may be established in the faith, and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.**

First Lesson

Psalm 46:8-10

Anne Muradaz

Come, behold the works of the LORD; see what desolations he has brought on the earth. He makes wars cease to the end of the earth; he breaks the bow,

and shatters the spear; he burns the shields with fire. "Be still, and know that I am God! I am exalted among the nations, I am exalted in the earth."

\*Hymn

*Open My Eyes, That I May See*

Hymnal No. 454

Second Lesson

1 John 1:1-4

Anne Muradaz

We declare to you what was from the beginning, what we have heard, what we have seen with our eyes, what we have looked at and touched with our hands, concerning the word of life— this life was revealed, and we have seen it and testify to it, and declare to you the eternal life that was with the Father and was revealed to us— we declare to you what we have seen and heard so that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ. We are writing these things so that our joy may be complete.

Response

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

Sense-Ability: "Seeing"

Rev. Matthew Smith

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Geitra Mickelson

**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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Celebration of Our Giving

Rev. Geitra Mickelson

Offertory

*Here I Am, Lord*

arr. Linker

Laura Hesse, organ

Please take a moment to register your attendance in the pew folders.

\*Presentation of Offering/Doxology

Hymnal No. 95

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Rev. Geitra Mickelson

\*Closing Hymn

*See the Morning Sun Ascending*

Hymnal No. 674

\*Benediction

Rev. Matthew Smith

\*Benediction Response

*Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace*

Hymnal No. 668

Postlude

*Look Ye Saint, the Sight Is Glorious*

arr. Manz

Laura Hesse, organ

*Please join us in the lobby for our art show and in the fellowship hall across from the sanctuary for refreshments and conversation.*

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United Methodist Church

April 14, 2024  
11:00 AM Relaxed Traditional  
Worship Service



## The Service of Worship

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| Prelude  | <i>All Things Bright and Beautiful</i><br>Laura Hesse, organ | arr. Burkhardt        |
| Welcome and Announcements<br>Leader: The Lord be with you.<br><b>People: And also with you.</b>  |  | Rev. Matthew Smith    |
| *Opening Hymn  | <i>All Things Bright and Beautiful</i>                       | Hymnal No. 147        |
| *Passing the Peace of Christ   |  | Rev. Matthew Smith    |
| Children Dismissed to Kid's Quest  |  |                       |
| Congregational Prayer/The Lord's Prayer<br>Leader: Lord in Your mercy,<br><b>People: Hear our prayer.</b>  |  | Rev. Geitra Mickelson |
| <b>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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.</b> |  |                       |
| First Lesson   | Psalm 46:8-10  | Alison Machmer        |
| *Hymn  | <i>Open My Eyes, That I May See</i>                          | Hymnal No. 454        |
| Second Lesson  | 1 John 1:1-4   | Alison Machmer        |
| Response<br>Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.<br><b>People: Thanks be to God.</b>   |  |                       |
| Sermon   | Sense-Ability: "Seeing"                                      | Rev. Matthew Smith    |
| A Service of Word and Table<br>The Great Thanksgiving<br>The Lord be with you.<br><b>And also with you.</b><br>Lift up your hearts.<br><b>We lift them up to the Lord.</b><br>Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.<br><b>It is right to give our thanks and praise.</b>   |  |                       |

*The pastor gives thanks, remembering God's acts of salvation, and concludes:  
And so, with Your people on earth and all the company of heaven  
We praise Your name and join their unending hymn:*

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*The pastor continues the thanksgiving and concludes:  
And so, in remembrance of these Your mighty acts in Jesus Christ,  
We offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving  
as a holy and living sacrifice,  
in union with Christ's offering for us,  
as we proclaim the mystery of faith.*

**Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

*The pastor invokes the work of the Holy Spirit and the Trinity and concludes:  
Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the  
world the body of Christ, redeemed by His blood.*

**Amen.**

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| Giving the Bread and Cup<br>Communion Meditation | <i>Be Thou My Vision</i><br>Jason Moon, soloist | Chilcott |
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| Celebration of Our Giving |  | Rev. Geitra Mickelson |
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| Offertory | <i>Here I Am, Lord</i><br>Laura Hesse, organ | arr. Linker |
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| *Presentation of Offering/Doxology |  | Hymnal No. 95 |
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| *Closing Hymn | <i>See the Morning Sun Ascending</i> | Hymnal No. 674 |
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| *Benediction |  | Rev. Matthew Smith |
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| *Benediction Response | <i>Let Us Now Depart in Peace</i> | Hymnal No. 668 |
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