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9:30 AM Traditional Worship August 24, 2025

# FULLY HUMAN

DOMINION



#### The Service of Worship

(Please silence electronic devices.)

Welcome Rev. Matthew Smith

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

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

Announcements Rev. Phil Mohr

Prelude The Spacious Firmament on High arr. Bish

Laura Hesse, organ

\*Call to Worship Rev. Geitra Mickelson

Come, let us worship God who made heaven and earth.

We rejoice in God's goodness and give thanks for the gift of creation.

God has entrusted the earth into our care.

We honor this calling with gratitude and faithfulness.

With praise on our lips and commitment in our hearts,

We will worship God, our Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer.

\*Opening Hymn All Things Bright and Beautiful Hymnal No. 147

\*Passing the Peace of Christ Rev. Phil Mohr

Children Dismissed to Kids Quest Rev. Phil Mohr

Psalter Reading Psalm 8:1-9 (Response 1) Hymnal Pg. 743

Anthem O Lord, Most Holy Franck

In Dal Choi, baritone

Old Testament Lesson Genesis 1:26-31 Jane Moschenrose

\*Gospel Lesson Luke 16:10-12 Jane Moschenrose

Response

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

People: Thanks be to God.

\*Hymn Morning Has Broken Hymnal No. 145

Sermon "Fully Human: Dominion" Rev. Matthew Smith

\*Affirmation of Faith A Statement of Faith of the United Church of Canada

We are not alone,

we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,

who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the Church:
to celebrate God's presence,
to live with respect in Creation,
to love and serve others,
to seek justice and resist evil,
to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,
our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

\*Gloria Patri Glory Be to the Father Hymnal No. 70

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. Phil Mohr

Offertory Wade in the Water arr. Burleigh

John Bachmann, bass baritone

\*Presentation of Offering/Doxology Hymnal No. 95

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving Rev. Phil Mohr

\*Closing Hymn God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens Hymnal No. 150

\*Benediction Rev. Matthew Smith

\*Benediction Response Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace Hymnal No. 668

Postlude For the Fruit of All Creation arr. Stoldt

Laura Hesse, organ

Please join us in the fellowship hall across from the sanctuary for refreshments and conversation.

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11:00 AM Relaxed Traditional Worship August 24, 2025

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Prelude For the Beauty of the Earth arr. Burkhardt

Laura Hesse, organ

Rev. Matthew Smith Welcome

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Rev. Phil Mohr **Announcements** 

Hymnal No. 147 \*Opening Hymn All Things Bright and Beautiful

\*Passina the Peace of Christ Rev. Phil Mohr

Children Dismissed to Kids Quest Rev. Geitra Mickelson

Congregational Prayer and The Lord's Prayer Rev. Geitra Mickelson

Leader: Lord in Your mercy, People: Hear our prayer.

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.

Psalter Reading Psalm 8:1-9 (Response 1) Hymnal Pg. 743

Old Testament Lesson Genesis 1:26-31 Ben Ivv

Then God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness, and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth." So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth."

God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Anthem Magnificent Marvelous Matchless Love Gettv

Praise Band

Luke 16:10-12 Gospel Lesson

"Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much, and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own?"

Response

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"Fully Human: Dominion" Rev. Matthew Smith Sermon

A Service of Word and Table The Great Thanksaivina

The Lord be with you.

And also with you. Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The pastor continues, 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, 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.

Invitation to Giving

As you come forward for communion, you are invited to bring your tithes and offerings and place them in the offering baskets.

Receiving the Bread and Cup

Communion Meditation God of Wonders

Praise Band

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\*Closing Hymn Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly

Praise Band

\*Benediction Rev. Matthew Smith

Reprise of Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly Postlude

Praise Band

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