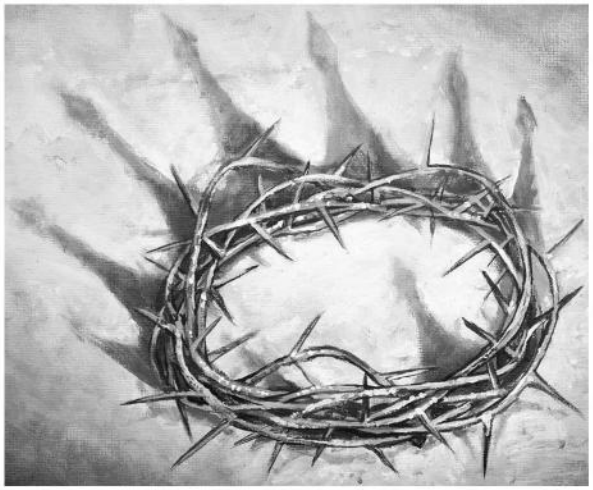
AUG 23

Synod of Saskatchewan Online Worship

A Synod-wide online worship ministry - Summer 2020

Special thanks to Dr. Jo Szostak (Students' Supervisor), Rev. Amanda Currie and Rev. Roberto DeSandoli (Students' mentors) and those who are ministering in today's worship: Gillian Lyons (Pianist), Terri-Lynn Mitchell (Choir Conductor), Matthew Neufeld (Hymn Leader), Orlanda Drebit (Soloist), Peter Gravlin (Flute), Rev. Sunny Lee, Rev. Bob Wilson, Rev. George Yando, Rev. Stewart Folster.



Following the Lowly Messiah

Samuel Andri

We acknowledge that the people of the Synod of Saskatchewan worship on Treaty 4 and Treat 6 Territory. These treaties encompass the traditional territories of numerous First Nations including Cree, Ojibwe, Dene, Saulteaux, Dakota, Nakota, and Lakota, as well as being the homeland of the Métis Nation. The Synod Summer Students are leading in worship from the Vancouver School of Theology, which is located on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Musqueam People

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude *Interlude #1 (Mark Hayes)* *Gillian Lyons*

Welcome *Rev. Roberto DeSandoli*

Call to Worship *Rev. Sunny Lee*

We give you thanks, O Lord, with all our hearts
for your faithful love endures forever.

We sing your praise, O Lord, with all our might
for your promises speak of your goodness to all the earth.

We place our trust in you, O Lord, with full confidence
for your salvation continues from generation to generation.
And so we come to worship you, O Lord, and lift up our hearts in praise.

Hymn #425 - *We Praise You, O God*

Prayer of Adoration & Confession *Rev. Bob Wilson*

Assurance of Pardon & Passing the Peace *Rev. Bob Wilson*

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Time with Young Christians *Rev. Roberto DeSandoli*

Hymn #570 - *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*

Prayer of Illumination *Rev. George Yando*

Scripture Reading: *Rev. George Yando*

Psalm 138

Matthew 16:13-20

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God!

Sermon *Samuel Andri*

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Hymn #683 - *I Know Not Why Such Wondrous Love*

Prayers of the People — *Rev. Stewart Folster*

The Lord's 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Presenting our gifts to God — *Rev. Sunny Lee*

Solo — *Quién Dicen que Soy Yo/ Who Do You Say That I Am (Jaime Cortez)* — *Orlanda Drebit, Gillian Lyons, Peter Gravlin*

Prayer of Dedication — *Rev. Sunny Lee*

Hymn #699 - *All The Way My Saviour Leads Me*

Closing Remarks — *Rev. Amanda Currie, Rev. Roberto DeSandoli*

Commissioning & Benediction — *Rev. Roberto DeSandoli*

Choral Amen (#780): ***Amen, amen, amen.***

Postlude — *"Great is Thy Faithfulness" (Runyan/Shackley)* — *Gillian Lyons*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join our Zoom fellowship soon after today's worship!
"Virtual Munch & Mingle"
the Zoom link was sent by email together with the bulletin

Watch the video recording of today's worship at:

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NOTES

#425: WE PRAISE YOU O GOD

1. We praise you, O God, our Redeemer, Creator;
in grateful devotion our tribute we bring.
We lay it before you; we kneel and adore you;
we bless your holy name; glad praises we sing.

2. We worship you; God ever faithful, we bless you;
through life's storm and tempest our guide you have been.
When perils o'ertake us, you will not forsake us,
and with your help, O Lord, life's battles we win.

3. With voices united our praises we offer,
and gladly our songs of true worship we raise.
Our sins now confessing, we pray for your blessing;
to you, our great Redeemer, forever be praise.

#570: I HAVE DECIDED TO FOLLOW JESUS

1. I have decided to follow Jesus;
I have decided to follow Jesus;
I have decided to follow Jesus,
No turning back, no turning back.

2. The world behind me, the cross before me;
the world behind me, the cross before me;
the world behind me, the cross behind me,
No turning back, no turning back.

3. Though none go with me, I still will follow;
though none go with me, I still will follow;
though none go with me, I still will follow;
No turning back, no turning back.

4. Will you decide now to follow Jesus?
Will you decide now to follow Jesus?
Will you decide now to follow Jesus?
No turning back, no turning back.

#632: I KNOW NOT WHY SUCH WONDROUS LOVE

1. I know not why such wondrous grace
to me God has made known;
nor why, unworthy as I am,
Christ claimed me for his own,

Refrain:
but I know whom I have believed
and am persuaded that Christ is able
to keep that which I've committed
unto him against that day.

2. I know not why this saving faith
to me God did impart,
nor how believing in the word brought
peace into my heart,

Refrain

3. I know not how the Spirit moves,
convincing me of sin,
revealing Jesus through the word,
creating faith in him:

Refrain

#699: ALL THE WAY MY SAVIOUR LEADS ME

1. All the way my Saviour leads me; what have I to ask beside?
Can I doubt his tender mercy who through life has been my guide?
Heavenly peace, divinest comfort,
here by faith in him to dwell; for I know, whate'er befall me
Jesus doeth all things well.

2. All the way my Saviour leads me,
cheers each winding path I tread,
gives me grace for every trial,
feeds me with the living bread.

Though my weary steps may falter,
and my soul athirst may be,
gushing from the rock before me,
lo, a spring of joy I see.

3. All the way my Saviour leads me,
oh the fullness of his love!
Perfect rest to me is promised
in my Father's house above.
When my spirit, clothed immortal,
wings its flight to realms of day,
this my song through endless ages,
'Jesus led me all the way!'