

10:00am
Traditional Worship
Sanctuary



HENNEPIN
AVENUE UMC

January 13, 2019

Where + is indicated, standing or sitting, we praise God.
You are invited to read aloud the bold text.

We Gather to Worship God

PRELUDE *Praise the Lord with Drums and Cymbals* Sigfrid Karg-Elert
Copper Street Brass, Percussion & Organ

CENTERING Rev. Nate Melcher

WELCOME Rev. Judy Zabel


+ HYMN NO. 64 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!* NICAEA



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! though the dark - ness hide thee,
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!



Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to
cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y
though the eye made blind by sin thy glor - y may not
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and



thee. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and
sea; cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be -
see, on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be -
sea. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and

**BUILDING
BRIDGES,
DISMANTLING
RACISM**

Racism, White
Privilege and the
Bridge to a New
America

**BUILDING BRIDGES,
DISMANTLING RACISM**



A six-week sermon series beginning Jan 6 based on the book *America's Original Sin* by Jim Wallis

Jan 6 Epiphany Sunday
America's Original Sin, Embedded Racism
Isaiah 58:1-14
Rev. Nate Melcher

Jan 13 Jim Wallis Guest Preaching
The Idolatry of Whiteness
Matthew 25:31-46

Jan 20 Sabbath to End Homelessness
Repentance and the Beloved Community
Ezekiel 18:26-32; Matthew 3:1-12; Acts 2:1-47; Galatians 3:23-29
Rev. Judy Zabel

Jan 27 From Warriors to Guardians: Reforming the Criminal Justice System
Amos 5:6-24
Rev. Judy Zabel

Feb 3 Welcoming the Stranger: Immigration
Deuteronomy 10:12-22; Luke 10: 25-37; Hebrews 13:1-3
Rev. Frenchye Magee

+RESPONSIVE LITANY

Rev. Nate Melcher

**I have given you as a light to the nations,
and I have called you in righteousness.**

Thus says God, who created the heavens,
who fashioned the earth and all that dwells in it;
Who gives breath to the people upon it
and spirit to those who walk in it:

**I have given you as a light to the nations,
and I have called you in righteousness.**

I am the Lord and I have called you in righteousness,
I have taken you by the hand and kept you;
I have given you as a covenant to the people,
a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind,

To bring out the captives from the dungeon,
from the prison, those who sit in darkness.

**I have given you as a light to the nations,
and I have called you in righteousness.**

I am the Lord—that is my name; my glory I give to no other.

**Glory to you Lord, and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning is now
and shall be forever. Amen.**

ANTHEM

Can We Sing the Darkness to Light?
Sanctuary Choir

Kyle Pederson

*What if instead of more violence
We let our weapons fall silent?
No more revenge or retribution
No more war or persecution.
It could be beautiful.
What if instead of our judgment
We soften our hearts that have hardened?
Instead of certainty and pride*

*We love and sacrifice.
It could be beautiful.
Can we see the other as our sister or brother?
Can we sing the darkness to light?
Sounding chords of compassion and grace
Set the swords of judgement aside
Let mercy's eyes
See the other human face.*

LIFE AT HENNEPIN AVENUE UMC

Rev. Nate Melcher

Children are invited forward for the Time with Children.

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Rev. Nate Melcher

+ SHARING THE PEACE

May the peace of God be with you.

And also with you.

Please greet each other by name and with a sign of reconciliation and peace.

GIVING OUR TITHES, OFFERINGS & OURSELVES

Rev. Frenchye Magee

MUSICAL OFFERING

The Dream Isaiah Saw
Sanctuary Choir; Copper Street Brass

Glenn Rudolph

*Lions and oxen will sleep in the hay,
Leopards will join with the lambs as they play,
Wolves will be pastured with cows in the glade,
Blood will not darken the earth that God made.*

*Little child whose bed is straw,
Take new lodgings in my heart,
Bring the dream Isaiah saw:
Life redeemed from fang and claw.*

*Peace will pervade more than forest and field;
God will transfigure the violence concealed
Deep in the heart and in systems of gain,
Ripe for the judgment the Lord will ordain.*

*Little child whose bed is straw,
Take new lodgings in my heart.
Bring the dream Isaiah saw:
Justice purifying law.
Nature reordered to match God's intent,
Nations obeying the call to repent,
All of creation completely restored,
Filled with the knowledge and love of the Lord.*

*Little child whose bed is straw,
Take new lodgings in my heart.
Bring the dream Isaiah saw:
Knowledge wisdom, worship, awe.*

+ PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS & DOXOLOGY (NO. 95)

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Maker, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

+ PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Rev. Judy Zabel

In Our Prayers This Week

Hospice

Doug Jeranson

In Hospital

Diane Bowers

Kai Tune (grandson of Tony
Lawrence & Jean Anderson)

Care Center

Rosemary Buell

LaVonne Grover

Recovering at Home

Marcene Johnson

Richard Riedel (father of Darin
Riedel)

Arvida Steen

Prayer Requests

Bob Beach

E. Sharon Hayenga

Family of Bernard Gipson

Michelle and Debbie Malouf

Our Koinonia Retreat Center Guests

Cretin Durham Hall Retreat

College of St. Benedict New

Faculty Retreat

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Baptism of Warren Augustus

Gebauer

Sager Brown Mission Trip

Safe rescue of missing teenager

Jayne Closs

Prayers for Our World

That wisdom, integrity, and
servant leadership would guide
our local, state, and national
governance

For missing & murdered children
and teens and all who love them

For all whose life work is to
dismantle systemic racism

For those who are homeless

For the care and protection of
vulnerable adults & the elderly

For those who seek asylum at the
southern US border, especially
families who have been
separated

We Hear the Word

+GOSPEL READING

Matthew 25:31-46(NRSV)

Rev. Frenchye Magee

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

The Idolatry of Whiteness

Rev. Jim Wallis

We Respond to the Word

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Judy Zabel

SHARING OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

We Take the Word Into the World

The Acolytes lead us in carrying the light of Christ into the world.

+ HYMN NO. 581 *Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service* ABBOT'S LEIGH

Lord, whose love through hum - ble ser - vice bore the
Still — your chil - dren wan - der homeless; still the
As — we wor - ship, grant us vi - sion, till your
Called by wor - ship to — your ser - vice, forth in

weight — of hu - man need, who up - on the
hun - gry cry — for bread; still the cap - tives
love's — re - veal - ing light in its height and
your — dear name we go to the child, the

cross, for - sak - en, of - fered mer - cy's per - fect
 long — for free-dom; still in grief — we mourn our
 depth and greatness dawns up - on — our quick - ened
 youth, the a - ged, love in liv - ing deeds to

deed: we, your ser - vants, bring — the wor-ship
 dead. As, O Lord, your deep — com - pas - ion
 sight, mak - ing known the needs — and bur-dens
 show; hope and health, good will — and com-fort,

not of voice a - lone, but heart, con - se - crat - ing
 healed the sick and freed the soul, use — the love your
 your com - pas - sion bids us bear, stir - ring us to
 coun - sel, aid, — and peace we give, that your ser - vants,

to — your purpose ev - ery gift that you im - part.
 Spir - it kin-dles still to save and make us whole.
 tire - less striving your a - bun - dant life to share.
 Lord, in freedom may your mer - cy know, and live.

The countries and people of
 Yemen, Syria, Venezuela,
 Guatemala & Dem. Republic of
 Congo

Prayers for Our Church

For the United Methodist Church,
 our mission, ministry, and future
 You are invited to pray each day
 from 2:23-2:26pm for the 864
 delegates and 200 alternates
 who will attend the 2019 General
 Conference.

+ BENEDICTION

Rev. Judy Zabel

+ POSTLUDE

My Spirit Be Joyful
 Copper Street Brass

J.S. Bach
 arr. Tim Bradley



Clergy

Frenchye Magee, Associate Pastor of
Congregational Care &
Invitational Discipleship

Nate Melcher, Associate Pastor of
Faith Development

Judy Zabel, Senior Pastor

Jim McChesney, Pastoral Care/Visitation

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We are honored to welcome Rev. Jim Wallis

Jim Wallis is president and founder of Sojourners in Washington, DC. a non-profit faith-based organization, network, and movement whose mission statement calls for “putting faith into action for social justice.” He is editor-in-chief of Sojourners magazine and web site which has a combined print and electronic media readership of more than a quarter million people with several million unique visitors to the website, sojo.net, each year.



Wallis is a bestselling author, public theologian, national preacher, social activist, and international commentator on ethics and public life. His latest book, *America's Original Sin: Racism, White Privilege, and the Bridge to a New America* was released in January 2016. Wallis has written eleven previous books, including *The (Un)Common Good* and the New York Times bestsellers *God's Politics* and *The Great Awakening*.

He is a frequent speaker in the United States and abroad, has written for major newspapers, does regular columns for Huffington Post and TIME.com, and appears frequently on ABC, CNN, MSNBC, Fox News, and NPR; on shows from Jon Stewart's Daily Show to the O'Reilly Factor and Sunday shows like This Week and Meet the Press. Wallis also teaches at Georgetown University and has taught at Harvard University. He served on President Obama's first White House Advisory Council on Faith-based and Neighborhood Partnerships and as the chair of the Global Agenda Council on Values of the World Economic Forum.

Progressive Christianity

Will not meet today, but will meet next week, January 20, at 11:15am in the Harrison room.

Salon se Lève

Today, 2:30pm in the Art Gallery

We present two first prize winners of the Thursday Musical Competition: flutist Elizabeth Kleiber and pianist Emma Taggart, winner of Minnesota Orchestra Young People's Concerto Competition. The performance is free, and the community is cordially invited.

Short-Term LYFE Groups:

America's Original Sin

Join the church-wide discussion about anti-racism. Sign up for a 5-week LYFE Group opportunity to discuss *America's Original Sin: Racism, White Privilege, and the Bridge to a New America* by Jim Wallis. Groups being offered:

- Sundays at 7:00pm with Pastor Nate Melcher, begins today in the Longfellow room
- Tuesdays at 7:00pm with Michelle & Mike DeVaughn, begins Jan. 15 at their home
- Wednesdays at 6:30pm with Bryan Carter & Kristy Barnes, begins Jan. 16 in the Longfellow Room
- Sundays at 11:30am with Heather Alden and Maren Jensen, begins Jan. 27 in the Longfellow Room

Register at haumc.org/register.

The Salvation of Dr. Who:

Small Group Study Led by Curtis Johnson

Mondays, 7pm in the Longfellow Room

Bring your sonic screwdriver and explore the intersection of faith and science through the beloved TV series *Doctor Who* in video-based group discussion. Study books are \$10—pick yours up at the first class. This group is free and open to everyone. Register at haumc.org/register.

Pub Theology

January 16, 6pm Sisyphus Brewing
712 Ontario Ave W #100, Minneapolis

This drop-in group of Hennepin members and friends age 21+ gathers monthly to discuss faith, life, stress, family, and so on with a tasty beverage. Invite a friend to join you, and learn more at haumc.org/pubtheology.

Ricardo Levins Morales Reception

January 18, 6pm in Carlson Hall

All are welcome to attend a special "Meet the Artist" reception hosted by the Fine Arts Team. This will be an opportunity to interact with Ricardo Levins Morales and his graphic art. In addition, The Ricardo Levins Morales 2019 Liberation Calendar, a colorful and informative collection of Morales prints and important stories of hope, resilience and resistance, will be available (\$15 each) at the reception desk.

Life Adventures: Meet Exotic Malta

January 18, 12 noon in the Social Hall

Hennepin seniors and friends, how Lucky are we to travel to Malta with Hennepin's own John and Evelyn Anderson during this cold month of January? We'll experience scenes from this fascinating island. **Prepaid reservations are due by noon, tomorrow.** Cost is \$18 and includes lunch.

"Building Community" Sabbath to End Homelessness Observance

January 20

Come join in an educational and enriching observance of the Sabbath to End Homelessness featuring Joe Kreisman, Director of the Downtown Congregations to End Homelessness, at the 8:30am Sacred Journey worship service; special liturgy and sermon at the 10am Traditional worship celebration; and a 11:15am Sunday Forum with Dr. William Walsh of Envision Community – a collaborative offering housing and healthcare solutions to persons without homes through tiny house communities. All morning, visit Carlson Hall to learn how to participate in actions to help end homelessness led by representatives of The Dignity Center, Street Voices of Change, and the Homes for All Coalition.

Parenting for LYFE

January 20, 11:15am in the Social Hall

This is an open, drop-in group that meets monthly to discuss all things parenting. We welcome parents with children of all ages. We will begin 2019 by welcoming early childhood expert and author Dr. Dawn Rundman, who will introduce her book, "Little Steps, Big Faith." In her book, she navigates current early childhood brain research to arrive at surprising insights about how very young children experience God and how parents can use science to teach faith.

Entry Point: Becoming a Member

January 20, 11:30am in the Longfellow Room

If you are interested in becoming a member of HAUMC, please join us at Entry Point to meet Rev. Judy Zabel and have your questions about membership answered. Child care is available. **RSVP to Larry Duncan at 612-435-1309 or larry@haumc.org.**

Church Conference

January 27, 11:15am in the Sanctuary

There will be a church conference for the purpose of receiving and approving the 2019 budget. All Hennepin members are eligible to attend and vote. Child care will be provided.

Get full details of upcoming events:

- subscribe to our weekly digital newsletter, at haumc.org/email
- visit the events page of our website, haumc.org/events, and select Announcements Calendar
- request a printed copy of the weekly newsletter from the receptionist

We Welcome You!



We're glad you're here, and we'd love to get to know you better. Please leave your contact information in the **Friendship Pads** found in each pew. If this is your first visit, welcome. If you are returning, welcome back!

Pick up your welcome bag as you leave.

Grab a cup of coffee in Carlson Hall. Our thanks to Jim Cone of Coffee and Tea, Ltd.—our coffee supplier.

Enjoy Sunday Brunch in the Social Hall. From 10am to 12noon, enjoy a delicious Sunday Bruch spread, prepared by Chef Warren Seta. The recommended cost is \$7 per person, but don't stay away if you cannot pay. Fellowship and food is available for everyone.

We love children. At Hennepin, there's a place for every child on Sunday mornings! Our services are family-friendly, and Sunday school is just down the hall. Wee Ones (children ages newborn to 3) are welcome in Nursery Care, where loving volunteers will care for your child while you worship. The Nursery is located in room 101 of the Education Wing. Ask an usher or the receptionist if you would like help finding this room.

Sacred Journey welcomes people of all ages to worship with us. Sacred Journey is full of music and movement to keep you and your family engaged.

At **Traditional Worship** in the Sanctuary, our play-and-pray area provides a comfortable rug and baskets of quiet toys for kids to use. Following the opening prayers and blessings, children ages 3-13 are invited to participate in Time with Children at the front of the Sanctuary, and then follow their friends and teachers to join in our Hennepin Kids for LYFE Sunday School programming in the Education Wing. Your children are welcome to stay with you, too. You will find worship bags containing child-friendly activities, as well as baskets of children's books, at all sanctuary entrances.

Tour our beautiful building. Meet at the front of the Sanctuary following 10:00am traditional worship service.

Thank you for giving!
You can give online at www.haumc.org/give or fill out an envelope in your pew. Hunger Offerings fund our Outreach ministries. See www.haumc.org/outreach for more information.



Worship from wherever you are: Watch the Live Stream at www.haumc.org/live or download the app: **HAUMC Live Stream**

Communion Service
8:00am in Border Chapel

Sacred Journey
8:30am in Art Gallery

Traditional Worship
10:00am in Sanctuary

About HAUMC



HAUMC is a **Reconciling** congregation and welcomes all persons without regard to age, race, culture, sexual orientation, gender identity, family configuration, religious background, economic status, or developmental and physical ability.

Our Mission

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Our Vision

We will grow in our love of God and neighbor, welcome new people and heal a broken world.

Our Values

Radical Hospitality
Passionate Worship
Intentional Faith Development
Risk-Taking Mission & Service
Extravagant Generosity

Caring Community

Pastoral Care: Please notify the church office if you, a family member or any other loved one is experiencing illness, hospitalization, or is in need of pastoral care. Please call 612-871-5303 and ask for Pastoral Care, ext. 771 or email PastoralCare@haumc.org.