PRELUDE
Musical Improvisation
by Daryl Boudreaux, Steven Hobert, Interim Music Director

WELCOME & CENTERING
Rev. Judy Zabel
Senior Minister

GATHERING SONG
Hidden Things
Ariella Forstein
Steven Hobert

I will show you hidden things,
hidden things you have not known.

POEM
Small Kindnesses by Danusha Lameris
Read by Sarah Longacre

BLESSING THE SPACE BETWEEN US
Rick Belbutoski
Director of Youth & Young Adults

We come together today to celebrate God’s blessings for us.
Surely God is with us in all places! We come together today to
glimpse the hope that Christ has for us. Open our hearts,
Creator God, to receive that hope. We come to pray, worship,
and offer ourselves to God. Praise be to God who continues to
bless and restore us. Amen.

THE SCRIPTURE
Luke 10:25-37(NRSV)
Rick Belbutoski

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. “Teacher,” he said, “what
must I do to inherit eternal life?” He said to him, “What is written
in the law? What do you read there?” He answered, “You shall love
the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and
with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as
yourself.” And he said to him, “You have given the right answer; do
this, and you will live.”

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, “And who is my
neighbor?” Jesus replied, “A man was going down from Jerusalem
to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him,
beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead.
Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, ‘Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.’ Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?” He said, “The one who showed him mercy.” Jesus said to him, “Go and do likewise.”

**SONG**

**All You Need is Love**  
Ariella Forstein  
Words and music: McCartney and Lennon  
Steven Hobert

Love, love, love  
Love, love, love  
Love, love, love

There’s nothing you can do that can’t be done  
Nothing you can sing that can’t be sung  
Nothing you can say, but you can learn how to play the game  
It’s easy

Nothing you can make that can’t be made  
No one you can save that can’t be saved  
Nothing you can do, but you can learn how to be you in time  
It’s easy

All you need is love  
All you need is love, love  
Love is all you need

There’s nothing you can know that isn’t known  
Nothing you can see that isn’t shown  
There’s nowhere you can be that isn’t where you’re meant to be  
It’s easy

All you need is love  
All you need is love, love  
Love is all you need

**THE STORY**  
*From Marginalization to Mutuality*  
Rev. Judy Zabel

**SHARING THE PEACE**
Won’t You Be My Neighbor
Words and music: Fred Rogers
Ariella Forstein
Steven Hobert

It’s a beautiful day in this neighborhood
A beautiful day for a neighbor
Would you be mine? Could you be mine?

It’s a neighborly day in this beautywood
A neighborly day for a beauty
Would you be mine? Could you be mine?

I have always wanted to have a neighbor just like you
I’ve always wanted to live in a neighborhood with you

So, let’s make the most of this beautiful day
Since we’re together, we might as well say
Would you be mine? Could you be mine?
Won’t you be my neighbor?

Won’t you please, won’t you please?
Please, won’t you be my neighbor?

Neighbors are people who are close to us
And friends are people who are close to our hearts
I like to think of you as my neighbor and my friend

Invitation to Prayer

Music During Silent Prayer

Prayers of the People

God of love, give us a deep love for you,
so that we can see the world as you see it,
feel the compassion you feel,
and be a people whose lives mediate your love to others.

So open our eyes that we might see what the Good Samaritan saw.
Grant us the insight to see the need in others,
the wisdom to know what to do, and the will to do it.

And so we pray for all those, who in many and various ways,
have been stripped, beaten and left for dead.

We pray for children who must grow up in the most awful of circumstances,
especially for those starved of love, or food, or shelter or security.
May they receive the future you have planned for them.

In Our Prayers This Week

Baptisms
Theodore Russell Gustafson
bap. 7/11/21

Upcoming Surgery
Jim McChesney

In Recovery
Karen Peterson (Back Surgery)

Care Center
Betty Beach (Broken ankle, (Clermont Park, Denver, CO)
Evelyn Welsh
Kate Lewis

Recovering at Home
Megan Hanson
Ruth Lippin

Prayer Requests
John Anderson
Anna Nygren
Carolyn Radke
Danielle Anderson
The Nsude Family
Mike Chatt
Carol Edblom
James Hlavka
Don & Janice Selger
Judy Strandmark
Carrie David
Lorelei Larson

Prayers for Our Congregational Life & Work
For the children, youth and adults who will participate in Vacation Bible School.
For the Cabinet and Bishop as they discern who will be appointed as our next Associate Pastor.

Prayers for Our Community
For all our LGBTQ+ siblings as we celebrate PRIDE and for all those who are still in the closet, afraid to come out.

Prayers for Our Nation
For health care workers who care for COVID patients. We pray for people to love and protect neighbors by being vaccinated.
We pray for those we might cross the road to avoid. Who have been excluded socially because of their race, their financial status, or their history. May the dignity that is theirs be restored to them.

We pray for those whose need we would rather not face up to, because it requires action of us, those who suffer atrocities because of war, unjust trade rules, or oppressive governments. May the world receive a true picture of their suffering and the factors that cause it, that justice may be done.

Open our eyes, that we might not cross the road from human need. Give us a deep love for you, that we might see your love at work in this world, and that we might Go and do likewise.

Prayers for Our World
For hope, mercy, justice, and wise use of resources as countries struggle with COVID-19 surges. For citizens of South Africa where there is rioting.

Prayers for Racial Reconciliation & Healing
We affirm the dignity, beauty, and sacred worth of every human being. We pray for humility, strength, and courage to confront racial injustice. We pray for open hearts and the desire to make things right. We pray that we see and love our neighbors.

Prayers for Our Church
We give thanks for those who continue to support HAUMC with prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness. We give thanks for our staff who give their hearts to the ministry of HAUMC.

Celebrations
Daryl Boudreaux, Steven Hobert
God grant you many years...

Life Together
Rev. Judy Zabel

Song
Steven Hobert
In Freedom Land

Let’s all run away,
let’s all sail away,
let’s all glide away,
to freedom land.

Let’s all run away,
let’s all sail away,
let’s all glide away,
to freedom land.

There'll be laughing there,
there'll be singing there,
there’ll be dreaming there,
In freedom land.

There'll be peace of mind,
wondrous, joyful time,
all our hearts aligned,
in freedom land.

We will sing as one,
we’ll all cry as one,
we will shout as one,
in freedom land.
Clergy

Judy Zabel, Senior Pastor
Jim McChesney, Pastoral Care/Visitation
Gloria Roach Thomas, Pastoral Care & Visitation

Ministry Staff
Rick Belbutoski, Director of Youth & Young Adult Ministries
Lynne Carroll, Director of Children & Family Ministries
Donald Livingston, Principal Organist
Michelle Gehrz, Assistant Organist
Mary Martin, Director of Dignity Center & Outreach Ministries
Mark Squire, Director of Music & Fine Arts

Twin Cities District Superintendent
Dan Johnson

Minnesota Area Bishop
Bishop David Bard,
Interim Bishop of the Minnesota Annual Conference

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Our Strategic Initiatives

1. We will grow in love of God and neighbor by intentionally building a multi-racial beloved community inside and outside our church walls, working to advance racial, economic, and environmental justice for all.

2. We will reach and welcome new people by expanding the ways in which we communicate what God is doing through the ministries of Hennepin.

3. We will heal a broken world by working to undo the harm that church and society have caused in exclusion and discrimination through systemic forms of oppression against all marginalized people including the LGBTQ community.

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Closing Blessing
Rev. Judy Zabel
Ahh-men, Ahh-women, Ahh-children,
Ahh-animals, Ahh-creation, Awe!!!

Postlude
Musical Improvisation
Daryl Boudreaux, Steven Hobert

Worship Leaders today:
Rev. Judy Zabel, Senior Pastor
Steven Hobert (interim music director)
Daryl Boudreaux (percussion)
Denise Smith
Lindsay Potter
Donna Long
David Focht

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Pay a Baiwalla Child’s School Fees: A Mind is a Terrible Thing to Waste!

This will be the 4th Year HAUMC people have sponsored Baiwalla kids’ school fees. RENEW NOW! $150 will cover an elementary child’s school fees enabling him/her to attend school. $300 will cover the fees of a child attending the United Methodist Sponsored Richard Ormsby Secondary School. Fees cover uniforms, shoes, backpack, and school supplies for the elementary students. For the Ormsby School students, fees also cover tuition.

Payment can be made online at the OC Ministries website: www.ocministriesmn.org or a check can be made out to Minnesota Annual Conference. Put in memo line “Baiwalla Child Sponsorship”. Send to 122 W. Franklin Ave. Minneapolis, MN, 55404. In addition, A table will be set up at HAUMC for sign ups all Sundays in July.

About Hennepin Avenue UMC

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.

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.

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