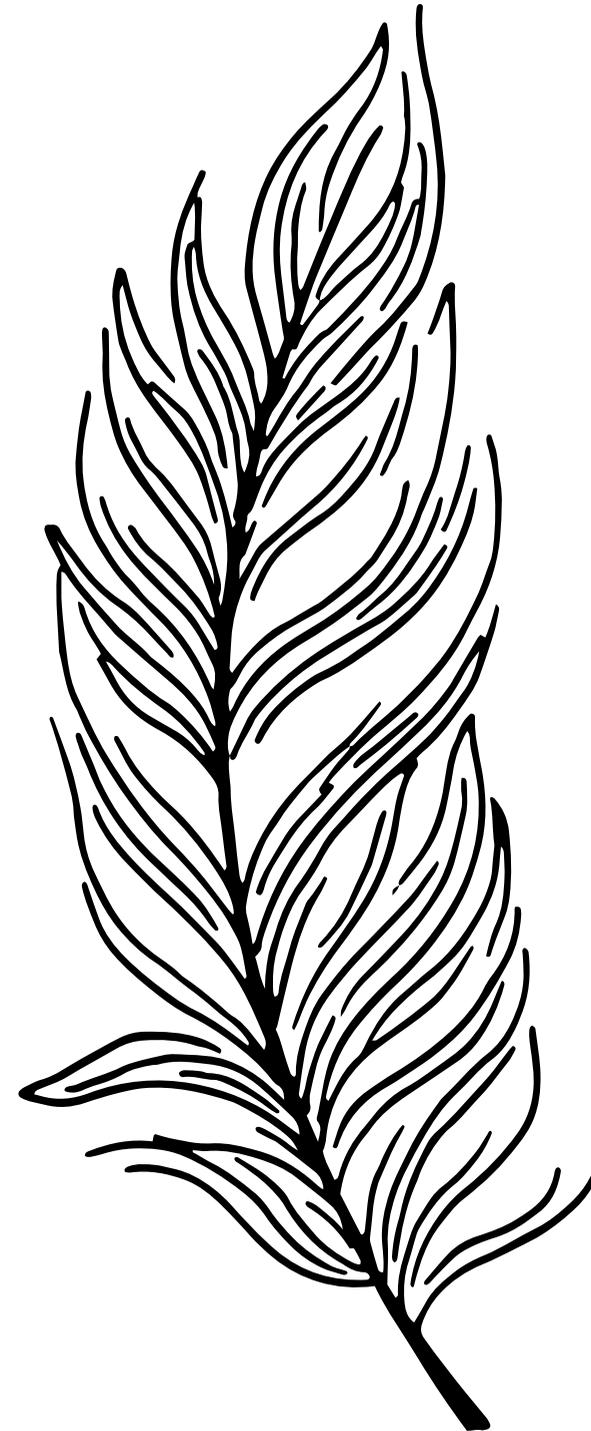


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9 & 11 AM Traditional

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July 31st, 2022



**Today is the Eighth Sunday after Pentecost.  
The liturgical color is green, signifying life and growth  
in the Christian Church.**

**Prelude** "Aria" Emma Lou Diemer  
Judy Elias, flute; Amy Bender, piano

**Welcome** Dana Ludwig, 9a.m. /Pam Schwaller, 11a.m.

**Call to Worship** "Matthew 22:34 – 40 (The Voice translation)"

**Opening Prayer**  
**Holy God, we praise you for loving us and calling us your own. Enable us to receive your love and be transformed. Help us to love you with all of our being, which includes loving our neighbors as much as we love ourselves. May our love for you be evident in all that we do, including our worship. In Christ, Amen.**

**\*Hymn #402** "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"

**Time of Prayer**

**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 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.**

**Worship through Music** "It Is Well with My Soul " arr. Molly Ijames

**Announcements & Offering Emphasis**

**Offertory** "How Beautiful" Setting by Joel Raney

*\* Congregation invited to stand if able*

**\*Doxology #94**  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**  
**Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!**  
**Praise God, the source of all our gifts!**  
**Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!**  
**Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**\*Hymn of Preparation #504** "The Old Rugged Cross"  
*Highlights History.* George Bennard, an Ohio coal miner-turned Salvation Army worker, traveled the Midwest with his Bible and guitar, conducting revivals and composing Gospel songs. "The Old Rugged Cross" was conceived in the kitchen of his rented Albion, Michigan home during the Christmas season of 1912. It was during his stay in Sturgeon Bay that the hymn was finished and then presented at the final meeting of his highly successful revival, January 12, 1913.

**Scripture** Micah 6: 6 – 8

**Sermon** Rev. Tom Snode

**\*Hymn #584** "Lord, You Give the Great Commission"

**\*Benediction**

**\*Benediction Sung Response** "Go Now In Peace"  
**Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day.**  
**Go now in faith, steadfast, strong, and true. Know He will guide you in all you do.**  
**Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see.**  
**God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.**  
**Amen. Amen. Amen.**

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**Postlude** "Prelude in B-flat Major" J. S. Bach