

SALEM UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, DENVER

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August 21st, 2022

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

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**All are invited to stand in body or spirit.*

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND PASSING OF THE PEACE

Beth Hansen

RINGING OF THE BELL

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Beth Hansen

One: God of the Sabbath, you have established the rhythms of life-

Many: **Grant us the good sense to enjoy Sabbath rest in this season of summer.**

One: Even in this hour of worship

Many: **You call us into the richness of summer plenty!**

All: **We come this day to your summer altar to praise you for all things
green and growing, humming, and buzzing and singing, bright and
blooming. Thanks be to you, O God. Let our worship begin!**

* OPENING HYMN

De Colores

NCH #402

UNISON PRAYER

Beth Hansen

Eternal Spirit, we thank you that you do not leave us alone but live within us and in the midst of our life together. You are no statue made of silver or gold, but a living reality on the face of the earth. Give us courage and commitment to let your winds blow through us and to let your life be revealed among us. Empowered by you, may we care for the needs of your people, break bread together with joy, and praise you day by day. Grant us your peace, so we may grant it to our sisters and brothers, through the model of Jesus. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READINGS Isaiah 42:10-16; 43:19 – Luke 4:16-21 - Matthew 28:16-20



THE MESSAGE

Jubilee!

Chuck Wright and Deborah Barnard

A report on the RMC Gathering at La Foret

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

UCC Statement of Faith

NCH #885

OFFERING AND TIME FOR MEDITATION

*DOXOLOGY

Hymnal #780

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God all creatures here below,
Praise God for all that Love has done,
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Chuck Wright

(Response: “God of grace, hear our 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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Beth Hansen

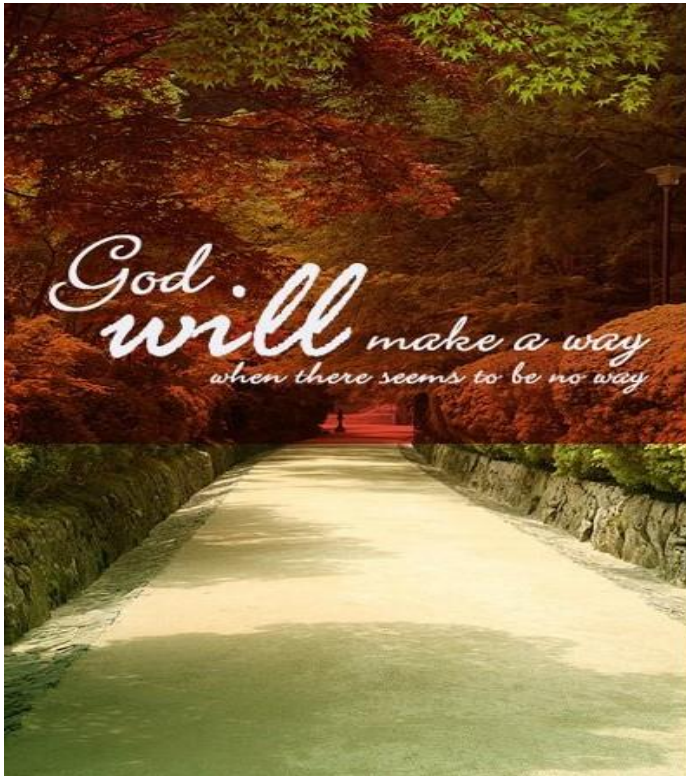
*CLOSING HYMN

In the Midst of New Dimensions

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*SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE



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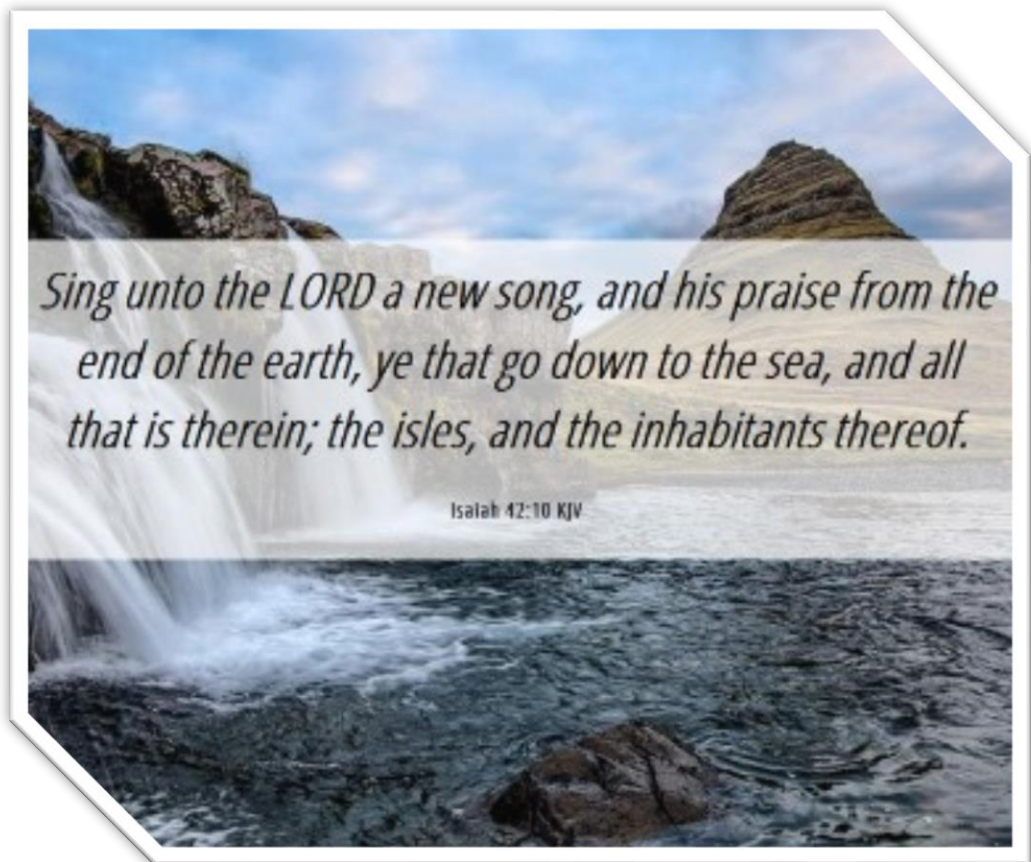
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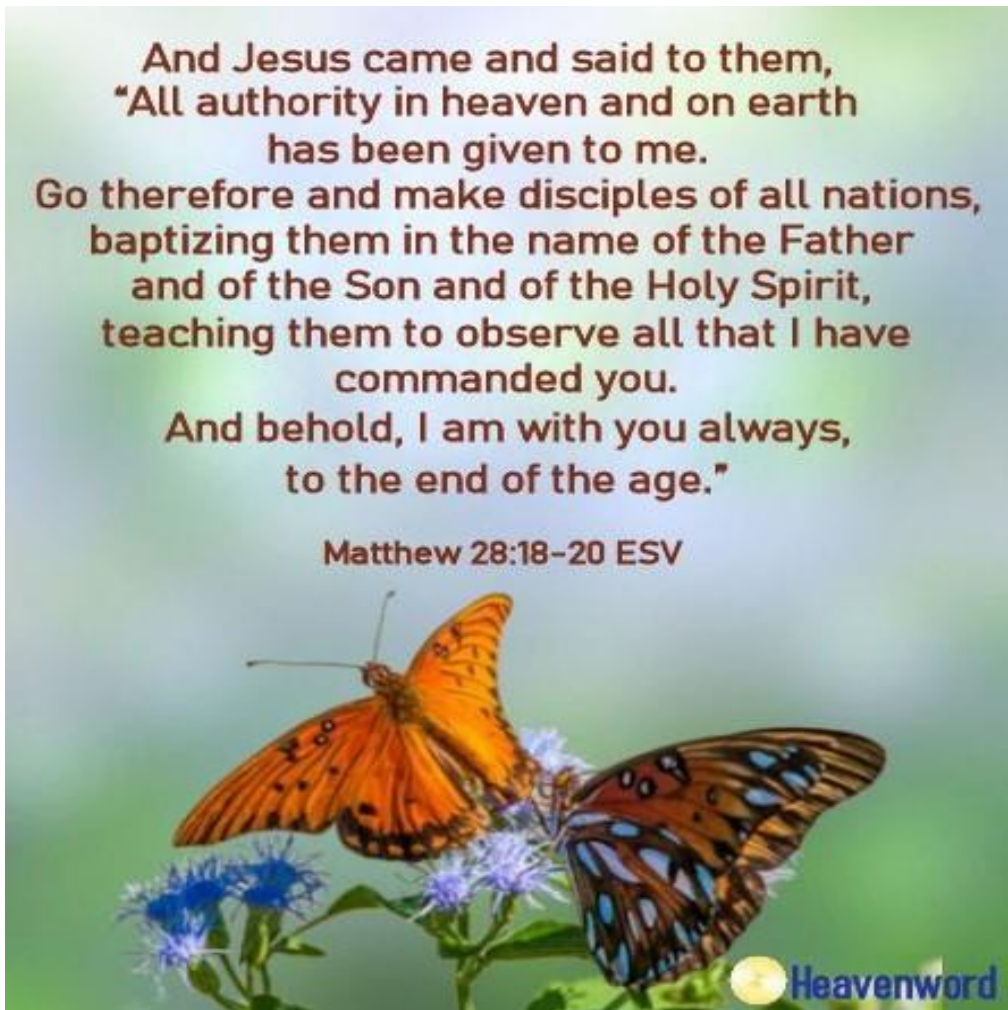
ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Bible Study** – Please join in the Zoom Bible Study Class on Tuesday at 10 am via Zoom. Word of the day is.... Dog Days.
- **Community Meal** – Wednesday at 6 pm.
- **August Mission** – Create your own – and let us know your experience.
- **Newsletter** – Articles are due for the September Newsletter this Friday!



LOOKING AHEAD:

- **Garage Sale** – CTK and Salem are holding a joint garage sale September 10th, 8-11 am. Everyone is invited to donate or sell items at an individual table. The proceeds of donated items will be given to Project Love, a local organization that is aiding newly arrived Afghan families in our community. For more information contact Chuck Wright.
- **Discernment** – Join us next Sunday after Worship for our 10th session!





WELCOME TO SALEM UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST!

Whether you are a guest or a member, thank you for worshiping with us.

THIS WEEK AT SALEM

- Mon. 7:00 pm - Boy Scouts
- Tues. **10:00 am - Bible Study – Zoom**
 7:00 pm -Cub Scouts
- Wed. **9:00 am – *Romeos* Men’s Coffee Club**
 6:00 pm - Community Meal
- Thurs. 7:00 pm – Coin Club
- Sun. **9:30 am – Worship**
 3:00 pm -Christ the King (CTK)



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AUGUST MISSION

Create your own!

