

September 4, 2022

"Whose Will Be Done?"

Isaiah 11:6-9, Luke 17:20-21

# THORNDALE United Methodist Church

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All Are Welcome!

"He shall judge between the nations and shall arbitrate for many peoples; they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation; neither shall they learn war any more. O house of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the LORD!"

Isaiah 2:4-5

+Stand as you're able.

PRELUDE Tim Eaton

WELCOME Pastor Shauna

SERIES VIDEO https://vimeo.com/694651668

+CALL TO WORSHIP Renay Oberholtzer

Leader: Our Father who art in Heaven,

People: Remind us constantly that you are the divine parent to

all your children, whoever, or wherever they are or come from.

Leader: Hallowed be your name. Your Kingdom come,

People: Establishing peace and justice, hope and life for all peoples.

Leader: Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread.

People: Disturb us into awareness of the needs of others.

Leader: Forgive us our sins,

People: Our pride and our prejudices.

Leader: As we forgive those who sin against us, lead us not into temptation,

People: Especially keep our hearts and minds open to see the good in others.

Leader: Deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory,

People: Just and true, gentle and fair, shown and known through love,

forever and ever.

### **+OPENING PRAYER**

Renay Oberholtzer

Lord of heaven and earth, hear our songs of praise this day. Gather us in as one people, that we may worship you as one body. Heal our broken hearts and bind up our woundedness. that we may come into your presence healthy and whole. And as we seek your wisdom, help us to discern your greatness, for we honor the power and glory of your love. Amen.

**+OPENING PRAISE** 

How Great is Our God

Tim Eaton

As For Me

10,000 Reasons

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY Challenge Tim Eaton

### +PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Renay Oberholtzer

Gracious God, You call us to let go of the things we cling to and step out in faith, trusting in Your love and provision. Give us courage to step out boldly, to plant our small seeds generously, and without fear. Use our gifts to accomplish more than we could possibly imagine, so that, through us, Your kingdom might come and Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pat Moore

SCRIPTURE—Isaiah 11:6-9

Renay Oberholtzer

The wolf shall live with the lamb;

the leopard shall lie down with the kid;

the calf and the lion will feed together.

and a little child shall lead them.

The cow and the bear shall graze;

their young shall lie down together;

and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.

The nursing child shall play over the hole of the asp.

and the weaned child shall put its hand on the adder's den.

They will not hurt or destroy

on all my holy mountain,

for the earth will be full of the knowledge of the LORD

as the waters cover the sea.

### Luke 17:20-21

Once Jesus was asked by the Pharisees when the kingdom of God was coming, and he answered, "The kingdom of God is not coming with things that can be observed, nor will they say, 'Look, here it is!' or 'There it is!' For, in fact, the kingdom of God is among you."

> Leader: This is the word of the Lord that is still speaking.

People: Thanks be to God.

"Whose Will Be Done?" **MESSAGE** Pastor Shauna

HOLY COMMUNION

+CLOSING HYMN **Build Your Kingdom Here** Tim Eaton

+BENEDICTION Pastor Shauna

**POSTLUDE** Tim Eaton

## **SERVING TODAY IN WORSHIP**

MESSAGE LITURGIST CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pat Moore TECH TEAM

Rev. Shauna K. Ridge Renay Oberholtzer Josh Dwyer

Terry Moore

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