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TRINITY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
*A Welcoming Community of
 Compassion & Faith*

Wild Design

FOURTH SUNDAY OF CREATION
 SEPTEMBER 22, 2024

PRELUDE *This Is My Father's World* arr. John Innes

WELCOME TO TRINITY Rev. Kelli Harrison

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *How Great Thou Art* Hymnal № 77

OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

Creator God, whose handiwork is revealed
in the intricate designs of nature,
inspire in us a sense of awe for your artistry.
Deepen our awareness of your presence in all creation.
By your Spirit,
help us see your glory in the wild designs around us
so we may live with greater appreciation
for the world you have made;
through Christ we pray. Amen.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

*After each petition ending “Lord, in your mercy,”
please respond saying: “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 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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

SENDING SONG

Go With Them, Lord



Go with them, Lord, and guide the way through this and ev - ery com-ing day, that



in Your Spir - it strong and true their lives may be a gift to You.

PSALTER

Psalm 1

Hymnal № 738

SCRIPTURE READING

Job 39:26-29

SERMON

“Bird Nests”

Rev. Dr. Brian C. Smith

HYMN

The Care the Eagle Gives Her Young

Hymnal № 118

TRINITY WILMETTE THIS WEEK

GIVING OUR TITHES and OFFERINGS

Invitation and Prayer of Dedication

Offertory

How Lovely is Your Dwelling Place

Thomas W. Jefferson

Anna Joy Buegel, soloist

Chancel Choir

How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord, O Lord of Hosts! My soul longs and pines for the house of the Lord. My whole heart cries out unto the living God. How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord, O Lord of hosts! Blessed are they who find refuge in you, as they journey to Zion their strength is renewed. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, ever singing their praises to you. Even the sparrow has found a home, and the swallow, a nest to lay her young. Near your altar, dear Lord, is where I long to be, Lord of hosts, O my king, and my God. How lovely...

Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Hymnal № 94

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Hymnal № 33

Dan and Jane Geddie and Bonnie Barber

CLOSING HYMN

This Is My Father’s World

Hymnal № 144

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Fanfare

Nicholas Lemmens



Bird Nests