



ARVADA
United Methodist Church

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Sunday, October 18, 2026; 8:15 and 10:00 am

Gathering Music

Prelude

Heart Divine

Gospel Gagas, Jordan Ortman, Brian Jaffe

(Ellen Jane Lorenz, Antonin Dvorak, arr. Ellen Jane Lorenz)

Greeting

Rev. Matt Franks

Congregational Greeting

***Opening Hymn** *Sing to the Lord of Harvest*

(John. S. B. Monsell, Johann, Steurlein)

1 Sing to the Lord of harvest, sing songs of love and praise;
with joyful hearts and voices your alleluias raise.

By him the rolling seasons in fruitful order move;
sing to the Lord of harvest a joyous song of love.

2 God makes the clouds rain goodness, the deserts bloom and spring,
the hills leap up in gladness, the valleys laugh and sing.

God fills them with God's fullness, all things with large increase;
God crowns the year with blessing, with plenty and with peace.

3 Bring to this sacred altar the gifts God's goodness gave,
the golden sheaves of harvest, the souls Christ died to save.

Your hearts lay down before him when at his feet you fall,
and with your lives adore him who gave his life for all.

Litany of the Day

Leader: To the Source of All Being, praise is due; you hear every silent longing, and to you all creation gathers.

People: When our missteps and burdens weigh us down, you offer grace, healing, and renewal.

Leader: You are the hope of all people across every continent and ocean, breaking down barriers and grounding us in love.

People: From the dawn of morning to the quiet of evening, all life reflects your joy.

Leader: You nurture the earth with abundance, pouring life into dry soil and caring for every living creature.

People: You crown our days with community, justice, and quiet bounty.

Leader: The fields, forests, and waters join in harmony, calling us to walk gently together as one human family.

All: We join our voices with all creation to shout and sing for joy! Amen.

Liturgists: Lynne Kendall at 8:15; Katie Vigil at 10:00

Pastoral Prayer / The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Lauren Boyd

Offering / Offertory Prayer

Offertory Music *God Never Failed Me Yet*

Gospel Gagas, Jordan Ortman, Ross Rafferty, Brian Jaffe

(Ray, arr. Collins) CCLI Song #425646

I will sing of God's mercy every day every hour. God gives me power.

I will sing and give thanks To Thee for all the dangers, toils, and snares that God has brought me out.

God is my God and I'll serve Thee no matter what the test.

Trust and never doubt.

Jesus will surely bring you out. God never failed me yet.

I know God is able to deliver in time of storm.

I know God will keep you safe from all earthly harm.

One day when my weary Soul is at rest, I'm going home to be forever bless'd.

Trust and never doubt.

Jesus will surely bring you out. God never failed me yet.
I will sing of God's mercy every day every hour. God gives me power.
I will sing and give thanks To Thee for all the dangers Toils and snares
that God has brought me out.
God is my God and I'll serve Thee no matter what the test.
Trust and never doubt.
Jesus will surely bring you out. God never failed me yet.
Didn't my God deliver Moses from King Pharoah,
and didn't God cool the fiery furnace for Shadrach Meshach and Abendego?
When I think of what my God can do, God delivered Daniel.
I know God will deliver you.
Trust and never doubt. Jesus will surely bring you out.
God never failed me yet.
I will sing of God's mercy every day every hour. God gives me power.
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Scripture

Psalm 65 Common English Bible

God of Zion, to you even silence is praise. Promises made to you are kept—you listen to prayer—and all living things come to you.
When wrongdoings become too much for me, you forgive our sins.
How happy is the one you choose to bring close, the one who lives in your courtyards!
We are filled full by the goodness of your house, by the holiness of your temple.
In righteousness you answer us, by your awesome deeds, God of our salvation—you, who are the security of all the far edges of the earth, even the distant seas. You establish the mountains by your strength; you are dressed in raw power. You calm the roaring seas; calm the roaring waves, calm the noise of the nations. Those who dwell on the far edges stand in awe of your acts.
You make the gateways of morning and evening sing for joy.
You visit the earth and make it abundant, enriching it greatly by God's stream, full of water. You provide people with grain because that is what

you've decided. Drenching the earth's furrows, leveling its ridges, you soften it with rain showers; you bless its growth. You crown the year with your goodness; your paths overflow with rich food. Even the desert pastures drip with it, and the hills are dressed in pure joy. The meadowlands are covered with flocks, the valleys decked out in grain—they shout for joy; they break out in song!

Response After Reading

Pastor: The Scripture of faith for the people of faith.

ALL: Thanks be to God

Sermon "Crowned With Goodness"

***Closing Hymn** #2008 *Let All Things Now Living*

(Katherine Davis) CCLI Song #4445649

Let all things now living. A song of thanksgiving.
To God the Creator, triumphantly raise.
Who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us.
Who still guides us on to the end of our days.
God's banners are o'er us. His light goes before us.
A pillar of fire shining forth in the night
till shadows have vanished, and darkness is banished.
As forward we travel from light into light.

His law He enforces. The stars in their courses.
The sun in His orbit obediently shine.
The hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains.
The deeps of the ocean proclaim Him divine.
We too should be voicing our love and rejoicing
with glad adoration a song let us raise.
Till all things now living, unite in thanksgiving.
To God in the highest, Hosanna and praise.

***Benediction and Sending Forth Music**

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