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11th Sunday after Pentecost

August 24th, 2025

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Welcome to our Worship Service!
We are so glad you are here!

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WELCOME & CALL TO REFLECTION

PRAYER OF TRANSFORMATION

Praise and Worship

Join us in song

1. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! 2. Immortal, invisible,
God only wise 3. For the beauty of the earth.
4. Open the eyes of my heart Lord. 5. Change my heart oh God

Lyrics on screen

PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS

A TIME OF SILENCE

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Something Beautiful

Something beautiful, something good;
All my confusion He understood;
All I had to offer Him was brokenness and strife,
But He made something beautiful of my life.

THE NEWS OF THE COMMUNITY

Solo – You Are Mine

David Haas/Mark Hayes

Randy Zinkus, soloist

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THE LORD'S PRAYER – Debtors version

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. FORGIVE US OUR DEBTS,
AS WE FORGIVE OUR DEBTORS. LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION.
BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL. FOR THINE IS THE KINGDOM,
THE POWER AND THE GLORY FOREVER. AMEN.

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Offertory – My Lord! What a Morning

Joe Utterback

OFFERING OF PRAYER

Adapted from Walter Rauschenbusch, 1861-1918

O God, we thank you for this universe, our great home; for its vastness and its riches, and for the manifoldness of the life which teems upon it and of which we are part. We praise thee for the arching sky and the blessed winds, for the driving clouds and the constellations on high. We praise thee for the salt sea and the running water, for the everlasting hills, for the trees, and for the grass under our feet. We thank you for our senses by which we can see the splendor of the morning, and hear the jubilant songs of love, and smell the breath of the springtime. Grant us, we pray, a heart wide open to all this joy and beauty and save our souls from being so steeped in care or so darkened by passion that we pass heedless and unseeing when even the thornbush by the wayside is aflame with the glory of God. In Your blessed name we pray. Amen

HYMN – Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!

Hymn #145

Verses 1–4

Congregational Benediction

Doxology

I'm so glad I'm a part of the family of God
I've been washed in the fountain, cleansed by His blood!
Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod,
For I'm part of the family, the family of God.

CHARGE AND BLESSING

POSTLUDE – Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!

Mark Rippe



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Printer Paper	Glue Sticks
Blue or Black Pens	Protractors
#2 Pencils	Rulers
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