

SEEKING GOD TOGETHER

PRELUDE

WELCOME & CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

**Acknowledgment of Territory/Every Child Matters/
Rainbow Candle of Inclusion**

CALL TO WORSHIP

***HYMN** My Love Colours Outside the Lines p. 5

PRAYER FOR RENEWAL AND LORD'S PRAYER

WORDS OF GRACE

SUNG RESPONSE Dance with the Spirit (MV 156)

Dance with the Spirit early in the mornin',
walk with the Spirit throughout the long day.
Work and hope for the new life abornin',
listen to the Spirit to show you the way.

TIME FOR ALL AGES

FINDING GOD TOGETHER

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 103 pp. 5-6

GIFT OF MUSIC

SCRIPTURE READING

SERMON

***HYMN** Precious Lord, Take My Hand p. 7

SHARING GOD'S LOVE

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

***DEDICATION** We Are An Offering (D. Liles)

We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you;
we are an offering. Lord, use our voices, Lord use our hands,
Lord, use our lives, they are yours; we are an offering.
We are an offering.

***OFFERTORY PRAYER & Prayer Shawl Blessing**

PRAYER PRELUDE I Waited on the Lord (VU 954)

I waited, I waited on the Lord; I waited, I waited on the Lord;
who bent down low and remembered me and who heard
my prayer. (repeat)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

***HYMN** How Firm a Foundation p. 8

***COMMISSIONING AND BENEDICTION**

***SUNG BLESSING** May the Love of the Lord (MV 218)

May the love of the Lord rest upon your soul.
May God's love dwell in you, throughout every day.
May God's countenance shine upon you and be gracious to you.
May God's Spirit be upon you as you leave this place.

POSTLUDE

AUC Summer Worship Schedule

July 19th ~ Rev. Tim Dayfoot
July 26th ~ Rev. Lee-Ann Ahlstrom
August 2nd ~ Rev. Tim Dayfoot
August 9th ~ Rev. Linda Wheler
August 16th ~ Rev. Tim Dayfoot
August 23rd ~ Rev. Tim Dayfoot
August 30th ~ Rev. Dr. Elizabeth Cunningham
September 6th ~ Rev. Tim Dayfoot



AUC Staff Summer Holidays

The AUC office will be closed for Summer Holidays from
Monday, August 3rd - Friday, August 7th.

Affe will be on holiday from August 3rd - August 14th.

Margaret will be away from Music from July 27th - September 7th.

Margaret will be away from the AUC office from
August 24th - September 7th.

AURORA UNITED CHURCH

An Affirming Congregation

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Reverend Tim Dayfoot
Music Coordinator—Margaret Heney



Summer Worship

July - September 2026
11:00 AM

My Love Colours Outside the Lines **MV 138**

My love colours outside the lines, exploring paths that few could ever find; and takes me into places where I've never been before, and opens doors to worlds outside the lines.

My Lord colours outside the lines, turns wounds to blessings, water into wine; and takes me into places where I've never been before and opens doors to worlds outside the lines.

We'll never walk on water if we're not prepared to drown, body and soul need a soaking from time to time. And we'll never move the gravestones if we're not prepared to die, and realize there are worlds outside the lines.

My soul longs to colour outside the lines, tear back the curtains, sun, come in and shine; I want to walk beyond the boundaries where I've never been before, throw open doors to worlds outside the lines. **R**

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Psalm 103 VU p. 825

Refrain: Come, bless God, O my soul, and never forget all God's blessings.

Bless God, my soul, and all my being, bless God's holy name.

Bless God, my soul, and forget not all God has done for you.

Bless God, who forgives all your sin, who heals you in all your infirmities,

who redeems your life from the grave and crowns you with mercy and love,

who fills your life with good things, so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's,

who works righteousness and justice for all who are wronged. R

O God, you showed your ways to Moses, your deeds to the children of Israel.

You are compassionate and merciful, slow to anger and extravagant in love.

You will not always accuse nor do you keep your anger for ever.

You have not dealt with us according to our sins nor punished us according to our wickedness.

For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is your steadfast love toward those who fear you.

As far as the east is from the west, so far have you put away our sins from us.

As a father has compassion for his children, so you have compassion for those who fear you.

As a mother comforts her child, so you comfort us, O God.

For you know how we were made.

You remember that we are dust. Bless God, O my soul. R

Precious Lord, Take My Hand VU 670

Precious Lord, take my hand, lead me on, let me stand,
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn; through the storm,
through the night, lead me on to the light: take my hand,
precious Lord, lead me home.

When my way grows drear, precious Lord, linger near,
when my life is almost gone, hear my cry, hear my call, hold
my hand lest I fall: take my hand, precious Lord,
lead me home.

When the darkness appears, and the night draws near, and
the day is past and gone, at the river I stand, guide my feet,
hold my hand: take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

How Firm a Foundation VU 660

How firm a foundation, you servants of God, is laid for
your faith in God's excellent word! What more can be said
than to you has been said, to you who for refuge to Jesus
have fled?

“Fear not, I am with you; O be not dismayed! For I am
your God and will still give you aid; I'll strengthen and
help you, and cause you to stand, upheld by my righteous
omnipotent hand.

When through the deep waters I call you to go, the rivers of
sorrow shall not overflow; for I will be with you, your
troubles to bless, and sanctify to you your deepest distress.

When through fiery trials your pathway shall lie, my grace,
all-sufficient, shall be your supply: the flame shall not hurt
you; I only design your dross to consume, and your gold
to refine.

The soul that on Jesus has leaned for repose I will not –
I will not desert to his foes; that soul, though all hell should
endeavour to shake, I'll never – no, never –no,
never forsake!”