

No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!

Prelude	Prelude on the hymn tune <i>Rhosymedre</i> ("Lovely")	R. Vaughan Williams
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Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship** (from Psalms 118 & 95)

This is the day that God has made;
Let us rejoice and be glad in it.
 O come, let us worship and bow down;
Let us kneel before God, our Maker.

***Hymn** This is My Father's World (insert #370)

*Confession and Assurance of Grace

The grace of God overflows for us through Jesus Christ who came into the world to save humanity. Trusting in God's grace, let us pray:

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

The mercy of God is from everlasting to everlasting. We are forgiven.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

***Sung Response** *Glory to the Creator, and to the Christ, and to the Holy Ghost
As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.*

Scripture Lessons

Psalm 146
Job 29:7-17
Matthew 25:34-40

Anthem	You'll Never Walk Alone	R. Rodgers, O. Hammerstein
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Sermon "See No Stranger"

***Hymn** Lord of All Hopefulness (insert #217)

Morning Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Litany Prayer

Leader: We pray to God

People: Hear us, O God

Sung Response *Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me (twice).*
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Sharing our Gifts

God Bless America Irving Berlin

***Doxology** *Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures here below.
Praise God above, ye heavenly host, Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Hymn** This Is My Song (insert #340 v 1)

Sharing the Lord's Supper Lament (*in memoriam*) Neil Gow, 1805

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Teach us, O God, to follow the example of Christ's sacrifice in this holy meal: to hand ourselves over in love for you, for one another, and for all people. May we take part in your work of suffering and redeeming love by lifting up the oppressed, binding the brokenhearted, challenging the powerful, and drawing all into a community of love. We pray in Christ's name. Amen. (Adapted from the UCC *Book of Worship*)

***Hymn**

This Is My Song

(insert #340 **vv 2-3**)

***Benediction**

Postlude

Fanfare for the Common Man

Aaron Copland

*** Congregation stands (*live-streamers, feel free to lift your hearts!*)**

Participating Today

Rev. Felicity Wright, Guest Preacher

Susan Fast, Director of Caring Ministries, sustfast@yahoo.com

William Cowdery, Director of Music

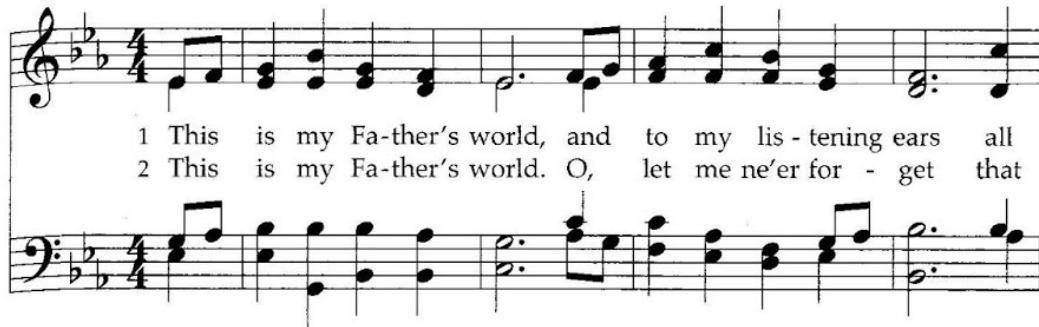
H. Donald Hinman, bass soloist

Siu-ling Wong Chaloemtiarana, piano

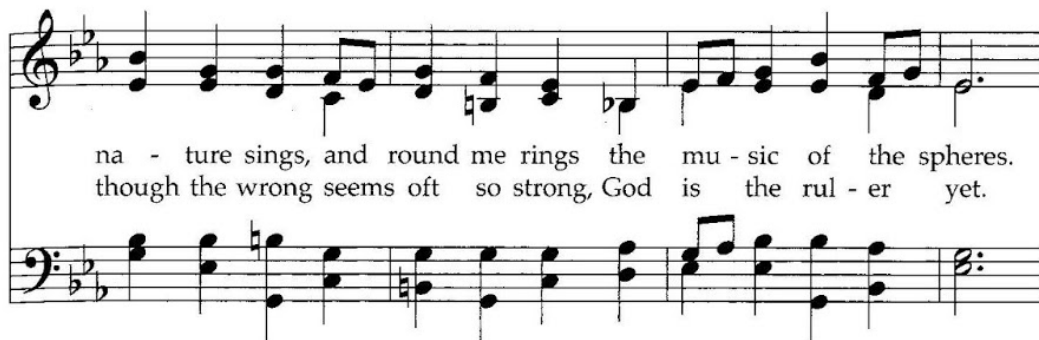
Paul Viscuso, accordion

John Zollweg, tech support

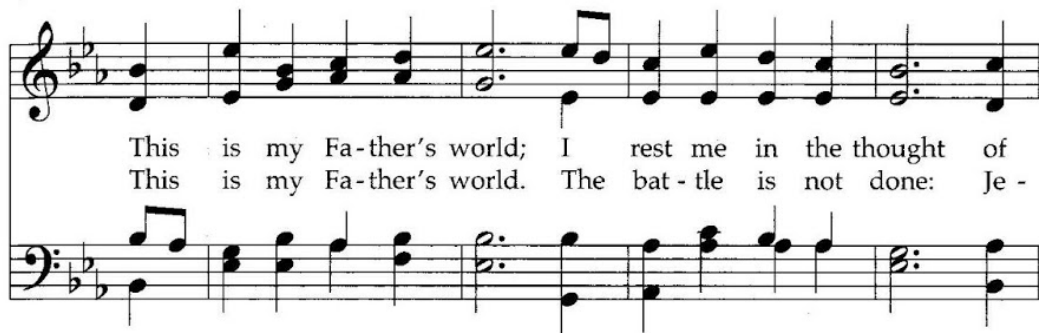
This Is My Father's World 370



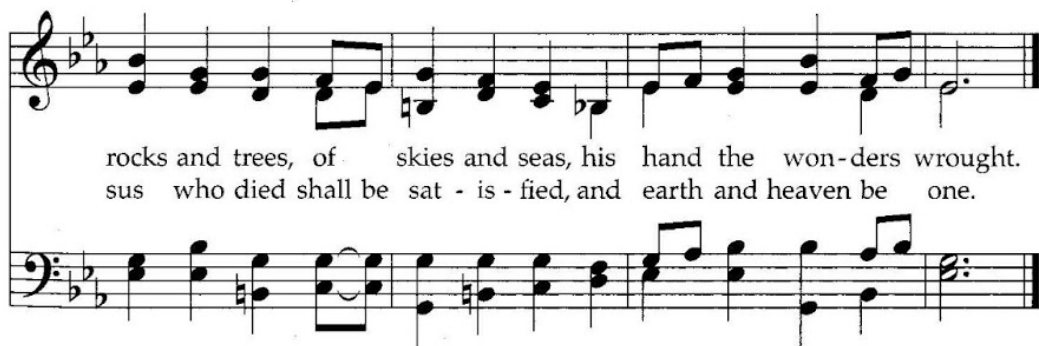
1 This is my Fa-ther's world, and to my lis - tening ears all
2 This is my Fa-ther's world. O, let me ne'er for - get that



na - ture sings, and round me rings the mu - sic of the spheres.
though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the rul - er yet.



This is my Fa-ther's world; I rest me in the thought of
This is my Fa-ther's world. The bat - tle is not done: Je -



rocks and trees, of skies and seas, his hand the won - ders wrought.
sus who died shall be sat - is - fied, and earth and heaven be one.

When pastor of a Presbyterian church in Lockport, New York, the author of this text referred to his morning walks as "going out to see my Father's world." The tune created for these words is based on an English melody the composer learned from his mother when he was a boy.

Lord of All Hopefulness

Jan Struther, 1901-1953

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Traditional Irish Melody

Harm. by David Evans, 1874-1948

In unison

1 Lord of all hope - ful - ness, Lord of all joy,
 2 Lord of all ea - ger - ness, Lord of all faith,
 3 Lord of all kind - li - ness, Lord of all grace,
 4 Lord of all gen - tle - ness, Lord of all calm,

Whose trust, ev - er child - like, no cares could de - stroy,
 Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe,
 Your hands swift to wel - come, your arms to em - brace,
 Whose voice is con - tent - ment, whose pres - ence is balm,

Be there at our wak - ing, and give us, we pray, Your
 Be there at our la - bors, and give us, we pray, Your
 Be there at our hom - ing, and give us, we pray, Your
 Be there at our sleep - ing, and give us, we pray, Your

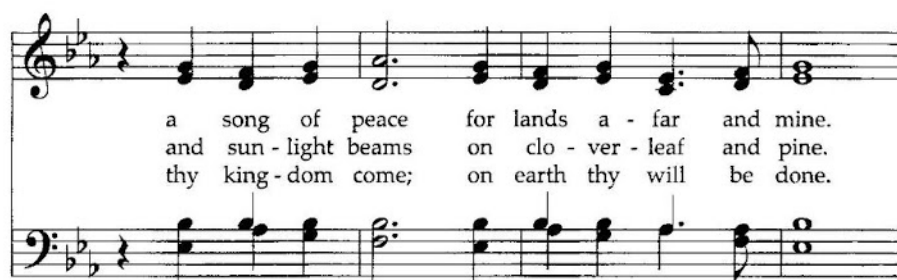
bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.
 strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.
 love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.
 peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day. A - men.

PRESENCE AND GUIDANCE

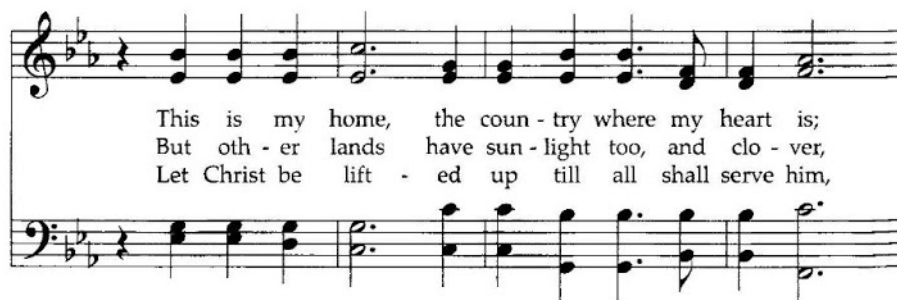
This Is My Song



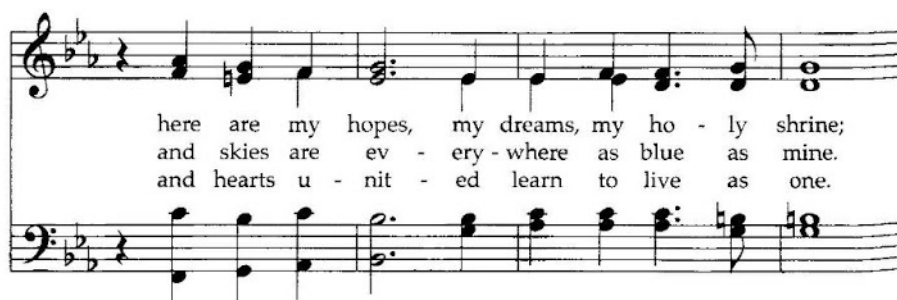
1 This is my song, O God of all the na - tions,
 2 My coun - try's skies are blu - er than the o - cean,
 3 This is my prayer, O Lord of all earth's king - doms:



a song of peace for lands a - far and mine.
 and sun - light beams on clo - ver - leaf and pine.
 thy king - dom come; on earth thy will be done.



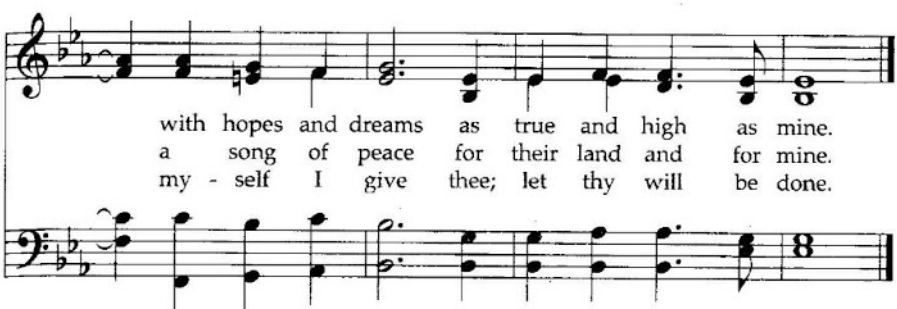
This is my home, the coun - try where my heart is;
 But oth - er lands have sun - light too, and clo - ver,
 Let Christ be lift - ed up till all shall serve him,



here are my hopes, my dreams, my ho - ly shrine;
 and skies are ev - ery - where as blue as mine.
 and hearts u - nit - ed learn to live as one.



but oth - er hearts in oth - er lands are beat - ing
 So hear my song, O God of all the na - tions,
 So hear my prayer, O God of all the na - tions:



with hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.
 a song of peace for their land and for mine.
 my - self I give thee; let thy will be done.