

Prelude

Prelude Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, organ

Clara Wieck Schumann

Call to Worship Katie Rosenson

#### **Opening Hymn**

1 I sing the mighty power of God that made the mountains rise, that spread the flowing seas abroad and built the lofty skies.

I sing the wisdom that ordained the sun to rule the day.

The moon shines full at God's command, and all the stars obey.

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

2 I sing the goodness of the Lord who filled the earth with food. God formed the creatures through the Word, and then pronounced them good. Lord, how thy wonders are displayed, where'er I turn my eye, if I survey the ground I tread, or gaze upon the sky!

3 There's not a plant or flower below but makes thy glories known. And clouds arise, and tempests blow, by order from thy throne, while all that borrows life from thee is ever in thy care, and everywhere that we can be, thou, God, art present there.

**Call to Confession** 

O Lord, Hear My Prayer Small Group Taizé

## **Common Confession and Assurance** (unison)

Michael Hegeman

Holy God, who breathed life onto dust, we confess that we are often slow to see You in our daily lives. We know that you created the world and called it good, yet in our eagerness for the Kingdom-to-come, we sometimes forget that this life, too, is sacred. As we take on the task of caring for the world, help us to notice the Divinity that is all around us. Now hear our silent prayers of confession. (silence)

# \* Congregational Response

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!

Refrain: ALL Leaders:

Halle, halle, hallelujah!

O God, to whom shall we go?

Halle, halle, hallelujah!

You alone have the words of life.

Let your words be our prayer

Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

and the song we sing:

hallelujah, hallelujah! (Refrain)

Children's Message Hillary Mackowski

Introduction of Brandon Huenemann Wes Avram

\* Passing of the Peace Brandon Huenemann

One: The peace of our Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Anthem Think on These Things Mark Patterson

Small Group • Ruth Wenger, cello Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, piano

Blessing of the Word Katie Rosenson

Scripture Reading Genesis 28:10-19a

Sermon Sanctuary Katie Rosenson

Common Prayer, Lord's Prayer (unison)

Wes Avram

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offertory

Musical Offering Largo from Cello sonata op. 65 Fryderyk Chopin

Ruth Wenger, cello • Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, piano

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\* Doxology (unison, *Old Hundredth*)

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

\* Closing Hymn Lord, Prepare Me

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you. (repeat twice)

\* The Charge Katie Rosenson

\* **Sending Music**\* Toccata

Florence Beatrice Price

Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, organ

Weekly Message Wes Avram

\* Please rise, lift your head, lift your arms, or lift your spirit.

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#### **Scripture**

#### Genesis 28:10-19a

# Jacob's Dream at Bethel

10 Jacob left Beer-sheba and went toward Haran. 11 He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. 12 And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. 13 And the Lord stood beside him and said, "I am the Lord, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; 14 and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. 15 Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you." 16 Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, "Surely the Lord is in this place—and I did not know it!" 17 And he was afraid, and said, "How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven."

18 So Jacob rose early in the morning, and he took the stone that he had put under his head and set it up for a pillar and poured oil on the top of it. 19a He called that place Bethel.

# Motes of Interest

The Sympathy of the Congregation is extended to the family of Tom Pilgreen as they mourn his loss.

# Brandon Huenemann, Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministries

Brandon joined Pinnacle as the Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministries in July 2020. He is returning to his passion for youth ministry after most recently working as an Admissions Counselor at Grand Canyon University (GCU). Previously he served as the Youth Director at Dove of the Desert United Methodist Church in Glendale, AZ (2016-2019). Brandon is a graduate of Arizona State University - College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, School of Politics and Global Studies, and the Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College. He holds degrees in Political Science and Secondary Education. Brandon finds joy in working with students and is grateful for the opportunity to be a part of their journey. Although originally from Iowa, Brandon mostly grew up in the Phoenix Valley. He enjoys traveling, watching train videos on YouTube, and much prefers vegetables over fruit.