

Coffeehouse Worship - March 14, 2021  
Kalamazoo First United Methodist Church

# “The Beauty of Mosaic”

*Gather - People gather around Jesus as his reputation becomes known from town to town. As we gather virtually or physically, we too are yearning for presence, for peace, for help.*

Threshold Moment

Welcome

Rev. Julie Kline

Prelude

Ameila Isacksen

“The Swan” from *Carnival of the Animals*, Camille Saint-Saens

*Believe - People were fortified by Jesus’ words and deeds that revealed care for all—especially those marginalized. We strengthen our belief in the possibility for renewed health and vigor for all.*

Scripture Reading

Mark 5:21-43, NIV

Kathryn Sappington

Song of Response

“Jesus’ Hands were Kind Hands”

Neela Parasarathy

Community Leader Sharing

Sue Ellen Christian

Change the World Offering

“A Stuff Safari”

Julia and Carolyn Librizzi

*Approach - People opened their lives to Jesus. We are drawn to the Healer—opening our hearts with honesty about our lives and finding assurance that offers peace.*

Prayer of Confession

Sara Miller

Kyrie

Brianna Attard, Hannah Elandt, Dewey Bolz, Justin Hamann

Ky - ri - e, Ky - ri - e, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

Chris - te, Chris - te, Chris - te e - le - i - son.

Translation: Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.

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Words of Affirmation

Sara Miller

Lighting the Peace Candle  
and Passing the Peace

Donna Duniyak

Message  
Weiler

Rev. Matt

“To Wonder, To Be Curious, To Heal”

*Ask - People who were healed by Jesus were not afraid to ask. And so we come before the Holy One, making our petitions and desires known, trusting the work of the Spirit.*

Deeper Questions

Ruth LaMachia

Invited	Included	Affirmed	Loved
Touched	Liberated	Held	Embraced
Healed	Cleansed	Given dignity	Fed
Forgiven	Made whole	Called	Reborn
Given hope	Received	Honored	Freed

needs from *Manna and Mercy* by Daniel Erlander

Song for Reflection

Mandakini Brophy, Jacqueline Stilger, Bernie Foulk  
“Broken Vessels” by Jonas Myron and Joel Houston

*Know - The parting words Jesus’ gave to those he healed were often as much balm as the healing act itself. We hear words of encouragement from the One who makes beauty from brokenness.*

Prayers of Intercession  
and The Lord’s Prayer

Deb Search Willoughby

*During the season of Lent we will be using an alternative version of the Lord's Prayer for the words and meaning within Jesus' prayer to fall afresh upon our hearts and minds.*

**Loving Creator we honor you, and we honor all that you have made. Renew the whole world in the image of your love. Give us what we need for today, and a hunger to see the whole world fed. Strengthen us for what lies ahead; heal us from the hurts of the past; give us courage to follow your call in this moment. For your love is the only power, the only home, the only honor we need, in this world and in the world to come. Amen.**

paraphrased by Sarah Dylan Breuer

Threshold into the World

Brianna Attard, Hannah Elandt, Dewey Bolz, Justin Hamann  
"Vessels, Holy and Whole"

Musical notation for the song "Vessels, Holy and Whole". The music is written on two staves in 6/8 time. The first staff contains the lyrics: "Ves - sels, hol - y and whole. Bro - ken, need - ing the One". The second staff contains the lyrics: "O - pen, bod - y and soul, Heal - - er, come." The melody is simple and melodic, with a final cadence at the end of the second staff.

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*Respond - Scriptural accounts of healing often end with responses from the "crowd" of witnesses. How will we proceed into the brokenness of this world and respond as the Body of Christ?*

Our Shared Life

Lori Owen-Rogers

Blessing and Sending

Postlude

Bernie Foulk

Hornpipe from *Water Music*, George Frideric Handel