



# September 4, 2022

## Season of Creation 2022

### *Listen to the Voice of Creation*

#### **CONNECTING**

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

**CALL TO WORSHIP** *(based Psalm 19)*

The heavens declare the glory of God;  
the skies proclaim the work of God's hands.  
Day after day they pour forth speech;  
night after night they reveal knowledge.

**LISTEN TO CREATION TELL OF GOD,  
LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD IN SCRIPTURE.**

They have no speech, they use no words;  
no sound is heard from them.

Yet their voice goes out into all the earth,  
their words to the ends of the world.

**LISTEN TO CREATION TELL OF GOD,  
LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD IN SCRIPTURE.**

The law of the LORD is perfect,  
refreshing the soul.

The statutes of the LORD are trustworthy,  
making wise the simple.

The precepts of the LORD are right,  
giving joy to the heart.

**LISTEN TO CREATION TELL OF GOD,  
LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD IN SCRIPTURE.**



The commands of the LORD are radiant,  
giving light to the eyes.  
The fear of the LORD is pure,  
enduring forever.  
The decrees of the LORD are firm,  
and all of them are righteous.  
**LISTEN TO CREATION TELL OF GOD,  
LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD IN SCRIPTURE.**

**HYMN** *Let the whole creation cry* HWB 51

**Lighting the Peace Lamp & Peace Essay –**  
*Readings from FMC*  
*Senior Youth Peace Essays through the years: Liz Miller 2008*



**HYMN** *God who touches earth with beauty* HWB 511

## **HEARING THE WORD**

Children's Time

Scripture Reading            *Exodus 3:1-12*  
Sermon

## **PRAYING & RESPONDING**

Music for Meditation

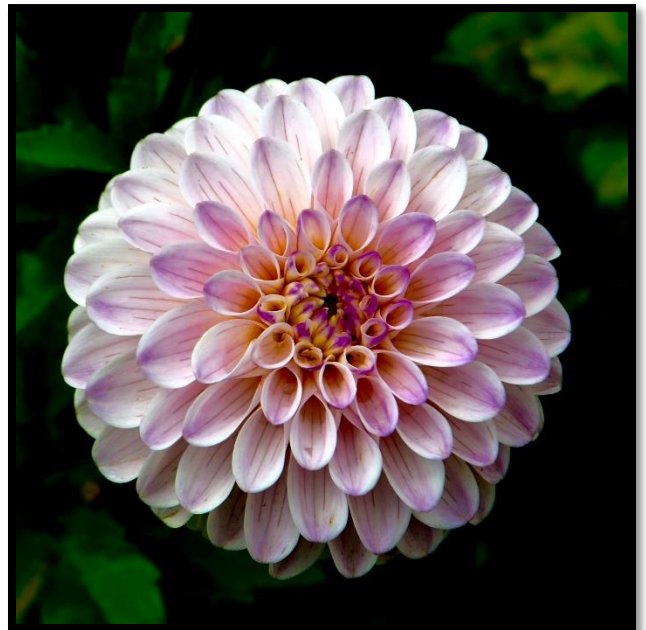
Prayers of the People (with Lord's Prayer)

## **SENDING**

**HYMN** *This is my Father's world* HWB 154

**Benediction**

**Postlude:** *remain seated to receive the postlude as a musical blessing*



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Sound: Earl Ediger, Allen Yoder  
Livestream: Jonathan Wenger  
Nursery Attendant: Fred and Mary Wade  
Ushers: Glenda and Rick Hooper  
Pianist: Peggy Stucky  
Worship Leader: Heidi Unruh  
Scripture Reader: Calvin Nisly  
Children's Time: Peggy Stucky and DeAnna Goering  
Sermon: Pastor Tonya Ramer Wenger

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**The Burning Bush**  
Ex 3:1-12

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**SEASON OF CREATION 2022**

### **Coming up @ FMC**

#### **LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP!**

#### **GUESS WHO'S COMING TO THE YARD? – SEPT 11 OR 18**

You are invited to join a small group for a social gathering . . . we call it “*Guess Who’s Coming to the Yard?*” These events will be September 11 and September 18, at 5:30pm. You choose one evening and sign up to be either a guest or a host (for a group of 6-8 people). Sign up TODAY on the sheet on the table in the foyer – and please indicate whether you would like to be a guest or a host. Then you will receive information about your group and location. This is a wonderful way to get to know others in our FMC family . . . you don’t want to miss this opportunity!

#### **CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OCTOBER 22-23, 2022**

RSVP on our website ([hutchfmc.org/fmc-centennial-celebration/](http://hutchfmc.org/fmc-centennial-celebration/)) by OCT 1! We are asking everyone – local and at a distance – to RSVP.

On the website you’ll also find a detailed weekend schedule.

October WNAF event details will be added soon for:

OCT 5 Dale Schrag: *Anabaptist Streams Converging in Central KS*

OCT 9 (Sunday) LeRoy Esau and John Esau: *Hymn Sing-Along*

OCT 12 June Galle Krehbiel, Bonnie Swenson & Delon Martens,  
*reflecting on the making of our 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary history book.*

OCT 19 *Conversation with former FMC Pastors*



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