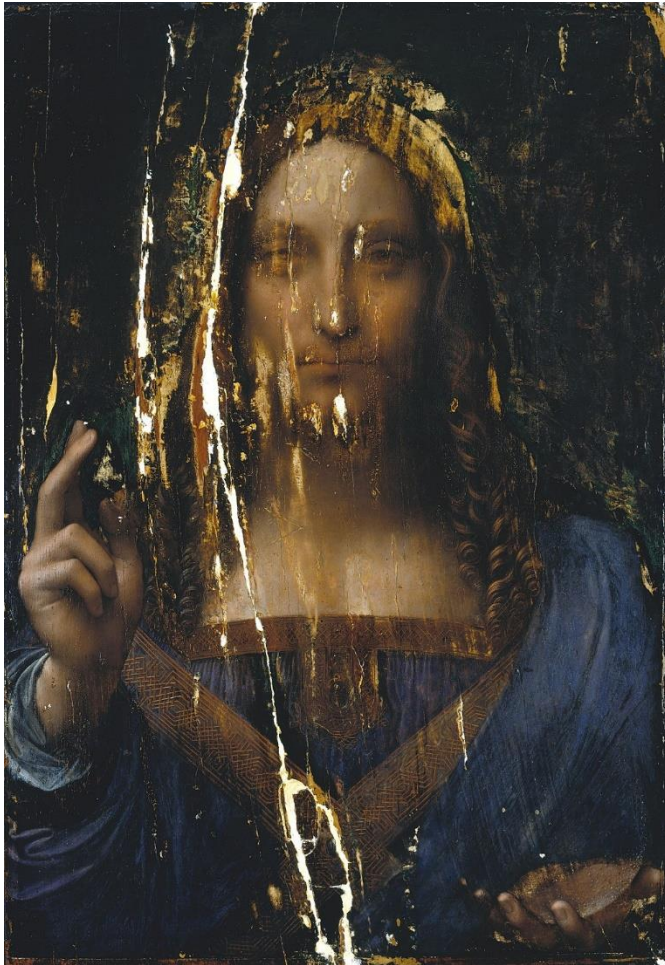


Keene Valley Congregational Church United Church of Christ

September 29, 2024



Restoration

WE GATHER IN CELEBRATION

MEDITATION

WELCOME

WELCOMING MUSIC

"Make a Joyful Noise"

Owens

HYMN

"From All That Dwells Below the Skies"

#27

OPENING READING

Psalm 51: 1a, 6 – 7, 10 – 12

Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;

You desire truth in the inward being;
therefore teach me wisdom in my secret heart.
Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean;
wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and put a new and right spirit within me.
Do not cast me away from your presence,
and do not take your holy spirit from me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and sustain in me a willing spirit.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Lighting the Candle of Peace

Greeting Each Other in Peace

WE SHARE SACRED CONVERSATION

ANTHEM

"Blessed Assurance"

Knapp

YOUTH MESSAGE

PRAYER

Period of Silent Meditation

Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

All: 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

OFFERING

Offertory

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Doxology

**All: To God, all honor and delight,
To Christ revealed in earthly night
To God the Spirit now we raise
Our joyful songs of thankful praise. Amen**

Unison Prayer of Dedication

All: God, we pray that you receive these offerings and transform them into extraordinary blessings. Where your children cry, may they be used to bring joy. Where your children have forgotten to care, may they be used

to open hearts. Where your children look within, may they be used to invite all of us to look without. Amen.

SCRIPTURE

Mark 9:38 – 50

REFLECTION

Restoration

JUST A MOMENT MUSICAL SELECTION

Martha Gallagher

WE RETURN TO THE WORLD

HYMN

“Lord, Make Me More Holy”

#75

CHARGE

based on Micah 6:8

One: As we leave our sanctuary today, and meet again the joys and challenges of our lives and of all Creation, let us remember what God requires of us throughout the upcoming week:

All: To do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with our God.

BENEDICTION

CLOSING MUSIC

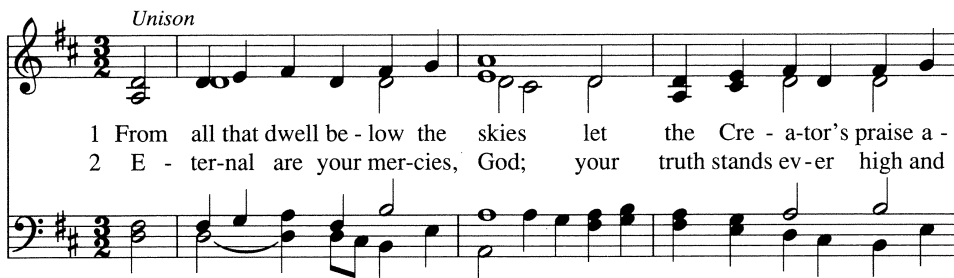
From All That Dwell below the Skies

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Isaac Watts, 1719; alt.

Ps. 117

Unison



1 From all that dwell be - low the skies let the Cre - a - tor's praise a -
2 E - ter - nal are your mer - cies, God; your truth stands ev - er high and

(Harmony) *(Unison)*



rise; Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Let the Re - deem - er's name be
broad: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Your praise shall sound from shore to

(Harmony)



sung through ev - ery land, by ev - ery tongue. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
shore till suns shall rise and set no more.

(Unison)



lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Lord, Make Me More Holy

75

African-American spiritual

1 Lord, make me more ho - ly. Lord, make me more ho - ly.

The first system of the musical score is written in 6/8 time with a key signature of two flats (Bb and Eb). The melody is on a treble clef staff, and the bass line is on a bass clef staff. The lyrics are: "1 Lord, make me more ho - ly. Lord, make me more ho - ly."

Lord, make me more ho - ly, un - til we meet a - gain.

The second system of the musical score continues the melody and bass line. The lyrics are: "Lord, make me more ho - ly, un - til we meet a - gain."

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly un - til we meet a - gain.

The third system of the musical score concludes the phrase. The lyrics are: "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly un - til we meet a - gain."

- 2 Lord, make me more faith-ful, . . . Faith-ful, . . . un-til we meet a-gain.
- 3 Lord, make me more hum-ble, . . . Hum-ble, . . . un-til we meet a-gain.
- 4 Lord, make me more righ-teous, . . . Righ-teous, . . . un-til we meet a-gain.

Today's Worship Leadership:

Minister – The Rev. John Sampson
Worship Assistant – Anne Hurd
Ushers – Linda Bogardus & Martha Swan
Flowers – Alana Both
Coffee Hour – Leslie Shipps
Music Director – Rob Hastings
Accompanist – Lynn DeWalt
Zoom Administrators – Jimm Collin & Fritz Sabbow
Child Care – Henrietta Jordan
Bulletin Formation – Liz Jaques
Procurement of Ushers/Worship Assistants – Merle Tanis

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This Week @ KVCC

Day	Time	Activity
Sunday	7:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:15 AM 3:00 PM	Centering Prayer - Via Zoom Worship - In-person and via Zoom Care-Giving Presentation EBFA Concert
Monday	7:00 AM -----	Centering Prayer - Via Zoom Pastor's Day Off
Tuesday	7:00 AM 8:00-Noon 9:00 AM 1:00 PM	Centering Prayer - Via Zoom Liz in Office Book Group – Via Zoom S. Crawford Internment
Wednesday	7:00 AM 10:00 AM 4:30 PM	Centering Prayer - Via Zoom HP Hospice Choir
Thursday	7:00 AM 8:00-Noon 10:30 AM 1:00-3:00 PM	Centering Prayer - Via Zoom Liz in Office Neighborhood House - In person Pastor John in Office
Friday	7:00 AM 9:00 AM 3:00-5:00 PM 4:00 PM	Centering Prayer - Via Zoom Prayer Group Post Card Signing Blessing of the Animals
Saturday	7:00 AM 9:00 AM Noon to 4	Centering Prayer - Via Zoom Faith & Issues - via Zoom Plattsburgh Pride Festival
Sunday	7:00 AM 10:00 AM	Centering Prayer - Via Zoom Worship - In person and via Zoom

Images:

The first and second images are of Salvatore Mundi, by Leonardo DaVinci. The first is before restoration, the second after restoration.

