



# First Congregational Church

IN WINCHESTER, UCC

## Order of Worship - Fourth Sunday of Easter - April 21, 2024 - Creation Care Jazz Service

Prelude		Jazz Trio
Welcome/Call to Worship		Rev. Maeve Hammond
Processional Hymn	<i>Morning Has Broken</i>	Pilgrim Hymnal, #38
Morning Prayer		Karen Bellacosa
The Lord's Prayer		
Act of Praise - Gloria Patri		
Time for the Young		Maggie Keeler
Testimony	Gardens for Good	Regina Campbell
Hymn	<i>For the Earth Forever Turning</i>	
Scripture	Psalm 96 1 Peter 1:13-16, 19-21	Liturgists: Katherine & Carolyn P.
Sermon	"Christ-Soaked Creation"	Rev. Maeve Hammond
Offertory		
Anthem	<i>This Is the Day</i>	Music: Dan Forrest Text: Psalm 118
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Maeve Hammond
Closing Hymn	<i>For the Beauty of the Earth</i> (vv. 1, 2, 3, 5)	Pilgrim Hymnal, #66
Announcements/Benediction		Rev. Maeve Hammond
Postlude		Jazz Trio

**Rev. Will Burhans**, Lead Pastor, **Rev. Maeve Hammond**, Associate Pastor,  
**Jane Ring Frank**, Minister of Worship & the Arts, **Maggie Keeler**, Minister of Children & Families,  
**Jeffrey Mead**, Keyboards, **Sarah Marino**, Office Administrator  
**Thanks to Brian McArdle**, our Live Stream Technician, and **Julia Daggett** for Slide Advancement.  
Deacons serving today are: **Carol Andrus, Kate Carpini, Janet Hall, and Petra Sansom.**

### Visitors, get connected!

Please tell us about yourself and/or request a prayer by filling out a Welcome/Prayer Request Card found in the pews.

## Please keep these people in your prayers

Prayers for **Kim Yaklic**, Rev. Maeve's godmother, who is undergoing surgery soon.

**Suzy Reno**, in her grief for the death of her sister, Barbara Sawtelle.

For healing and comfort for **Jerry Vaughn** who has been recovering in the hospital with a brain bleed.

**Mary Lynn Bukey**, Michelle Stewart's mom, praying for both answers and healing.

Prayers of healing and comfort for Bruce Lauterwasser's Aunt **Joan** and her daughter **Babs** who is offering support to her at a difficult time.

**Kathy Ciolino**, college roommate and friend of Linda Alexander, for recovery and healing from an aneurysm bleed.

**Cooper Sayre**, Liz and Dick's grandson, for continued healing after his traumatic brain injury sustained in a November car accident.

Prayers for **John Loewy**, for his recovery and healing from his heart attack.

Prayers for the comfort and healing of cancer for **Belinda**.

**Gledis**, health for her heart.

Continued prayers for Laurie Roby's friend **Laurel** and her sister, **Amy** in her ongoing treatment for cancer.

**John Keeley**, for healing and recovery.

**Erin**, Nanci Church's niece, who was recently diagnosed with cancer, for healing.

**Sue Matinski**, friend of Jody Mullane, for her treatment and diagnosis of breast cancer.

Carrie Ehrbar's parents, **Tom & Kathy**, who are losing their ability to live independently.

**Shelly Griffiths**, Tomye Little's cousin, for healing, comfort and peace for her and her family.

**Nancy Alleyn**, friend of Nick Wankowicz's sister, Nina, for healing.

Prayers for peace for **Mike Redding** and her loved ones.

**Glenn McPherson**, Tony McPherson's brother, for healing as he awaits a kidney transplant.

**Olivia**, for healing and help finding her way back to recovery.

## Flowers

Today's chancel flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Helen and David McKnight by the Reno family.

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