Space to Dream SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16



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PRELUDE

Largo from Concerto in C

Antonio Vivaldi Eileen Miller, Organist

WELCOME

Sharon Fields, Associate Minister of Executive Operations

Rev. Heather Grantham

(Breathe in) I am enough. (Breathe Out) I am enough now.

* PRAYER OF THE DAY

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Piper

God We are Divine to Rest is to Be Human, Give us the chance to unfurl, the stories that await and uncover if only we Rest Play and Dream ourselves Out of The Systems of Exhaustion We pray. Amen.

* CALL TO CONFESSION

God calls us to dream ourselves with God, so come, let us rest with the Divine as we confess together: God, we confess that we do not dream enough. We do not value our divine spark. We confess that we busy ourselves: with getting by, surviving, achieving, even outdoing one another. We confess to honor the Sabbath. Remind us that rest is holy and beautiful, and helps us reclaim our humanity we pray. Amen.

* ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hear the Good News: God is always awaiting to restore us, so we can proclaim the Good News: **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

* PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The Peace of Christ be always with you. And also with you. Share the peace with your neighbors by greeting in the way most comfortable for you.

TIME FOR THE CHILD IN US ALL

We invite children to come up to the chancel steps for a special message & I Can Pray Milestone. Afterwards, children prek-3rd grade can join staff and volunteers for Sacred Studio. 4th and 5th graders will sit together in worship. Childcare is available for 5 and under in the Frolic Room.

I CAN PRAY MILESTONE

Isabelle Vincent Dory Hazel Adi Josie Naomi

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our God, 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. Amen.

ANTHEM

Thou Wilt Keep Them in Perfect Peace Samuel Sebastian Wesley Chancel Choir, directed by Dr. David Kozisek

SCRIPTURE READING

Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done and how he had killed all the prophets with the sword. Then Jezebel sent a messenger to Elijah, saying, "So may the gods do to me and more also, if I do not make your life like the life of one of them by this time tomorrow." Then he was afraid; he got up and fled for his life and came to Beer-sheba, which belongs to Judah; he left his servant there. But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die, "It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors." Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, "Get up and eat." He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones and a jar of water. He ate and drank and lay down again. The angel of the Lord came a second time, touched him, and said, "Get up and eat, or the journey will be too much for you." He got up and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.

The word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.

REFLECTION

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Rev. Mariah Furness Tollgaard

SONG

There Will Be Stars

John Duke Brandon Galbraith, Tenor

There will be stars over the place forever; Though the house we loved and the street we loved are lost, Ev'ry time the earth circles her orbit On the night the autumn equinox is crossed,

Two stars we knew, poised on the peak of midnight, Will reach their zenith; Stillness will be deep; There will be stars over the place forever,

There will be stars forever, while we sleep. -Sara Teasdale

OFFERING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

* HYMN 2202

Come Away with Me

* SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE

Rigaudon

André Campra

You are welcome to remain seated or to depart during the postlude. Please join us after worship downstairs in the community room for coffee & refreshments.

THIS WEEK AT HAMLINE CHURCH

SUN 10:00AM | WORSHIP

10:15AM | SACRED STUDIO

11:00AM | COFFEE HOUR

11:30AM | YOUTH GROUP Youth Room

2:00PM - 5:00PM | VOLUNTEERING AT DOROTHY DAY OPPORTUNITY CENTER bit.ly/HamlineMealService

WFD

12:30PM | CENTERING PRAYER

Via text message. Contact Julie Dahlke (jlddvm@usfamily.net).

1:00PM | MAHJONG GROUP

Parlor, Contact kayfrase@gmail.com

4:00PM | HANDBELL CHOIR REHEARSAL

5:30PM | DINNER - hamlinechurch.org/signupcentral

5:45PM | WEDNESDAY NIGHT STUDIO (infant - 5th)

6:00PM | ARTWORK SHARING SMALL GROUP

6:00PM | HOUSE BAND REHEARSAL

6:00PM | SING, SAY, DANCE, & PLAY! (k - 5th)

7:00PM | CHANCEL CHOIR REHEARSAL

SAT

7:00PM | COMMUNITY ART SHOW

NEXT SUN 8:55AM-9:15AM | CENTERING PRAYER

> 9:00AM | FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP Parlor

9:15AM | CENTERING PRAYER

Via text message. Contact Julie Dahlke (*ilddvm@usfamily.net*).

10:00AM | WORSHIP

10:15AM | SACRED STUDIO

11:00AM | COFFEE HOUR Community Room

11:00AM | UKULELE YOUTH BAND Room 7

11:15AM | IFA VOLUNTEER TRAINING Parlor and on zoom

COMMUNITY ART SHOW

Next Saturday, February 22, 2025, 7:00pm - 9:30pm The Music & Art series presents our second annual art exhibition! Featuring art from community members, refreshments, and live music from the Jazz Central Quartet.

All ages welcome. Free and open to the public. Local art available for purchase.

Contribute your Art! We are looking for artists of all ages and abilities from our community! Deadline is February 17.

For more info: *hamlinechurch.org/art* Questions? Contact Betsey Hodson (*betsey.hodson@gmail.com*).



WELCOME TO HAMLINE

Welcome to Hamline Church! To those who are worshiping here for the first time, or who have returned after an absence, we greet you with joy. Your presence enriches this time of celebration. May all experience God as we worship.

KIDS TODAY

Children in prek-3rd grade can join staff and volunteers for Sacred Studio (our spiritual formation time) after the milestone. 4th-5th graders will sit together in worship and then gather in the youth room after the sermon. Please pick your child up at the end of worship. Pre-K: Room 10, 1st Grade: Room 7, 2nd - 3rd: Parlor

Are children welcome here?

Yes! Children are always welcome in worship. Coloring and reading supplies are available near the Commons doors, and in the narthex. We have a quieter space available to all in the chapel off the narthex.

Where is the nursery?

Children 5 and under are welcome in the nursery, located in Room 8 in the upstairs Sunday school hallway. Our service is streamed in the nursery, if you would like to join your child. Nursing spaces include: the rocking chairs in the sanctuary, in the Frolic room (8), or in the chapel off the narthex.

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT WORSHIP TODAY ...

When do I stand?

* Please stand if you are able for titles marked with a star *

When do I speak? Words in "Bold" print are for everyone.

Where is this hymn?

Hymns with 2 or 3 numbers are in the hard cover UMC hymnal. Hymns with 4 numbers are in the soft-cover *The Faith We Sing* hymnal.

Where is the restroom?

There are restrooms just through the commons at the top of the stairs. There are more restrooms downstairs below the front doors.

A quiet low sensory space is available to all in the chapel off the narthex.



Assistive listening devices are available for use, or you can connect through wifi and use your own hearing aid or headset. Please see a greeter if you need assistance.

WAYS TO GIVE

Your offering helps support the mission and ministry of Hamline Church. There are many ways to make your contribution:

- Place offerings in the boxes after worship.
- Online giving: QR code or hamlinechurch.org/give
- Checks can be mailed to the church.
- Text to Give: Text HamlineChurch1514G\$100 to 73256. Give in any increment you choose by entering the amount after the \$.



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