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SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
ENGLISH AND JAPANESE JOINT WORSHIP
JULY 5, 2026 • 10:00 am
ORDER OF WORSHIP

(Please be sure to silence your cell phones. Thank you!)

PRELUDE 前奏: – Shane Cantanho

WELCOME 歓迎: — Mark Teagle, Director of
Spiritual Formation, Community Engagement, and Music

***CALL TO WORSHIP** 招きの言葉: – Carol Mar

Leader: O sing to the Lord a new song;

People: sing to the Lord, all the earth.

Leader: Declare God's glory among the nations;

People: tell all the people of God's marvelous works.

Leader: Say among the nations: The Lord is sovereign!

People: God will judge the peoples with equity.

All: Let us worship God.

***OPENING PRAYER 祈祷:** – Carol Mar

Lord Jesus Christ, you are our way to life, justice, and peace. In you we are called to find our unity. Come into the brokenness of our lives and our land with your healing love. Help us to be willing to bow before you in true repentance and to bow to one another in real forgiveness. By the fire of your Holy Spirit, melt our hard hearts and consume the prejudice and pride which separate us. Fill us, O Lord, with your perfect love that casts out fear and bind us together in the unity that you share with the Father and the Holy Spirit. Lord, hear our prayer. Amen.

***SONG: “Come, Now Is the Time to Worship”**

– Wesley Praise Band

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Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come just as you are to worship.
Come just as you are before your God. Come.

Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come just as you are to worship.
Come just as you are before your God. Come.

One day every tongue will confess you are God.
One day every knee will bow.
Still the greatest treasure remains for those who
gladly choose you now.

Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come just as you are to worship.
Come just as you are before your God.
Come. Come. Come.

***SONG: “You Are Good” – Wesley Praise Band**

Words and music by Israel Houghton

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Lord, you are good,
and your mercy endures forever.
Lord, you are good,
and your mercy endures forever.
People from every nation and tongue,
from generation to generation.

We worship you, hallelujah, hallelujah;
we worship you for who you are;
we worship you, hallelujah, hallelujah;
we worship you for who you are;
for you are good.

Lord, you are good,
and your mercy endures forever.
Lord, you are good,
and your mercy endures forever.
People from every nation and tongue,
from generation to generation.

We worship you, hallelujah, hallelujah;
we worship you for who you are;
we worship you, hallelujah, hallelujah;
we worship you for who you are;
for you are good.

Yes, you are, yes, you are, yes, you are.
So good, so good;
yes, you are, yes, you are, yes, you are.

You are good all the time;
all the time you are good;
you are good all the time;
all the time you are good.

Lord, you are good,
and your mercy endures forever.
Lord, you are good,
and your mercy endures forever.
People from every nation and tongue,

from generation to generation.

We worship you, hallelujah, hallelujah;
we worship you for who you are;
we worship you, hallelujah, hallelujah;
we worship you for who you are;
for who you are, for who you are,
you are good!

Children and Youth remain in worship.

ANTHEM: “Step By Step with Lead Me Lord”

– Wesley Summer Singers

Words and Music by David Strasser,

“Lead Me, Lord” by Samuel Wesley

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SCRIPTURE 聖書: – Carol Mar

Matthew 22:15-22

¹⁵Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. ¹⁶So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, “Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one, for you do not regard people with partiality. ¹⁷Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar or not?” ¹⁸But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, “Why are you putting

me to the test, you hypocrites? ¹⁹Show me the coin used for the tax.” And they brought him a denarius. ²⁰Then he said to them, “Whose head is this and whose title?”

²¹They answered, “Caesar’s.” Then he said to them, “Give therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar’s and to God the things that are God’s.” ²²When they heard this, they were amazed, and they left him and went away.

JAPANESE SCRIPTURE聖書: – Katsue Watts ワッツ克江
マタイによる福音書22章15節－22節(新共同訳)

¹⁵それから、ファリサイ派の人々は出て行って、どのようにしてイエスの言葉じりをとらえて、罠にかけようかと相談した。 ¹⁶そして、その弟子たちをヘロデ派の人々と一緒にイエスのところに遣わして尋ねさせた。「先生、わたしたちは、あなたが真実な方で、真理に基づいて神の道を教え、だれをもはばからない方であることを知っています。人々を分け隔てなさらないからです。 ¹⁷ところで、どうお思いでしょうか、お教えてください。皇帝に税金を納めるのは、律法に適っているでしょうか、適っていないでしょうか。」 ¹⁸イエスは彼らの悪意に気づいて言われた。「偽善者たち、なぜ、わたしを試そうとするのか。 ¹⁹税金に納めるお金を見せなさい。」彼らがデナリオン銀貨を持って来ると、 ²⁰イエスは、「これは、だれの肖像と銘か」と言われた。 ²¹彼らは、「皇帝のものです」と言った。すると、イエスは言われた。「では、皇帝のものは皇

帝に、神のものは神に返しなさい。」²²彼らはこれを聞いて驚き、イエスをその場に残して立ち去った。

MESSAGE 説教: “Is America a Christian Nation?”

— Derek Miyahara, Co-Chair, Worship Committee

SONG: “This Is My Song” – Wesley Praise Band

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and music by Jean Sibelius.*

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This is my song, O God of all the nations,
a song of peace for lands afar and mine.
This is my home, the country where my heart is;
here are my hopes, my dreams, my holy shrine;
but other hearts in other lands are beating
with hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.

My country's skies are bluer than the ocean,
and sunlight beams on cloverleaf and pine;
but other lands have sunlight too, and clover,
and skies are everywhere as blue as mine.
O hear my song, thou God of all the nations,
a song of peace for their land and for mine.

This is my prayer, O Lord of all earth's kingdoms:
Thy kingdom come; on earth thy will be done.
Let Christ be lifted up till all shall serve him,

and hearts united learn to live as one.
O hear my prayer, thou God of all the nations;
myself I give thee; let thy will be done.

COLLECTION OF OUR OFFERING 献金: — Carol Mar

*If this is your first time or you are new, please don't
feel any obligation to put anything in the offering
plate. Your presence with us is truly gift enough.*

OFFERTORY MUSIC

— Shane Cantanho

“America the Beautiful”

Today's altar flowers are donated by Doris Tabuchi
in honor of the 250th anniversary of
Independence Day.

***DOXOLOGY** 頌栄: — Shane Cantanho

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Words by Thomas Ken, Music by Luis Bourgeois

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

In Japanese:

A-me-tsu-chi ko-zo-ri-te

Ka-shi-ko-mi ta-ta-e-yo

Mi-me-gu-mi a-fu-ru-ru
Chi-chi mi-ko mi-ta-ma wo. Amen

***OFFERTORY PRAYER 祈禱:** — Carol Mar

Accept these gifts we bring, O Lord. Give us the wisdom, courage, and love we need to use them in ways that please you, spread the gospel, and care for our neighbors with the love of Jesus. We thank you for your indescribable gift! Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE 牧会祈禱: — Mark Teagle

THE LORD'S PRAYER:

Our Creator, 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.

***SONG: “Let There Be Peace on Earth” — UMH #431**
— Wesley Praise Band

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Let there be peace on earth,
and let it begin with me;
let there be peace on earth,
the peace that was meant to be.

With God our creator,
children all are we .
Let us walk with each other
in perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me;
let this be the moment now.
With every step I take,
let this be my solemn vow:

to take each moment
and live each moment
in peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth,
and let it begin with me.

***BENEDICTION 祝禱:** – Derek Miyahara

***RESPONSE 応答:** – “Go Now In Peace” – Shane Cantanho

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Go now in peace, never be afraid.
God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know God will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there, watching from above
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.
Amen. Amen. Amen.

POSTLUDE MUSIC 後奏: — Shane Cantanho

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*Please stand if you are able.