

ALKI UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

June 21, 2026
Order of Service
for the Worship of God



Gathering Music Daniel Self, Music Director

Prelude

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement Lisa D-J

Centering Song *Welcome to this House*
David Cowen (all music at end)

Call to Worship Marilyn M, Liturgist (responsive)

Come wandering ones, come troubled ones, come all.

We gather to encounter God who sees us.

We gather to encounter God who hears us.

We gather to encounter God who says, "Do not be afraid."

We gather to encounter God who lifts our heads and opens our eyes to grace.

Come, let us worship God together!

Opening Song *Morning Has Broken* Eleanor Farjeon

Prayer for Transformation

Special Music *Here Comes The Sun* George Harrison
Sing Along As You Like

CHORUS

Here comes the sun

Here comes the sun

And I say, "It's alright"

Little darling

Its been a long, cold, lonely winter

Little darling

It feels like years since it's been here

CHORUS

Little darling

The smile's returning to the faces

Little darling

It seems like years since its been here

CHORUS

Sun, sun, sun, here it comes

CHORUS

Little darling

I feel that ice is slowly melting

Little darling

It seems like years since its been clear

CHORUS

Scripture Matthew 10: 24-39

NRSVue

A disciple is not above the teacher nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

So have no fear of them, for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light, and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, fear the one who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.

Everyone, therefore, who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven, but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace but a sword.

For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law, and one's foes will be members of one's own household.

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.

Sermon "Father, Sun-Son, Holy Spirit" (Dig Deep - a work in progress)

Quiet Meditation

Song of Response *For the Beauty of the Earth* NCH #28

Prayers of the People

Time, Talent & Treasure

Mission Updates

Offering Invitation Shannon P

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Offertory

Doxology *A New Doxology (sung to Old 100th)* Text by Amanda Udis-Kessler

*Praise holy love that lives in all,
Our source, our path, our sacred call.
Enlarge the circle of our care
To bless all people everywhere.
Amen.*

Prayer of Dedication

Benediction

Closing Song Threefold Amen
Amen, amen, amen

Postlude



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GATHER

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Welcome to This House

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1. Wel - come to this house, _____
 2. Wel - come to this house, _____

o - pen and af - firm ing.
 there is room for ev - 'ry one.

In God's Son we are all one.
 All will sing, prais - es we bring.

Hand in hand we stand _____
 Let us all be one _____

Wel - come to this house, _____ car - ing and ac -
 Wel - come to this house, _____ where God gives the

- cept ing. In God's Son
 call _____ to serve. All will sing,

we are all one. Wel - come to this
 prais - es we bring. Wel - come to this

G¹¹ G C G¹¹ G

house of God.
house of God.

D^bmaj⁹ D^b A^b11 D^bmaj⁹ D^b A^b11 D^bmaj⁹ D^b A^b11

3. Wel - come to this house, _____ blessed by Word and

D^bmaj⁹ A^bm⁷ D^b7 G^bmaj⁷ C Fm⁷ B^bm⁷

Har - mo - ny. Child of God, born from a - bove.

E^bm⁷ Fm⁷ G^b B^bm/G A^bsus A^b A^b11 D^bmaj⁹ D^b A^b11

Know that Christ is love. _____ Wel - come to this

D^bmaj⁹ D^b A^b11 D^bmaj⁹ D^b A^b11 D^bmaj⁹ D^b A^bm⁷ D^b7

house, _____ filled with peace and char - i - ty.

G^bmaj⁷ C Fm⁷ B^bm⁷

Child of God, born from a - bove,

E^bm⁷ A^b11 A^b D^b A^b11 D^badd⁹

wel - come to this house of God. _____

Morning Has Broken

C Am Dm G F G

1 Morn - ing has bro - ken like the first morn - ing;
 2 Sweet the rain's new fall, sun - lit from heav - en,
 3 Mine is the sun - light! Mine is the morn - ing,

Am Em Am Em Dm⁷ Gsus G

black-bird has spo - ken like the first bird.
 like the first dew - fall on the first grass.
 born of the one light E - den saw play!

Em Am F G F G⁷

Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the morn - ing!
 Praise for the sweet - ness of the wet gar - den,
 Praise with e - la - tion, praise ev - 'ry morn - ing,

C Em⁷ Am Dm G⁷ C

Praise for them, spring - ing fresh from the Word!
 sprung in com - plete - ness where God's feet pass.
 God's re - cre - a - tion of the new day!