



“What must I do to inherit eternal life?”

- Mark 10:17

October 20, 2024

ROLLING HILLS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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**SUNDAY WORSHIP HOURS
8:30 & 10:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.**

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OUR CHURCH AT WORSHIP

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*As we gather we hope you will visit quietly with friends.
Please silence cell phones.*

**Standing - if comfortable*

PRELUDE “Sonata in E-Flat Major” Hob.XVI, mvt.2 – Haydn Althea Waites

*CALL TO WORSHIP *from Psalm 104*

Leader: Bless the Lord, O my soul.

People: O Lord, how manifold are your works!

Leader: In wisdom, you have made them all.

People: The earth is full of your creatures.

*HYMN “Creating God, Your Fingers Trace” vs 1, 2 & 4 #109
(to the tune of “Truro” #213)

**Creating God, your fingers trace the bold designs of farthest space;
Let sun and moon and stars and light and what lies hidden praise your might.**

**Sustaining God, your hands uphold earth’s mysteries known or yet untold;
Let water’s fragile blend with air, enabling life, proclaim your care.**

**Indwelling God, your gospel claims one family with a billion names;
Let every life be touched by grace until we praise you face to face.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND RENEWAL

**Unison: Generous God, you offer us much in the way of guidance and encouragement.
And yet we struggle to understand your purposes and intentions. You show us the
path of salvation, and yet we have a hard time trusting you with our future. Open
our hearts and minds to receive your word so that we may grow in grace and faith.
Speak to us in the silence. Teach us to rely on your truth. Amen.**

SILENT PRAYER

WORDS OF ASSURANCE Tony Moretti

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #84

**Thank you, Lord. Thank you, Lord. Thank you Lord.
I just want to thank you, Lord.
Thank you, Lord. Thank you, Lord. Thank you Lord.
I just want to thank you, Lord.**

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

*Welcome pads are closest to the center aisle. Please share your name
and pass the pad down the row. Afterward, please return the pad to the aisle seat.*

THE WORD FOR CHILDREN April Herron

*The children are invited to gather in front of the steps for a brief sermon and prayer.
Afterward, they may leave for Sunday School or stay for the rest of the service.*

ANTHEM *"Take My Life, and Let It Be"* – W. H. Jude Chancel Choir

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION Jonathan Chute

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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. Amen.**

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

OFFERTORY Althea Waites

*DOXOLOGY #95

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

SCRIPTURE

Mark 10:17-31 Jesus speaks about the path to eternal life Tony Moretti
Pg. 56, New Testament

SERMON *"Possibilities"* April Herron

*HYMN *"I Surrender All"* vs 1 & 4 #354

**All to Jesus I surrender; all to him I freely give;
I will ever love and trust him, in his presence daily live.**

**(Refrain) I surrender all, I surrender all,
All to thee, my blessed Savior, I surrender all.**

**All to Jesus I surrender; Lord, I give myself to thee;
Fill me with thy love and power; let thy blessing fall on me.**

(Refrain)

*BENEDICTION AND CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**God be with you till we meet again, by his counsels guide, uphold you,
With his sheep securely fold you. God be with you till we meet again.**

POSTLUDE *"Chaconne/Variations in F Major"* – Purcell Althea Waites

New to the Church?

We are grateful that we can worship together. Please use
our digital welcome pad by opening the QR code. Thank you!



Rev. Jonathan Chute, Senior Pastor
Rev. Kristin Sutrave, Youth Ministry Director
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Paula Kuno, 3rd Service Music
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