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New Beginnings | August 8, 3:00pm St. Francis Episcopal Church Andrew Hathaway, conductor

Laudate Knut Nystedt

Reading: Mother, I Shall Weave a Chain of Pearls, from *Gitanjali* Rabindranath Tagore

Salve Regina Carlos Cordero

Reading: This is my wish for you... Ralph Waldo Emerson

I Will Not Leave You Comfortless William Byrd

Reading: The Sun Angela Yardy

The Elements of the Sun Broke into Song Melissa Dunphy

Reading: The Wave Returns to the Ocean, from *The Good Place*

Esto Les Digo Kinley Lange

Emelynn Montoya, solo

Reading: Excerpt from *The Little Prince*Antoine de Saint-Exupéry

Underneath the Stars Kate Rusby, arr. Jim Clements

Kristen Redaniel, solo

Reading: Dream Big! Julie Anna Douglas

Hold Fast to Dreams Susan Labarr

Truesten Tautolo, piano

Reading: The Summer Day Mary Oliver

Wipip!!! Sydney Guillaume

Singers

Soprano	Alto	Tenor	Bass
Lauren Diez Emelynn Montoya Kristina Nakagawa Lou Sullivan	Michelle Dreyband Danielle Imai Kristen Redaniel Karter Ruud	Johnny Gonzales Joshua Lanam Corey Liggans Miller Albee Mabeza	Wilfred Mathews Noah Rulison Kevin Schoenfeld Truesten Tautolo
	Pia Satana	Mark Wong	Lu Tesarowski

Texts and Translations

Laudate

Laudate Dominum omnes gentes
Praise the Lord, all nations;
Laudate eum, omnes populi
Praise Him, all people.

Guoniam confirmata est
For he has bestowed
His mercy upon us,
Et veritas Domini manet in aeternum.
And the truth of the Lord endures forever.

"Mother, I shall weave a chain of pearls" from Gitanjali

Mother, I shall weave a chain of pearls for thy neck with my tears of sorrow.

The stars have wrought their ankets of light to deck thy feet, but mine will hang upon thy breast.

Wealth and fame come from thee and it is for thee to give or to withhold them. But this my sorrow is absolutely mine own, and when I bring it to thee as my offering thou rewardest me with thy grace.

Salve Regina

Salve Regina, mater misericordiae:	Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy:
Vita, dulcedo, et spes nostra, salve.	Hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope.
Ad te clamamus, exsules filii Evae.	To thee do we cry, poor banished children of
	Eve.

Ad te suspiramus, gementes et flentes,

In hac lacrimarum valle.

To thee do we send up our sighs, Mourning and weeping in this vale of tears.

Eja ergo, Advocata nostra, illos tuos misericordes oculos

ad nos converte.

Turn then, most gracious Advocate, Thine eyes of mercy toward us.

Et Jesum, benedictum fructum

ventris tui,

nobis post hoc exilium ostende.

O clemens: O pia: O dulcis Virgo Maria. After this, our exile,

Show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb,

Jesus.

O merciful: O loving:

O sweet Virgin Mary.

This is my wish for you...

This is my wish for you: Comfort on difficult days, smiles when sadness intrudes, rainbows to follow the clouds, laughter to kiss your lips, sunsets to warm your heart, hugs when spirits sag, beauty for your eyes to see, friendships to brighten your being, faith so that you can believe, confidence for when you doubt, courage to know yourself, patience to accept the truth, love to complete your life.

I Will Not Leave You Comfortless

I will not leave you comfortless, I will go and come again to you, And your heart shall rejoice. Alleluia.

The Sun

She looks upon the earth below With smiling eyes and cheeks that glow, Nurturing the things that grow Her face lights up the world.

In winter when the weather's bleak She's often playing hide-and-seek And from behind the clouds she'll peek To check that you're still looking.

At night, when all is dark, she sleeps Behind the moon till morning creeps Upon us all, then out she peeps To welcome a new day.

The Elements of the Sun Broke Into Song

The elements of the sun, called Phoenixes and Chalkydri break into song, therefore every bird flutters with its wings, rejoicing at the giver of light, and they broke into song at the command of the Lord. The giver of light comes to give brightness to the whole world, and the morning guard takes shape, which is the rays of the sun, and the sun of the earth goes out, and receives its brightness to light up the whole face of the earth.

The Wave Returns to the Ocean from The Good Place

"Picture a wave. In the ocean. You can see it, measure it, its height, the way the sunlight refracts when it passes through. And it's there. And you can see it, you know what it is. It's a wave.

And then it crashes in the shore and it's gone. But the water is still there. The wave was just a different way for the water to be, for a little while. You know it's one conception of death for Buddhists: the wave returns to the ocean, where it came from and where it's supposed to be.

Esto Les Digo

Esto les digo, si dos de ustedes se ponen, se ponen en acuerdo aquí en, en la tierra para pedir, pedir algo en oración, mi padre que está en el cielo, se lo dará.

This I say to you, If two of you are put in accord here on Earth to ask anything in prayer, my Father who is in heaven will give it to you. Porque donde dos o tres se reúnen en mi nombre, allí estoy yo, en medio de ellos. For where two or three are gathered in my name,
I am there,
in the midst of them.

Excerpt from The Little Prince

"All men have stars, but they are not the same things for different people. For some, who are travelers, the stars are guides. For others they are no more than little lights in the sky. For others, who are scholars, they are problems... But all these stars are silent. You-You alone will have stars as no one else has them... In one of the stars I shall be living. In one of them I shall be laughing. And so it will be as if all the stars will be laughing when you look at the sky at night...You, only you, will have stars that can laugh! And when your sorrow is comforted (time soothes all sorrows) you will be content that you have known me... You will always be my friend. You will want to laugh with me. And you will sometimes open your window, so, for that pleasure... It will be as if, in place of the stars, I had given you a great number of little bells that knew how to laugh"

Underneath the Stars

Underneath the stars I'll meet you, Underneath the stars I'll greet you, And there beneath the stars I'll leave you Before you go of your own free will; Go gently.

Underneath the stars you met me, Underneath the stars you left me; I wonder if the stars regret me. At least you'll go of your own free will; Go gently. Here beneath the stars I'm landing,
And here beneath the stars not ending,
Oh, why on earth am I pretending?
I'm here again, the stars befriendingThey come and go of their own free will;
Go gently.

Underneath the stars you met me,
Underneath the stars you left me;
I wonder if the stars regret me,
I'm sure they'd like me if they only met me.
They come and go of their own free will;
Go gently.

Dream Big!

I'm just a simple painter but my dreams fill up the sky. You should dream big, dream BIG, my child. Come let me tell you why. When everything is going wrong, I'm downcast and alone.
I dream I'm the best artist that the world has ever known.

I paint these little pictures now, for fun for you and me but dream that maybe one day the whole, wide world will see.

When others trample on your hopes and laugh and sneer and moan,

it is because they wish they had ambition of their own.

So, when you've dreamed and dreamed until your heart is set to soar, just gently close your eyes my child and dream a little more.

Hold Fast to Dreams

Hold fast to dreams
For if dreams die
Life is a broken-winged bird
That cannot fly.
Hold fast to dreams
For when dreams go
Life is a barren field
Frozen with snow.

The Summer Day

Who made the world? Who made the swan, and the black bear? Who made the grasshopper? This grasshopper, I mean the one who has flung herself out of the grass, the one who is eating sugar out of my hand, who is moving her jaws back and forth instead of up and down who is gazing around with her enormous and complicated eyes. Now she lifts her pale forearms and thoroughly washes her face. Now she snaps her wings open, and floats away. I don't know exactly what a prayer is. I do know how to pay attention, how to fall down into the grass, how to kneel down in the grass, how to be idle and blessed, how to stroll through the fields, which is what I have been doing all day. Tell me, what else should I have done? Doesn't everything die at last, and too soon? Tell me, what is it you plan to do with your one wild and precious life?

Wipip!!!

Wow! Look at how beautiful life is! Wow! Look how happy my heart is! Wow! There is no Cain and Abel!

The sun shines all over the blessed earth; Under one flag, all nations unite. There are no gates, there are no borders; There are no fights, there are no wars... Wow!

Wow! Look at how wonderful life is!
Wow! Notice how my heart is so content!
There is no Cain and Abel...
We are all one family!
There is no fighting, there is no war...
We are all one family!
There are no bombs, there are no guns...
We are all one family!
We are all one, we all make one...
Look, look around! Wow!

Peace, Love, Joy; How beautiful! We are content, we are happy; yes, How beautiful!

Flowers of all colors have taken over my garden;

Nightingales and pigeons are singing scales all day long.

Wild beasts and sheep are sleeping on the same bed;

Happiness has spread in the midst of all deserts.

For all those who love, let us call out "Hurray!"
For all people on earth, let us call out "Hurray!"
For the blessings of life, let's cry out "Hurray!"
For music of all colors, let us shout "Hurray!"

Hurray for the Love! Hurray for the Life! Hurray for the Music! Hurray for the Peace!

Hurray for all those who are listening!
Wow! What a wonderful thing when people
respect each other;
When peace and love is spread everywhere.
Whether at home or at work,
When we all become one, life is amazing!

Life is beautiful! Look around, just look around!

To all friends listening, we must never forget, Life is beautiful when we love one another.

Look how amazing life is. Look how happy my heart is. Wow!