

**Sussex Christian Reformed Church**  
**Sunday, January 18, 2026, 6:00 PM**

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

\*“*This Is My Father's World*” PsH #374

All Verses

Verse 1

This is my Father's world

And to my list'ning ears

All nature sings and 'round me rings

The music of the spheres

This is my Father's world

I rest me in the thought

Of rocks and trees of skies and seas

His hand the wonders wrought

Verse 2

This is my Father's world

The birds their carols raise

The morning light the lily white

Declare their Maker's praise

This is my Father's world  
He shines in all that's fair  
In the rustling grass I hear Him pass  
He speaks to me everywhere

### Verse 3

This is my Father's world  
O let me ne'er forget  
That though the wrong seems oft so strong  
God is the Ruler yet  
This is my Father's world  
Why should my heart be Sad  
The lord is king let the heavens ring  
God Reigns let the earth be glad.

Franklin Lawrence Sheppard, Maltbie Davenport Babcock  
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\*“*Children of the Heavenly Father*” CH  
#719 v1-3

### Verse 1

Children of the heavenly Father  
Safely in His bosom gather  
Nestling bird nor star in heaven

Such a refuge e'er was given

Verse 2

God His own doth tend and nourish  
In His holy courts they flourish  
From all evil things He spares them  
In His mighty arms He bears them

Verse 3

Neither life nor death shall ever  
From the Lord His children sever  
Unto them His grace He showeth  
And their sorrows all He knoweth

Ernst William Olson, Karolina Wilhelmina Sandell-Berg, Robert J. Hughes  
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Silent Prayer

\*God's Greeting

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Ephesians 1:3–14

Sermon: “I Believe In....God The Father”

Prayer

\*“*Abide with Me*” PsH #470 v1-3

Verse 1

Abide with me fast falls the eventide  
The darkness deepens Lord with me abide  
When other helpers fail and comforts flee  
Help of the helpless O abide with me

### Verse 2

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day  
Earth's joys grow dim its glories pass away  
Change and decay in all around I see  
O Thou who changest not abide with me

### Verse 3

I need Thy presence ev'ry passing hour  
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's  
pow'r  
Who like Thyself my Guide and Stay can be  
Through cloud and sunshine O abide with  
me

Henry Francis Lyte, William Henry Monk  
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\*Apostle's Creed

\*“He Is Lord” CH #34 2x

He is Lord, He is Lord!  
He is risen from the dead and He is Lord!  
Every knee shall bow, every tongue  
confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.  
He is Lord, He is Lord!  
He is risen from the dead and He is Lord!  
Every knee shall bow, every tongue  
confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.  
Jesus Christ is Lord!

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Congregational Prayer

\*Benediction

\*“*Glory Be to the Father*” PsH #491

Glory be to the Father  
and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning,  
is now and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen. Amen

Henry W. Greatorex