

Hope United Church of Christ  
Sunday, May 31, 2026  
Celebrating God's Good Earth

Prelude: Holy, Holy, Holy - - - arr. Hal Hopson

Welcome

Announcements and Offering

Offering Prayer

**Opening Song:** Morning Has Broken *video*

**Call to Worship**

One: Let us remember what our God has done!

**All: God created the world out of a formless void.**

One: Let us remember what our God has done!

**All: God made every animal and plant, bird and fish.**

One: Let us remember what our God has done!

**All: God created people in the image of God.**

One: Let us remember what our God has done!

**All: God has made us caretakers of the earth.**

One: Let us remember what our God has done!

**All: Let us complete our task with faith in our hearts.**

Special Music: Mysterious Ways written by Wayne Kirkpatrick

Children's Message: Seeds of Hope

**THE ALLELUIA**

Halle, Halle, Halle-lu-ja!

Halle, Halle, Halle-lu-ja!

Halle, Halle, Halle-lu-ja!

Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Prayer before Scripture

Scripture Readings: The Book of Genesis verses from chapter one and two

Message: The Only One      Pastor Meg

**Song of Reflection:** No. 32 God of the Sparrow, God of the Whale

**Prayers of the People:** *God of Love... Hear Our Prayer*

**Lord's Prayer**

**Closing Song:** No.17 To You, O God, All Creatures Sing

Benediction

**Blessing:** "Go in Peace"

Go in peace and the peace of God be with you this day.

Go in peace and the peace of God be with you always.

Celebrate and share the joy! Celebrate new life!

Go in peace and the peace of God be with you always.

Postlude: Postlude in C - - - J.S. Bach