

## **Willow Springs Sunday Worship Oct. 30, 2022 9:30 am**

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Hosted by Elaine Good

**Welcome and Call to Worship** – Beth Gerig

**Song** – Steve

**Children's time** – Ellen Davis Zehr

**Scripture** - Matthew 5:13-16; Phil. 2:14-16; Col. 1:9-12

**Sermon** - Fred Laughlin: The Light of The World

**Song** – Steve

**Sharing/Pastoral prayer** - Ellen

After prayer times “Lord, in your mercy” respond with “hear our prayer.”

**Offering Song** - Steve

### **Announcements**

- Today The 2022-23 Sunday School and Church Office Affirmation Ballot will be presented for affirmation during worship today.
- November 14- Our Table Meal: Prep will start around 1 or 2 pm with the meal served at 5:00. Volunteers are needed for meal prep and serving.
- November 20 - A meeting to talk more about the possibility of hosting refugees is planned for Nov. 20. Bring a sack lunch and come with your ideas and questions.
- Missional Giving: Willow Springs Missional Giving emphasis for this quarter is Mennonite Disaster Service and Menno Haven Camp and Retreat Center. If you would like to give to these groups write a check to Willow Springs with the organization's name included on the Memo line. Thank you for supporting organizations connected to the Mennonite Church.
- August 8 – November 8, Cal's sabbatical
- If you have announcements for this worship sheet, please contact Deb Borys at [borysd@yahoo.com](mailto:borysd@yahoo.com).

### **Sending**

Online giving option: <https://tinyurl.com/donateWSMC>

Masks are encouraged but no longer required in our building. If you have Covid-like symptoms, please stay home and join by Zoom. Thank you for your consideration of others.

**Matthew 5:13-16 (NIV)**

13 “You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.

14 “You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. 15 Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. 16 In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

**Phil. 2:14-16**

14 Do everything without grumbling or arguing, 15 so that you may become blameless and pure, “children of God without fault in a warped and crooked generation.”[a] Then you will shine among them like stars in the sky 16 as you hold firmly to the word of life. And then I will be able to boast on the day of Christ that I did not run or labor in vain.

**Col. 1:9-12**

9 For this reason, since the day we heard about you, we have not stopped praying for you. We continually ask God to fill you with the knowledge of his will through all the wisdom and understanding that the Spirit gives,[a] 10 so that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and please him in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God, 11 being strengthened with all power according to his glorious might so that you may have great endurance and patience, 12 and giving joyful thanks to the Father, who has qualified you[b] to share in the inheritance of his holy people in the kingdom of light.