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Liturgical Date: Year C, Pentecost 14, 11th September 2022

Presenter *Rev Rob Hanks*

Focus Readings Luke 15: 1-10, Exodus 3:1-12

Message 6 minutes 20 seconds **“Rattle and Hum”**

Discussion Starters

1. What did you hear about God’s hope for the world and for lost people and things?
2. Do you have a story about God in action in the world or your life?
3. When has your church cared most for the environment or lost people in your community?
4. Who do you believe God is calling us to be in this time and place?

Lectionary readings for the day

Jeremiah 14:11-12 A sirocco signals God’s judgement on people whose evil has produced a land that is desolate, barren, and lifeless. Creation is rolled back: the heavens have no light.

Psalms 14 The psalmist sings a song of sorrow, lamenting human corruption and alienation from God. Yet, lament yields to hope for God’s deliverance and the restoration of Israel’s fortunes.

Timothy 1: 12-17 Paul voices his basic Kerygma and personal witness: “Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners”- and I’m the biggest sinner of all” (v16), proclaiming God’s mercy and grace in Christ.

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All Age Message: Rev Rob Hanks **“The Lost Things”**

Length 5 minutes 0 seconds

Precis of AAM

When Moses took his people to Egypt for years on end the one thing he did, was he took time to see and hear what God was saying to him – God even asked him to take off his sandals as he was on holy ground. Wherever we find God it is sacred ground...what does this say to us when we think about creation, is this God’s holy ground we need to care for?

Resources: Uniting in Worship (Blue Book). Psalm 14, page 252

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Youth worker and minister with an interest in great stories, imagination, faith and following Jesus.