

“Complexity and Beauty”

Devotion for May 2016

Hymn: VU 703 In the bulb there is a flower.

Scripture: Mathew 6 28:30 and Song of Songs 2:12

Reflection:

Although we celebrate Easter as a renewal of life, May is usually nature's time to spring into life. We take so much for granted but if one really looks at flowers, tree leaves, even weeds. You cannot but look in wonder and marvel at the complexity and beauty. Who could possibly design such intricate and wondrous beauty, and have it grow at the same time. Hard to think nature could just start from nothing and evolve into all its various forms. If not the God we believe in, then some magical power must be about in our world.

Discussion:

According to so called experts, 90% of our food is genetically modified. Already we are aware of some nasty results. So, is it right that man interferes, changes and modifies some of Gods creations, or is this just part of man's role on this earth?

Hymn: VU My Lord What a Morning

Prayer:

Lord, may we always be thankful and mindful of your creations in nature. Forgive us if we do harm and change things that should not be changed. Please give us the knowledge and courage to really care for your earth that we are entrusted with. Amen