



Community United Church of Christ
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An Open and Affirming Congregation
A Peace with Justice Church
August 7, 2022 10:30 a.m.
NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

PRELUDE *All Things Bright and Beautiful* arr. Laura Page,
Performed by Alaina de Bellevue

WELCOME and GATHERING WORDS Susan Marine,
Worship Leader

MUSICAL MEDITATION *Träumerei* by Schumann

CALL TO WORSHIP Nancy C Townley
L: The Lord calls us today to be people of justice and mercy.
P: Our worship is hollow if it focuses only on our own gratification.
L: The Lord asks that our words of hope become actions of peace.
P: Thanks be to God who challenges and calls us.
L: Let our ministry together bring peace and justice.
P: Let our lives reflect God's love and mercy. AMEN.

OPENING SONG *This is a Day of New Beginnings*, NCH #417 (all
verses)

UNISON PRAYER OF INVOCATION (based on Hebrews 11, Luke 12)
By Hans Holznagel

Creator God,
maker of stars and seashores,
reveal your word to us this day
in which all things were made.
Redeemer God, caller of disciples,
light our lamps this day,
dress us for action,
and open the doors
of our hearts and minds.
Sustainer God,

sender of the Holy Spirit,
renew in us the faith of our ancestors,
that we might claim it as our own
in covenant with you.
In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

READINGS Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16, Excerpts from Bread and
blessing, still by Anna Blaedel (they/them)

SERMON By Faith Rev. Jackie

COMMUNAL SILENCE

JOYS AND CONCERNS The Whole Congregation

WORLD PEACE PRAYER *Adapted from the Upanishads*
Oh God, lead us from death to life, from falsehood to truth. Lead us
from despair to hope, from fear to trust. Lead us from hate to love,
from war to peace. Let peace fill our hearts, our world, our universe.
Peace, peace, peace. Amen.

OFFERTORY *Epilogue* by Bill Evans

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE
We give you but your own, what – e'er the gift may
be; All that we have is yours alone, we give it
gratefully.

SERVICE OF COMMUNION Rev. Jackie

COMMUNION SONG *Eat This Bread*, NCH #788

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Loving God, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Your
kin-dom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us
this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our
debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For
thine is the kin-dom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever.
Amen.

CLOSING SONG *Bless the Lord, My Soul*, TFWS #2013

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG *God Be With You*, NCH #809