

Unity Presbyterian Church

Sunday, August 18, 2024

13th Sunday after Pentecost

Lighting of the Candles (quiet please)

Gathering of God's People

Choral Call to Worship

Welcome

Call to Worship

L: The Spirit of God invites us to worship.

P: In God's Spirit, we rejoice and give thanks.

L: The glory of God calls us to praise.

P. In God's glory, we meet the mysteries of the Holy.

L: The wisdom of God summons us to live with thanksgiving and truth.

P. In God's wisdom, we find grace for living our lives.

L: The love of God invites us to service.

P. In God's love we are filled with strength and peace.

L: The peace of God call us into abundant life.

All: Let us turn our hearts and minds to worship, and to living always as God's beloved ones.

+Morning Prayer

+Hymn of Praise – "Breathe on me, Breath of God" (Screen)

+Call to Confession

+Prayer of Confession

Lord, we who live as foolish and unwise. Come now before you; prayers for grace we bring. Forgive our thoughtless words and hurtful lies. Teach us your will and give us songs to sing. (Silence) Amen.

+Assurance of Pardon

+Passing the Peace

Our Life Together
Service of the Word

Children's Time

Anthem

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture References

Announcements

(Choir)

OT: Exodus 4: 1-20

Sermon: "What's in Your Hand?" Justin Powell

Responding in Faith

Hymn of Adoration-

+Affirmation of Faith

+The Apostles Creed

+ Gloria Patri

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

+The Doxology

+Prayer of Dedication

Sending Out into the World

+Hymn of Commitment-

Charge and Benediction

Choral Benediction

Postlude

"My Jesus" (Screen)

+ Please stand as you are able

We are happy you are worshipping with us this morning. If you would like to know more about us, please ask. We love to share the Unity story.

Please sign the visitor book in the vestibule so we can have a record of your visit.

Children's Bulletins and Clip Boards available in the Vestibule.

Calendar of Events

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Cleaning:

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