

Unity Presbyterian Church

Sunday, October 27, 2024

Reformation Sunday

Lighting of the Candles (quiet please)

Gathering of God's People

Choral Call to Worship

Welcome

Call to Worship

L: God comes, looking for people who wish to see the Holy in everyday life.

P: Here I am, God-send me.

L: God calls, looking for people to bring peace to the world.

P: Here I am, God-send me.

L: Good searches, looking for those who can bring their vision and strength to grace the world.

P: Here I am, God-send me.

L: God invites all who would live with more faith.

P: Here I am, God-send me.

L: God beckons us into worship, that we might know the Holy right here and now.

P: Here I am, God-send me.

+Morning Prayer

+Hymn of Praise – “Welcome Holy Spirit” (Screen)

+Call to Confession

+Prayer of Confession

Jesus our healer, you give sight to the blind. We close our eyes to those who are different from us; at school, at work, at the store, at the playground. We close our eyes to those who worship you differently from us; through music, through prayers, through preaching. Open our eyes, Lord Christ. Heal and forgive us. Empower us in your Spirit to reach out to those who are different, and learn how they see you in the world. (Silence) Amen.

+Assurance of Pardon

+Passing the Peace

Our Life Together

Service of the Word

Children's Time

Anthem

(Choir)

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture OT: Joshua 3: 7-17

NT: Matthew 23: 1-12

Sermon: “The Mask”

CLP Rebecca O'Dell

Litany for “All Saints Day”

(Insert)

Responding in Faith

+Hymn of Adoration -

“Love Lifted Me” (Screen)

+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 -

“Put your Hand in the Hand”

Charge and Benediction

Choral Benediction

Postlude

+ Please stand as you are able

+ Today we are “Live Streaming”

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. Clip boards in Vestibule.

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

Calendar of Events

Please pick up your Today Daily Devotionals.

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