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UNION UNIVERSITY CHURCH ORDER OF WORSHIP

Communion Sunday
June 2, 2024

Teach me, Lord, how to be still. Like a Good Shepherd, lead me beside still waters. Quiet my soul. Bring order and calm to the chaos in my mind, so that I can spend time in quiet and joyful meditation with You.



WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CELEBRATIONS

PRELUDE

“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

Welsh hymn tune, arr. Don Wyrztzen

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: All who are wandering,

All: come to the water

Leader: All who are thirsty,

All: come and drink deeply

Leader: All who are weary,

All: come and find mercy

Leader: Jesus calls to us,

All: come abide in Love

***HYMN #204**

Praise to the Living God

SHARING OF PRAYER CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

SILENT PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER #675

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Leader: Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.

All: Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love. For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me.

Leader: Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun. In the name of Jesus, we are forgiven, loved, and free.

*HYMN #539

God Speaks to Us in Bird and Song

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

You are invited to place your offering in support of the ministry and mission of UUC in the designated offering plate as you enter or leave the Sanctuary. Online donations can be made using Tithe.ly See the UUC webpage for details.

OFFERTORY

"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" H. Percy Smith, arr. Smith & Hustad

*DOXOLOGY #71A & BLESSING

Praise God, the source of life and birth.

Praise God, the Word who came to earth.

Praise God the Spirit, holy Flame.

All glory, honor to God's name.

*HYMN #464

We Are People on a Journey

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalms 84

ORGAN MEDITATION

"Voluntary V" Edward Elgar

SERMON

Rev. Jennifer Harris Dault

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

In recognition of the various backgrounds of our members, our service of communion alternates monthly between the chalice tradition and the pew tradition. This month we celebrate communion in the pew tradition. The Elders will pass the bread to the congregation pew by pew. When you receive the bread, wait until the whole congregation, the minister, and the Elders themselves have been served. We will then all eat the bread together when invited to do so by the minister, symbolizing our unity as one people who both serve and are served. The receiving of the cup will follow the same procedure. After the final prayer, you may place your empty cup in the tray at the back of the sanctuary or in the ring holders on the back of the pews. We practice open communion: everyone who wishes to participate is invited to partake of the elements.

SERVICE OF COMMUNION

Words of Institution

Prayer over Bread and Cup by Elder of the Month

Passing of the Bread and Cup

UNISON PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

God of mystery and wonder, at this and every table you dissolve the distance between the ordinary and the holy; you break the barrier separating the common and the sacred. We thank you for this thin place, this holy space, this well of grace.

Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN #23**

Come, Walk With Us

***BENEDICTION**

***UNISON BENEDICTION RESPONSE** *(sung)*

Peace, salaam, shalom; Peace, salaam, shalom;

Peace, salaam, shalom; Peace, salaam, shalom

POSTLUDE

“Lord of the Dance”

***Please stand as you are able.**

Please join us for coffee and fellowship in the Church Center following worship.

Serving Today

Jun 2, 2024

Guest Preacher Rev. Jennifer Harris Dault

Lay Leader Nancy Evangelista

Flowers Communion

Greeter(s) Joe Fasano

Coffee Hour Linell Soule & Bill Sortore

Organ Laurel Buckwalter

Piano Peter O'Connor

Usher TBD

Zoom Hosts April Biggs, John Buckwalter, Jim Ninos

PRAYER CONCERNS

Ding Jiaxi & Family, Chang Weiping & Family, Clayton Stutzman, Hugh Langelier, Wes Bentz, 5 yr. old Lowin, Bev Potter, Michelle Garcia Escobar, Corrie Burdick, Vangelia Perryman, Mary Evangelista, Esther Epps, Jin Wilson, Kenneth Williams, Bob & Deb Lewis, Bird & Leo, Steve Crandall, Bob Condrate

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sit & Be Fit will resume classes in late August.

UUC Youth Service Project: The Youth are collecting necessary items for the food pantry in Alfred, with a different focus each week. If you missed a previous Sunday at church these things are still needed! Toothbrush/Toothpaste, Shampoo/Body Wash, Liquid Dish Soap, and Food (today). Future items include 6/9: Toilet Paper; 6/16: Paper Towels

Voices Together: On June 9, we will have a hymn sing to explore our new hymnal *Voices Together*. You will have the opportunity to choose a favorite hymn or a new song that looks interesting.

Last Youth Sunday is on June 23rd at 9:15am and the Youth are inviting the congregation to join them at this fun time! If you are willing to bring a breakfast items to this event such as a casserole, donuts, pastries, cinnamon rolls or fresh fruit please email Mary Perkins at perkinma3@alfredstate.edu or text/call at 607-281-8843.

Also on June 23: This year 2 members of our youth are graduating high school from Alfred-Almond Central School, **Candy Zhou** and **Sam McCormick**! These seniors will be recognized during the service. If church members have memories of Candy and/or Sam during church or any other inspirational words they would like to share- submitted thoughts will be read during the service when the seniors are celebrated! Please submit these to Mary Perkins at perkinma3@alfredstate.edu or text/call at 607-281-8843.

JUNE LEADERS

Deacon	Mary Beth McDonough
Elder	John Buckwalter
Fellowship	Cindy Tucker
Trustee	Laurel Buckwalter
BOCE	TBD



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We honor the image of God in all persons and seek to recognize the distinct and unique ways we each come to be human through relations with others.

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204 Praise to the Living God

LEONI 6.6.8.4 D

Capo 1: (Em) Fm (B) (Em) (Am) (G)
C Fm Bbm Ab

1 Praise to the liv - ing God! All prais - ed be the Name,
2 God's spir - it flow - ing free, high surg - ing where it will—
3 God plants e - ter - nal life with - in the hu - man soul.

who was, and is, and is to be, is still the same;
in proph-et's word it spoke of old— is speak - ing still.
God's love shall be our strength and stay, while a - ges roll.

the one e - ter - nal God, ere all that now ap - pears,
Es - tab - lished is God's law, and change - less it shall stand,
Praise to the liv - ing God! All prais - ed be the Name,

the First, the Last, be - yond all thought through time - less years!
deep writ up - on the hu - man heart, on sea, or land.
who was, and is, and is to be, is still the same!

(D) (G) (D) (Em) (G) (D7) (G)
Eb Ab Eb Fm Ab Eb7 Ab

(D) (C) (G) (Am) (B)
Eb Db Ab Bbm C

(Em) (G) (Am) (Em) (B7) (Em)
Fm Ab Bbm Fm C7 Fm

Text: Moses Maimonides (Mediterranean), 12th c.; Daniel ben Judah (Rome), *Yigdal* (Jewish doxology), 14th c.; trans. and paraphr. Max Landsberg (USA) and Newton Mann (USA), ca. 1885, alt.
Music: Ashkenazic *Yigdal*, ca. 17th c.; transcr. Meyer Leoni (England), ca. 1770



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أبانا الذي في السماء

Abana alathi (Abana in Heaven)

ABANA ALATHI FI SSAMA / ABANA IN HEAVEN Irregular

A m D m

A - ba - na al - a - thi fi s - sa - ma li ya - ta -
Li - ya' - ti - ma la - ku - tu ka li - ta - kun
A - ba - na in heav - en, hal - low - ed
Your king - dom come, your will be done, in all the

A m A m/C

qad das is - mu - ka Ka - ma - fi_s -
ma shi - a - tu - ka Wa khub - za - na
be your ho - ly name. Your king - dom come,
earth as in heav'n. And give to us,

E D m A m

- sa - ma - i ka - tha - li - ka 'a - la_al - ar - di
ka - fa - fa - na 'a - ti - na fi ay - a - mi - na.
your will be done, in all the earth as in heav'n.
give us this day, our dai - ly bread, O God, we pray.

D m A m E/G#

Wagh - fer la - na thu - nu - ba - na ka - ma na - nu
For - give our sins as we for - give those who have sinned

Text: Arabic; based on Matthew 6:9–13; Laila Constantine (Lebanon); trans. and adapt. Anne Emile Zaki (Egypt), Emily Brink (USA), and Greg Scheer (USA), trans. and adapt. © 2008 Faith Alive Christian Resources

Music: Laila Constantine

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li - ghay - ri na La tud - khil - na fi taj - ri -
 Bal naj - ji - na min ash-shir -
 a - gainst — us. And save — us in time of
 De - liv - er us from e -

ba Li - an - na la k_al mu - l - ka —
 rer Wal quw - wa - ta wal ma - j - da —
 trial. Yours is the king - dom, yours the pow - er, —
 vil. yours is the glo - ry, now and ev - er. —

Min al - a - zal i-la_al-a bad. A - min.
 A - ba - na in heav - en. A - men.

أبانا الذي في السما ليتقدس اسمك
 ليأت ملكوتك لتكن مشيئتك
 كما في السماء كذلك على الأرض
 وخبزنا كفافنا أعطنا في أيامنا
 واغفر لنا ذنوبنا كما نحن لغيرنا
 لا تدخلنا في تجربة بل نجنا من الشرير
 لأن لك الملك والقوة والمجد
 من الأزل إلى الأبد آمين



539 God Speaks to Us in Bird and Song

EVENING LIGHT 8.8.8.6

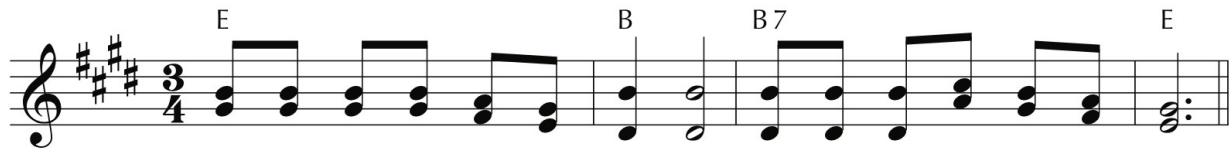
Dm F G Am Dm Bb Am
 1 God speaks to us in bird and song, in winds that
 2 God speaks to us in far and near, in peace of
 3 God speaks to us in dark - est night, by qui - et
 4 O Voice di-vine, speak un - to me, be - yond the

Dm G A Bb F
 drift the clouds a - long, a - bove the din and
 home and friends most dear, from fad - ed past and
 ways through morn - ings bright, when shad - ows fall with
 earth, be - yond the sea, and let me ech - o

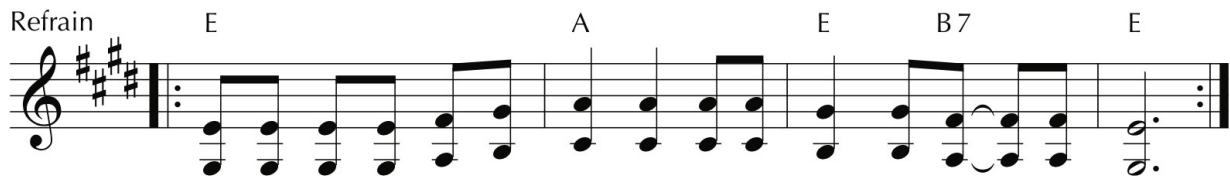
C/E Dm A Bb C Dsus G/D D
 toil of wrong, a mel - o - dy of love.
 pre - sent clear, a mel - o - dy of love.
 eve - ning light, a mel - o - dy of love.
 joy - ful - ly a mel - o - dy of love.

464 Somos pueblo que camina (We Are People on a Journey)

SOMOS PUEBLO 8.7 with refrain



- 1 So - mos pue-blo que ca - mi - na por la sen - da del do - lor.
 2 Los hu - mil - des y los po - bres in - vi - ta - dos son de Dios.
 3 Los se - dien - tos de jus - ti - cia bus - can su li - be - ra - ción.
 1 We are peo - ple on a jour - ney; pain is with us all the way.
 2 God has sent the in - vi - ta - tion to the hum - ble and the poor.
 3 All who tru - ly thirst for jus - tice seek their lib - er - a - tion here.



- A - cu - da - mos ju - bi - lo - sos a la san - ta co - mu - ni - ón.
 Joy - ful - ly we come to - geth - er at the ho - ly feast of God.

- 4 Este pan que Dios nos brinda alimenta nuestra unión.
 5 Cristo aquí se hace presente; al reunirnos en su amor.
 4 This is bread that God provides us, nourishing our unity.
 5 Christ is ever present with us to unite us all in love.

Text: Spanish; Manuel Dávila (Nicaragua), *La Misa Popular Nicaragüense*, 20th c.; trans. Carolyn Jennings (USA), © 1993 The Pilgrim Press

Music: Manuel Dávila, *La Misa Popular Nicaragüense*, 20th c.



23 Hamba nathi (Come, Walk with Us)

HAMBA NATHI Irregular

Leader

Ham - ba na - thi, _____ Ham - ba na - thi,

1 Come, walk with us, _____
 2 Share _____ our bur - den,
 3 Come, _____ up - lift us,
 4 Give _____ us peace, _____

Ham - ba na - thi mkhu - lu - li we - thu. Ham -
 1 Come, walk with us, the jour - ney is long. Come,

Ham - ba na - thi, mkhu - lu - li we - thu,

- ba na - thi mkhu - lu - li we - thu. Ham - lu - li we - thu, mkhu -
 walk with us, the jour - ney is long. Come, jour - ney is long. The

mkhu - lu - li we - thu,

lu - li, mkhu - lu - li, mkhu - lu - li we - thu, mkhu - lu - li, mkhu -
 jour - ney, the jour - ney, the jour - ney is long. The jour - ney, the

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mkhu-lu - li we - thu,

1 G 2 G

lu - li, mkhu - lu - li we - thu, mkhu- lu - li we - thu.
 jour-ney, the jour-ney is long. The jour-ney is long.

2 Share our burden, and join in the song.

3 Come, uplift us, and bring us new life.

4 Give us peace when the journey is done.

