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Meeting ID: 943 2792 1872

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To connect by phone, call (646)558-8656

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Those joining us for worship on Zoom can present their tithes and offerings online through our website or by downloading the <u>Tithe.ly App</u> for your iPhone or Android device.

UNION UNIVERSITY CHURCH ORDER OF WORSHIP

May 26, 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

THE THOUSE CONTENTS OF CONTENT

PRELUDE "Holy, holy" by Jimmy Owens, arr. Fred Bock

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Truly I tell you, no one can witness the kin-dom of God

All: unless they are born again. Leader: We die to self-importance

All: that we might be born into interdependence.

Leader: We die to indifference

All: that we might be born into compassion.

Leader: We die to competition

All: that we might be born into community.

Leader: We die to accepting our neighbor's demise

All: that we might be born into solidarity.

Leader: Truly I tell you, no one can witness the kin-dom of God

All: unless they are born again.

Leader: Come! We worship the God of Life Abundant,

All: of the kin-dom here and now.

*HYMN #76 Holy, Holy, Holy!

SHARING OF PRAYER CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

SILENT PRAYER - LORD'S PRAYER (debts-debtors) Sung, see #675 in hymnal

*HYMN #372

Wind Who Makes All Winds

GIFT OF MUSIC

"A Simple Song" from "Mass" by L. Bernstein, text by Stephen Schwartz

Luanne Crosby, soprano

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

You are invited to place your offering in support of the ministry and mission of UUC. Online donations can be made using Tithe.ly See the UUC webpage for details.

OFFERTORY

Chorale Prelude from "Forgive My Sins, O God" J. S. Back

*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 #393

Build Your Kingdom Here

Rev. Dr. Roberto Ché Espinoza

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Isaiah 6

MEDITATION

SERMON

in Eb Minor from "L'Organiste"

Cesar Franck

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*CLOSING HYMN #550

God Who Touches Earth with Beauty

*BENEDICTION

*UNISON BENEDICTION RESPONSE #805 (sung)

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

POSTLUDE

"Chorale Prelude"

The Journey of Becoming Pilgrims. The Camino will Provide

on a melody by Melchior Vulpius, by Healey Willan

Next week we welcome Rev. Jennifer Harris Dault to the pulpit. Rev. Harris Dault (she/her) is an ordained minister in Mennonite Church USA and a fierce advocate for LGBTQIA+ rights. She is a graduate of Central Baptist Theological Seminary in Shawnee, KS. She was most recently pastor of St. Louis Mennonite Church in Missouri, where she served in various roles for 11 years. In July

her family moved to Henrietta after becoming internally displaced people due to anti-trans legislation in their home state. Jennifer is currently the remote communications director for Central Reform Congregation, a Reform Jewish congregation in St. Louis, and a member of Third Presbyterian Church in Rochester. She is married to Allyn, and the proud mom of two amazing kids.

Serving Today

Lay Leader	Amie Acton
Flowers	Linell Soule
Greeter(s)	Heather & John Meacham
Coffee Hour	Dave & Jan Porter
Organ	Laurel Buckwalter
Usher	John Meacham
Zoom Hosts Apric	el Biggs, John Buckwalter, Jim Ninos

Looking Ahead

June 2

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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 Apriel B	Siggs, 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

Mission of the Month: Hart Comfort House

Food; 6/9: Toilet Paper; 6/16: Paper Towels

The Comfort House of Allegany County, also known as Hart Comfort House, located in Wellsville NY, is a not-for-profit corporation providing free hospice care for people in their last 3 months of life, and support for those peoples' families.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Last Sit & Be Fit for the summer is May 30. We will resume classes in late August. UUC Youth Service Project: This month's 'Youth Sunday' focused on their service project which is collecting necessary items for the food pantry in Alfred. Jackson and Lillie spoke in church about this and what positive impact the youth are hoping to make in our community by focusing on the following items - if you missed a Sunday at church these things are still needed!

Toothbrush/Toothpaste, Shampoo/Body Wash, & Liquid Dish Soap. Future items include 6/2:

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.



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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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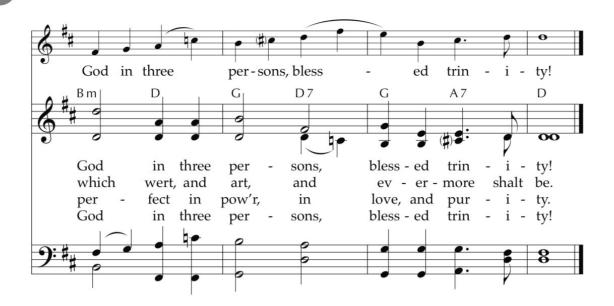


Holy, Holy, Holy!



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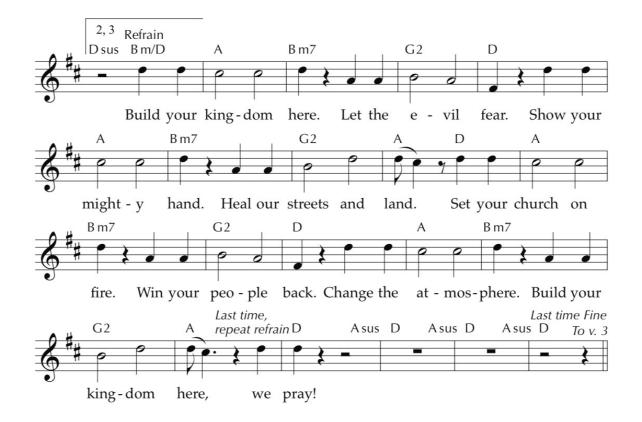
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Music: Rend Collective

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550 God Who Touches Earth with Beauty



- 1 God who touch es earth with beau ty, make my heart a new.
- 2 Like your springs and run ning wa ter, make me crys tal pure.
- 3 Like your danc-ing waves in sun-light, make me glad and free.
- 4 Like the arch ing of the heav-ens, lift my thoughts a bove.
- 5 God who touch es earth with beau ty, make my heart a new.



With your Spir - it re - cre - ate me pure and strong and true. Like your rocks of tow-'ring gran-deur, make me strong and sure. Like the straight-ness of the pine trees, let me up - right be. Turn my dreams to no - ble ac - tion, min - is - tries of love. Keep me ev - er, by your Spi - rit, pure and strong and true.

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