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UNION UNIVERSITY CHURCH

ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 8, 2025

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CELEBRATIONS

PRELUDE

Be Thou My Vision

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come together, O people of the Lord,

All: And listen to the mighty voice of God!

Leader: Let us remember all the blessings of the Lord

All: And the strength we have received from God’s hand.

Leader: Open your hearts to all the Lord would ask of you,

All: To do justice, love kindness and walk humbly with our God!

***GATHERING HYMN #298**

What is the World Like

PRAYER CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy 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 kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

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OFFERTORY

Going Home
By Anton Dvorak

***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.

RECOGNITION OF SENIORS – Jackson Jusaniec and Lillie Perkins

Leader: Today, on this Senior Recognition Sunday, we celebrate the accomplishments of Lillie and Jackson who will be graduating from high school and stepping out on a new path.

All: As their friends and family, we bring our fond memories of the past and our hopes for their futures.

Leader: We have watched them grow:

All: We have laughed with their joy, shared in their struggles, been blessed by their lives.

Leader: We send them both into the future:

All: We give them our love, our hope, our courage, our faith in them, and our belief in their dreams.

Leader: We celebrate who they are today.

All: And we look forward with anticipation to who they will become.

PRESENTATION TO LILLIE & JACKSON

Recognition on Behalf of Sunday School Teachers

Gift from the Church

UNISON BLESSING

When we look at you ready for the world, we see still the child you once were. Forgive us if we are never able to let go of your childhood completely, but know that we are proud of you as we see the adult that you are becoming. We pray that the road ahead of you is full of fulfillment and happiness, but whether you encounter joy or sorrow, peace or difficulty, success or failure, may your days ahead be made easier by the knowledge that God's love and our love will remain steadfast with you through it all.

*HYMN OF THE MONTH #605

My Life Flows On

SCRIPTURE

Acts 2:1-21

GIFT OF MUSIC

You Gotta Serve Somebody
By Bob Dylan | Bev Synder on Guitar

SERMON

"Listening and Witnessing"
Marc Smithers

*CLOSING HYMN #435

Blessed Assurance

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE # 773

Ubi Caritas

POSTLUDE

If I Had a Hammer
By Pete Seeger

Serving Today

Guest PreacherMarc Smithers
Lay Leader.....Catherine Chambers
Altar Flowers.....Deb Stephens
Greeter(s)Shaune Henry
Coffee Hour.....Mary Smith
Piano.....Peter O'Connor
Usher.....TBD
Zoom HostsJim Ninos

Looking Ahead – June 15

Guest PreacherStan Mitchell
Lay Leader.....Jan Porter
Altar Flowers.....Joan Shulze
Greeter(s)Mary Smith
Coffee Hour.....Tuckers
Keyboards.....Laurel Buckwalter
Usher.....D. Stephens
Zoom HostsJim Ninos

June Leadership: Elder:-B. Heineman, **Trustee-** Michele Hluchy, **Deacon** -Regina Burke,
Fellowship- TBD, **Christian Ed-**TBD.

Announcements

- There will be a Potluck Lunch after church on June 15th. Please contact Cindy Tucker at (607) 368-6431 or ckaytucker@gmail.com to let us know what you will bring.
- We are looking for more volunteers for Lay Leaders, Coffee Hour Hosts, Greeters and Altar Flowers. If you would be able to fill an empty post, please sign up on the bulletin board in the Church Center. Or contact the Church Office.
- At their organizational meeting, the Trustees passed a resolution to eliminate Venmo and tithe.ly giving beginning July 1, 2025. UUC Trustees know that these two ways of giving charge fees for their use. At this time, the UUC operating budget could use all contributions. Please consider other options: checks, cash, or arrange for your bank or credit union to send a monthly check to UUC at no charge to the donor.

298 What Is the World Like

NEW WORLD 10.10.10.10

Capo 1: (G) Ab (Em7) Fm7 (Am7) Bbm7 (D) Eb

1 What is the world like when God's will is done?
 2 What is the world like when God's will is done?
 3 What is the world like when God's will is done?
 4 What is the world like when God's will is done?
 5 These are the stor - ies that Je - sus im - parts,

(Em) Fm (C) Db (Am) Bbm (B7) C7

Mus - tard seeds grow more than we can con - ceive;
 Wit - ness the wan - der - ing child com - ing home;
 No more is neigh - bor just al - ly or friend;
 Read - y for feast - ing, we watch through the night,
 filled with the Spir - it, who joins us as one.

(Em) Fm (Am) Bbm (D) Eb (G) Ab

roots thread the soil, branch - es reach for the sun.
 watch as the par - ent breaks in - to a run.
 peace thrives in plac - es where once there was none.
 tend - ing our lamps till the new day's be - gun.
 Born through our voic - es, our hands, and our hearts,



(C) (Em7) (Am7) (D) (G)
 D \flat Fm7 B \flat m7 E \flat A \flat

This is how God moves us each to be - lieve.
 This is how God longs for us when we roam.
 This is how God works when ri - val - ries end.
 This is how God read - ies us for the light.
 this is a new world where God's will is done.



605

My Life Flows On

HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING 8.7.8.7 with refrain

G C G D

1 My life flows on in end-less song, a-bove earth's lam-en - ta - tion.
 2 Through all the tu - mult and the strife, I hear that mu - sic ring-ing.
 3 What though my joys and com-forts die, I know my Sav-ior liv - eth.
 4 The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a foun-tain ev - er spring-ing!

G C G D G

I catch the sweet, though far - off hymn that hails a new cre - a - tion.
 It finds an ech - o in my soul. How can I keep from sing-ing?
 What though the dark-ness gath-er round? Songs in the night he giv-eth.
 All things are mine since I am his! How can I keep from sing-ing?

Refrain G D Em G D G

No storm can shake my in-most calm while to that Rock I'm cling-ing.

G C G D G

Since Love is lord of heav'n and earth, how can I keep from sing-ing?

Text: Robert Lowry's *Bright Jewels for the Sunday School* (USA), 1869, alt.Music: Robert Lowry's *Bright Jewels for the Sunday School*, 1869, refrain arr. © 1989 *Hymnal: A Worship Book*, alt.

435 Blessed Assurance

BLESSED ASSURANCE 9.10.9.9 with refrain

D G D

1 Bless-ed as-sur-ance, Je-sus is mine! Oh, what a
 2 Per-fect com-mun-ion, per-fect de-light, vi-sions of
 3 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, all is at rest. I in my

A E7 A D

fore-taste of glo-ry di-vine! Heir of sal-va-tion,
 rap-ture now burst on my sight. An-gels de-scend-ing
 Sav-ior am hap-py and bless'd, watch-ing and wait-ing,

G D Em A7 D

pur-chase of God, born of his Spir-it, washed in his blood.
 bring from a-bove ech-oes of mer-cy, whis-pers of love.
 look-ing a-bove, filled with his good-ness, lost in his love.

Refrain G D

This is my sto-ry, this is my song, prais-ing my

Text: Fanny J. Crosby (USA), *Gems of Praise*, 1873, alt.
 Music: Phoebe P. Knapp (USA), *Gems of Praise*, 1873



G A/E A A7 D G

Sav - ior all the day long. This is my sto - ry, this is my

D Em A7 D

song, prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long.



773

Ubi caritas et amor

TAIZÉ UBI CARITAS Irregular

Capo 3: (D) F (A) C (Bm) Dm (G) B \flat (B) D (E) G (A) C

U - bi ca - ri - tas et a - mor,

u - bi ca - ri - tas, De - us i - bi est.

Translation: Where charity and love are found, God is there.

Verses can be found in the accompaniment edition.

Text: Latin; "Ubi caritas et amor," 8th–9th c.

Music: Jacques Berthier (France), *Music from Taizé*, vol. 1, 1978, 1980, 1981, © 1979 Les Presses de Taizé (admin. GIA Publications, Inc.)

