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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

Please consider these options: checks, cash, or arrange for your bank or credit union to send a monthly check to UUC at no charge to the donor.

**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 Jusianiec 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 of 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 Preacher	Marc Smithers
Lay Leader	Catherine Chambers
Altar Flowers	Deb Stephens
Greeter(s)	Shaune Henry
Coffee Hour	Mary Smith
Piano	Peter O'Connor
Usher	TBD
Zoom Hosts	Jim Ninos

#### **Looking Ahead – June 15**

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

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

#### **Announcements**

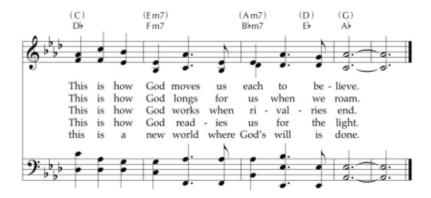
- There will be a Potluck Lunch after church on June 15<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Cindy Tucker at (607) 368-6431 or <a href="mailto:ckaytucker@gmail.com">ckaytucker@gmail.com</a> to let us know what you will bring.
- We are looking for more volunteers for Lay Leaders, Coffee Hour Hosts, Greeters and 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.

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## Ubi caritas et amor



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

Verses can be found in the accompaniment edition.

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