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**Sunday, June 8, 2025
10:30 am Worship**

***Adapting, Welcoming, Serving,
Growing in Faith***

One United Church of Christ

Pastor.....Rev. Rebecca Hoover
Director of Music.....Jeff Miller

Bold face type indicates optional congregational responses.

* Indicates please rise in body and/or spirit

Gathering

Welcome & Greetings

Scripture Reading Acts 2:1-13 (CEB) and Invitation into Worship

*Hymn “Let Every Christian Pray” Hymnal #261

*Let every Christian pray,
this day and every day,
come, Holy Spirit, come!
Was not the church we love
commissioned from above?
Come, Holy Spirit, come!*

*The Spirit brought to birth
the church of Christ on earth
to seek and save the lost:
God never has withdrawn,
since that tremendous dawn,
the gifts at Pentecost.*

*Only the Spirit's power
can fit us for this hour:
come, Holy Spirit, come!
Unite, instruct, inspire,
and fill us see your fire:
come, Holy Spirit, come!*

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

**Almighty God,
you poured your Spirit upon gathered disciples
creating bold tongues, open ears,
and a new community of faith.**

**We confess that we hold back the force of your Spirit among
us.**

**We do not listen for your word of grace,
speak the good news of your love,
or live as a people made one in Christ**

Have mercy on us, O God.

**Transform our timid lives by the power of your Spirit,
and fill us with a flaming desire to be your faithful people,
doing your will for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Musical Response (*unison, singing*)

How Deep The Father's Love For Us

Stuart Townend

I will not boast in an - y - thing: No
 gifts, no pow'r, no wis - dom. But I will boast in Je - sus Christ: His
 death and res - ur - rec - tion. Why should I gain from His re - ward? I
 can - not give an an - swer. But this I know with all my heart: His
 wounds have paid my ran - som.

Words of Assurance (*responsively*)

Those who are in Christ are a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All this is from God with whom we have been reconciled through Christ.

Thanks be to God!

Musical Response (*unison, singing*)

On The Third Day

Matt Maher, Marc Byrd

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G D A

On the third day, be - hold the King. On the
third day, the saints re - joice. On the

4 G Bm A G

third third day, death has no sting. On the third day, we're for -
third day, we lift our voice. On the third day, we're u -

7 Bm A D 1. D 2.

giv - en and rec - on - ciled. ____ On the
nit - ed and glo - ri - fied. ____

Listening

Introduction to the Scripture Reading

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:14-21 (CEB)

¹⁴ Peter stood with the other eleven apostles. He raised his voice and declared, “Judeans and everyone living in Jerusalem! Know this! Listen carefully to my words! ¹⁵ These people aren’t drunk, as you suspect; after all, it’s only nine o’clock in the morning! ¹⁶ Rather, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷ *In the last days, God says,
I will pour out my Spirit on all people.
Your sons and daughters will prophesy.
Your young will see visions.
Your elders will dream dreams.*

¹⁸ *Even upon my servants, men and women,*

*I will pour out my Spirit in those days,
and they will prophesy.*

¹⁹ *I will cause wonders to occur in the heavens above
and signs on the earth below,
blood and fire and a cloud of smoke.*

²⁰ *The sun will be changed into darkness,
and the moon will be changed into blood,
before the great and spectacular day of the Lord comes.*

²¹ *And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.*

2025 Graduate Recognition

Children's Message

*Hymn

“Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness” Hymnal #286

(REFRAIN)

*Spirit, Spirit of gentleness,
blow through the wilderness calling and free,
Spirit, Spirit of restlessness,
stir me from placidness, wind, wind on the sea.*

*You moved on the waters,
you called to the deep,
then you coaxed up the mountains
from the valleys of sleep;
and over the eons
you called to each thing:
“Awake from your slumbers
and rise on your wings.” (REFRAIN)*

*You swept through the desert,
you stung with the sand,
and you goaded your people
with a law and a land;
when they were confounded*

*by their idols and lies,
then you spoke through your prophets
to open their eyes. (REFRAIN)*

*You sang in a stable,
you cried from a hill,
then you whispered in silence
when the whole world was still;
and down in the city
you called once again,
when you blew through your people
on the rush of the wind. (REFRAIN)*

*You call from tomorrow,
you break ancient schemes.
From the bondage of sorrow
the captives dream dreams;
Our women see visions,
our men clear their eyes.
With bold new decisions
your people arise. (REFRAIN)*

Sermon

Special Music

“In the Garden”

Christy Hylton, piano

Holy Communion

Communion Hymn

“Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

Hymnal #345, verse 2

*Monarch great, yet born of Mary,
as of old on earth Christ stood,
Lord of all, in human vesture -
in the body and the blood -
Christ will give to all the faithful
bread of life for heavenly food.*

Invitation to the Table

Communion Prayer

God be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to God.

Let us give thanks to God Most High.

It is right to give God thanks and praise...

The Lord's Prayer (*responsively*)

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.

Story of the Last Supper

Breaking the Bread/Pouring the Cup

Prayer of Consecration

Sharing the Meal

If you are joining us online for virtual communion today, we ask you to have some sort of bread product and either grape juice, wine, or water to serve as your elements. If you are joining us in person, communion elements were provided when you entered the sanctuary. You are invited to eat the bread and drink the cup at the invitation of the pastor. All cups contain grape juice.

Prayer of Thanksgiving (*unison*)

Gracious God, thank you for pouring your Spirit on us through the gift of this meal. Strengthened by bread, cup, and community, may we live as your people in every corner of the world. We pray for the courage to embody your love, for the power to speak your truth with compassion, and for the hope to create more just ways of living for us and for all people. Amen.

Sending

*Song “Beautiful Things” Contemporary Hymnal

*All this pain
I wonder if I'll ever find my way
I wonder if my life could really change
At all*

*All this earth
Could all that is lost ever be found
Could a garden come up from this ground
At all*

*You make beautiful things
You make beautiful things out of the dust
You make beautiful things
You make beautiful things out of us*

*All around
Hope is springing up from this old ground
Out of chaos life is being found
In You*

*You make beautiful things
You make beautiful things out of the dust*

***You make beautiful things
You make beautiful things out of us***

***You make beautiful things
You make beautiful things out of the dust
You make beautiful things
You make beautiful things out of us***

***You make me new You are making me new
You make me new You are making me new***

***You make beautiful things
You make beautiful things out of the dust
You make beautiful things
You make beautiful things out of us
(2x)***

****Blessing***

The liturgist for today is: Katie Hoover

The greeters for today are: Sue and Bob Lehr

The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Katie Hoover's Graduation presented by the Hoover family

Copyright Information for Today's Service:

"Let Every Christian Pray" Music by Joseph Barnby; Words by Fred Pratt Green

"Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness" By James K. Manley

"In The Garden"- Music by C. Austin Miles, Arranged by James Michael Stevens

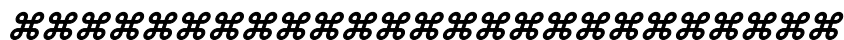
“Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence” Words: from the Liturgy of St. James (4th century), translated by Gerard Moultrie (1864)

“Beautiful Things” by Michael & Lisa Gungor

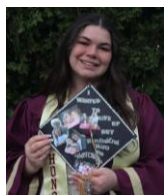
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The prayer of confession was posted on the PCUSA website. <http://www.pcusa.org/> The words of assurance are written by Moira Laidlaw, on her [Liturgies Online](#) website. The rest of the liturgy was written by the Rev. Rebecca Hoover.

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Graduate Recognition



Lindsay Hertzog is a graduate of Governor Mifflin High School. She likes to work, hang out with friends, color, play video games, and shop. Lindsay is very determined and responsible. Her favorite Bible verse is 1st Corinthians 13:4-7.



Katie Hoover is a graduate of Exeter Township Senior High School. She likes to read, cook/bake, watch TV, and hike (when not recovering from injury). Katie is very creative and caring. Her favorite Bible verse is Philippians 4:6-7.

Welcome our new Administrative Assistant, Stacy Delinko!!!



Hello. My name is Stacy Delinko. I am a Customer Service Representative with Klick Financial Services & Notary with 1 year and 4 months of experience wherein I received my Notary License. I specialize in notarizing documents for customers, as well as title transfers, registrations, insurance, copy, faxing, especially check-in/check-out customers' taxes during the tax season, etc.

I previously was a Senior Administrative Assistant for 37 years starting with Meridian Bank and their succeeding banks, ending with Wells Fargo Bank. During my time with the bank, I did all the administrative duties (set up meetings, type letters, memos, order supplies, etc.) for the Commercial Banking Group who managed customers with revenues of \$50m and above.

In my free time, I enjoy spending time with my grandchildren, children, husband, mom, and family.

I am currently married to Ted.....going on 21 years. I have 3 children.....Courtney, Ashley, and Timmothy. Timmothy is a Marine Veteran, volunteer firefighter, as well as a paid firefighter with Wyomissing. To say I am a proud Marine Mom is an understatement. I am immensely proud of my 3 children. I also have 6 grandchildren with the oldest being 15 and youngest is 3.

I look forward to working with One United Church of Christ!

Welcome to worship with One UCC! We're glad to share this time of prayer and praise together!

Please check our website (www.oneucc.org), weekly email news, and Facebook page for updates to our ministry. The contact information for the church is found on the front cover of the bulletin. Videos of our church life together and Sunday worship can be found on One UCC's YouTube channel:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCHUua_X9q0AuoI1gEn7vahQ?view_as=subscriber



Pastor Becky office hours: only on Sundays 9 am - noon.

Katie Hoover office hours: Mondays 5:30 pm- 6:30 pm and Thursdays.

Please call the office before you stop by to make sure there is someone available.

In case you need the contact information:

- We are on Facebook and search for One United Church of Christ! Like our page!
- Pastor Becky's Contact Info:
301-471-3185, cell phone/texting
revrjph@outlook.com

The fastest way to reach Pastor Becky is by texting her cell phone.

Please keep in your prayers the following people and situations:

Sheldon Ash, Gavin Baker, Gwen Baker, Gene Bare, Dan Brouse, Parker Burkert, Randy Bond, Diane Clouser, Colleen, Catherine Conkey, John Constable, Andrea Curtis, Margaret D'Amico, Dan, John and Liz Dumond, Renee and Phil Ferraro, Frankie, Jim Geiger, Catherine Good, Adam Griffin, Joy Himmelman, John Hoover, Katie Hoover, Ken and Cathy Hoshauer, Nate Hosler, Joan, Grace Kauffman, Kevin & Nancy, Alice Kline, Cheryl Kohl,

Spencer Kohl, Josh Knarr, Larry, Kenneth Lausch, Maggie & Skyler Lutz, Ashley Long Malvern, Susana Matthews, Sissy McCaffery, Becky Miller, Brittany Nelson, Laura Perry, Sally Pierson, Nancy Ritter, Izzy Rivera, Gleniz Rodriguez, Rosie, Noel and Kathie Roy, Ray Saylor and family, Steven Sharp, Caitlyn Sine, Sam Snyder, Stephanie Sowers, Katie Szajek, Bonnie Szajek, Carol Thomas, Brenda Walker, Sadie West, Gary Winters, Holly Wood, Clarence Yoh, Zach, those with addictions and those who love them, and our U.S. military personnel

Things You Need to Know This Week at One UCC

The Remembrance Candle! A candle is placed in the sanctuary that we will light to remember our loved ones who now live in the eternity of God's care. If you would like to sign up for the Remembrance Candle, please do so on the sheet outside of the sanctuary or contact the church office. On your week for the Remembrance Candle, you are welcome to bring in a picture of your loved one to place next to the candle. There is no fee to sponsor the Remembrance Candle.



One UCC is officially a partner with CommunityAid! Going forward, we will be collecting clothing, shoes, and accessories in good and sellable condition at church. These items then will be taken to CommunityAid for resale, and One UCC directly receives financial credit for any donations made under our name and with our partner number. The Mission Ministry team has set up a collection container in the church building. If you wish to take items directly to CommunityAid (any location), you can donate them under One UCC's name and partner number, and our congregation will get credit for your donation. **Our partner number is 50161.** For more information about CommunityAid and the types of donations they accept, please visit www.communityaid.org.





*****We're so excited to tell you we have an online giving platform, easyTithe! If you would like to set up a gift on the new platform so you can become familiar with it and***



help our donors as we move forward, please use this link: <https://app.easytithe.com/app/giving/oneucc>

You can set up an account or contribute without setting up an account. (If you think you would like to regularly give to One UCC online, you might wish to set up an account.) When you donate online, you can select what category in which you would like your contribution to be designated. All physical envelope offering categories are included. If you have no idea where you would like your contribution to go, please select "General Fund" or other category. We are continuing to test easyTithe, and so any feedback you have is most appreciated. If online giving is not your thing, that's perfectly fine. One UCC will continue to receive your financial contributions as we always have.



*****Want to sing in choir, or be in the bell choir? Or*** want to try it to see if you enjoy it? No commitment! Simply talk to Jeff, or contact him via cell (610-406-1664), or email (jeff@simonapple.com). For now,

rehearsals are as needed, not weekly. Choir rehearsal is occasional, at 10:10 am on Sundays, prior to the service. Bells are also occasional, typically on a Wednesday, for 45 minutes starting at 6:30 or 7pm. Reading music is not required, or necessary. It's all very low-key, no pressure, and flexible to accommodate everyone's schedule. Also, anyone who would like to perform special music in the service at any time, please contact Jeff.



Help Both Our Church and Our Planet at the Same Time!

Recycle your used printer ink cartridges through Planet Green Recycling! Drop off used ink cartridges at church and we will submit to "Planet Green Recycling." The church will receive funds directly from Planet Green Recycle, \$1.00 for every cartridge

(commonly used cartridges).

If you choose to mail in your cartridges yourself, it is very important to make sure to include the church's Organization Program Code so we receive credit for your cartridges. See the weekly church email for details about how to send in cartridges yourself. *Thank you so much for your support!!!*

The Little Food Pantry is getting good use in front of the church! It is now that time of year when it's warmer outside and we need to make sure any donations to the Little Food Pantry will not melt. We appreciate all your donations!



We are still collecting
aluminum cans for recycling
- **ONLY** aluminum cans.
No other trash is accepted.
Thank you for your
consideration!



CHURCH CALENDAR: June 8 through June 15

Sunday (6/8) Pentecost and Graduate Recognition Sunday

10:30 am Worship with Holy Communion

Wednesday (6/11)

6:30 pm Alcoholics Anonymous

Thursday (6/12)

10:00 am C, D & B Senior Group

Saturday (6/14)

6:30 pm Narcotics Anonymous

Sunday (6/15)

10:30 am Worship with Holy Communion

**Note: if you have an event or meeting that is scheduled at the church, please let the church office know (oneucckenhorst@gmail or 610-777-5211) so that it can go on the calendar for the bulletin. Thank you!*