

# Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) of Woodland

Bulletin, October 3, 2021

(10:30 AM In-Person & Live Stream Worship Service)

*(We welcome you. Whoever you are, wherever you are from, wherever you are in your faith journey, whomever you love, whatever your ethnicity or first language, whatever your past, regardless of your abilities and whether you are rich or poor or in between...you are welcome here.)*

**Musical Prelude**—Jay Surdell

**Our shared life together, aka, announcements:—**

*“Here are some things our church is doing this week which just might help us realize more fully that we are one in Christ, and might give us ways to express that unity in God’s beloved world.”*

**Call to Worship**—Larry Love

**Opening Song**—“Come, Share the Lord” Chalice Hymnal #408

*(Verses #1, 2, & 1)*

1. We gather here in Jesus’ name,  
his love is burning in our hearts like living flame;  
for through the loving Son the Father makes us one:  
Come, take the bread, come, drink the wine, come, share the Lord.  
No one is a stranger here, everyone belongs;  
finding our forgiveness here, we in turn forgive all wrongs.
2. He joins us here, he breaks the bread,  
the Lord who pours the cup is risen from the dead;  
the one we love the most is now our gracious host:  
Come, take the bread, come drink the wine, come, share the Lord.  
We are now a family of which the Lord is head;  
though unseen he meets us here in the breaking of the bread.
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his love is burning in our hearts like living flame  
for through the loving Son the Father makes us one:  
Come, take the bread, come, drink the wine, come, share the Lord.

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**Opening Prayer**—Unison—Cathie Wicks

God of the faithful in every time,

today you have called us into your church

to be one body in Jesus Christ.

You have bestowed upon us the gifts we need for your service.

Grant that we may willingly take our part;  
that we may support one another;  
and that we may seek the greatest gift, which is love.  
On this World Communion Sunday, knead us together into one loaf  
with all your people throughout the world,  
through your Spirit of unity. Amen.

**Response**—“*Weave*” *Chalice Hymnal* #495

Weave, weave, weave us together,  
Weave us together in unity and love,  
Weave, weave, weave us together,  
Weave us together, together in love.

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**A Story for Children of All Ages**—Cathie Wicks

**Scripture Text:** *Ephesians 2:11-22*—Cathie Wicks

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**Special Music**—Pam Prater and Shirley Fischer

*"Amazing Grace"*  
(arranged by Mary Hayes)

**Sermon Text:** *1 Corinthians 11:17-34*—Larry Love

**Reader:** *The message of God for the people of God.*

**All:** Thanks be to God.

**Message**—“*Supporting the Table*”—Larry Love

**Song of Commitment**—““*One Bread, One Body*” *Chalice Hymnal* #395

**Refrain**

One bread, one body, one Lord of all,  
one cup of blessing which we bless.  
And we, though many, throughout the earth,  
we are one body in this one Lord

1. Gentile or Jew, servant or free,  
woman or man, no more.
2. Many the gifts, many the works,  
one in the Lord of all.
3. Grain for the fields, scattered and grown,  
gathered to one for all.

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## **Pastoral Prayer and 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 the evil:  
for thine is the kingdom, and the power  
and the glory, forever, and ever.  
Amen. Amen.

## **Responsive Song**—“*O Lord, Hear My Prayer*” *Chalice Praise #104*

O Lord, hear my prayer; O Lord, hear my prayer. When I call, answer me.  
O Lord, hear my prayer, O Lord, hear my prayer. Come and listen to me.

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## **Call to Stewardship...and Doxology**—Cathie Wicks

## **Communion Call and Prayer**—Cheryl Grant

## **Words of Institution—Communion—Peace—Prayer**—Larry Love

## **Closing Song**—“*Diverse in Culture, Nation, Race*” *Chalice Hymnal #485* (Verses #1, 2, & 4)

1. Diverse in culture, nation, race, we come together by your grace.  
God, let us be a meeting ground where hope and healing love are found.
2. God, let us be a bridge of care connecting people ev'rywhere.  
Help us confront all fear and hate and lust for pow'r that separate.
4. God, let us be a table spread with gifts of love and broken bread,  
where all find welcome, grace attends, and enemies arise as friends.

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## **Benediction and Postlude**

## Announcements:

- Today—Zoom worship, 9 a.m.
- Today—In person and livestream worship, 10:30 a.m.
- Monday—Fellowship in the courtyard, 9:30 a.m.
- Tuesday—Bible study via Zoom, 10:30 a.m.
- Tuesday—Prayer Time via Zoom, 11:30 a.m.
- Tuesday—Woodland Ecumenical and Multi-faith Ministries Meeting, St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 12 noon.
- Wednesday—Book study resumes, 6:45 p.m. We are reading *A Spiritual Biography of Jackie Robinson*. All interested folk are welcome to join us.  
We meet in the library in the education building.
- Next Sunday—Welcome Table Worship, 8 a.m. Contact **Beja Springer** for Zoom link.
- Next Sunday—Zoom worship, 9:00 a.m.
- Next Sunday—In person and livestream worship, 10:30 a.m.
- **Next Sunday, October 10<sup>th</sup>—Memorial service here in the sanctuary for Pam Zeiger, after worship, approximately 11:50 a.m. A reception will follow.**
- A new sermon series entitled “*Faithful, Hopeful, Loving*” begins next Sunday, October 10<sup>th</sup>. The first message (dealing with the theme “Faithful”) is based on Matthew 4:12-23 and Mark 10:46-52. All interested persons are invited to look at those scriptures ahead of time and write a few thoughts that come to your mind. If you would be willing to hand those written reflections to **Pastor Larry** or **Jeanelyse Doran** (or email them to **pastorlarrywcc@sbcglobal.net** or **revjeda@gmail.com**), we will include some of them in the bulletin or newsletter...or perhaps even in the power point in worship during the prelude.
- *From congregational moderator, Jeanelyse Doran:*  
Please join in gratitude and appreciation for those who have accepted the faithful work of discerning, recruiting leaders, and preparing a *Nominating Slate for the Congregation's Vote* for next year's officers and leadership. The Nominating Committee Members are: **Cheryl Grant, Sharon Armus, Del Zeiger**, with participation and support from **Pastor Larry**.
- You can watch our worship services anytime on the church's Facebook page or on our church's website— [christianchurchofwoodland.com](http://christianchurchofwoodland.com).
- Larry's hours in the church office are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Thursday. Call him at 530-662-9356 or 666-2069.
- Greg Hayakawa's work hours are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Contact # 530-304-5153

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## Prayer Requests:

Thanks be to God for:

- **Laura Daggett** who joined the church during our Zoom worship service last Sunday.
- A homeless woman living at Fourth and Hope excitedly touring her new apartment at *Margaret McDowell Manor* and reveling in having a refrigerator, stove and bathtub.
- That some Northern California fires are getting a bit more under control.

Prayers of concern for:

- **Jenna, great niece of Becky Holland's brother and sister-in-law (John and Sally).** **Jenna** and four other teens were in an automobile accident in Missouri. One teen died and Jenna is yet unconscious with a major concussion. Prayers for all.
- **Steven and Reicko, friends of Eleanor Garnett's daughter, Christa,** are dealing with **Steven's father's** battle with advanced cancer and **Reicko's mother** just diagnosed with bone cancer. Their three little girls are very sad. Let us lift this family up in our prayers today and in the days to come.
- A young single mother named **Tina** dealing with uterine cancer
- **Cindy, wife of Janese Jenkins' sister, Robbi Neal,** awaiting word on the biopsy results following a lumpectomy.
- **Nancy, Micah, Alexa, and Larry Love, and Nancy's whole family as Nancy's mother, Gloria Martin,** has started hospice.
- **Jason Wilmot,** recovering from COVID.
- **Marjie Echols' friend, Christine,** dealing with mental health issues.
- **Roger, Laura Daggett's step-father,** who has had an abnormal blood test.
- **Jack and Holly Scherer, a very good friend of Lori and Randy Strong.** **Jack** was diagnosed with large, malignant abdominal and liver tumors...and is now recovering from surgery.
- **Doyle Tuman** who continues to deal with back pain...though it has lessened a bit.
- **Alice Manus** suffering with Guillain-Barre (gee-YAH-buh-RAY) syndrome.

- **Charles Tarleton, *Sarah Tarleton's father***, who is now on hospice.
- **Del and Jenny Zeiger** as they grieve the loss of **wife and mother, *Pam Zeiger***.
- **Brenda Small's son and daughter-in-law** dealing with some difficult times in Florida.
- The immigration and refugee crisis at our southern border and other places in the world.
- Afghan refugees as they settle into new life here in the U.S. and other host countries.
- All the people of Afghanistan (especially women) as they come again under Taliban rule.
- Victims of this year's fires.
- **Ana Mangandi** as she seeks a job and permanent housing.
- **Ivana Cruz (*Ana Mangandi's daughter in El Salvador*)** dealing with a blood clot in her leg.
- **Curtis and Red Shockley** as they prepare to move to Georgia this fall.
- **Kevin (*Tuman's neighbor*)** awaiting a bone marrow transplant on September 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- **Barb Tucker, *Ann Edward's friend***, dealing with serious health issues.
- Prayers for the healing of our country in this deeply divided time.

Ongoing prayers for:

**Joyce Henning, Roy Holmes, Leigh Dieckmann, Laura Daggett, Alberta Bradley, Ricardo Rico, Marj Hansen, Jose Treho (exchange student to Germany), Liz Shull, Ted Pitts and daughter (Margaret), Willie Paulucci, Chrissy Paulucci, Jenny Bietel, Katharine (Patty Overfield's mother), Lisa Austin (friend of Megan Shull), Debbie Staeden (Brenda Small's sister), Judah Morgan, Noah and Lea Hull, Flo Tinsley, Debbie (Bill and Jan Powell's friend).**



The [Reconciliation Ministry Special Offering](https://www.reconciliationministry.org) will be received in congregations this year on **September 26th** and **October 3rd**. Our theme is *“Revealing God’s Justice: “The Time is Always Ripe to Do What is Right.”* As we reflect on the events following the televised death of George Floyd, anti-Asian violence, and disparities in contraction rates of the novel Coronavirus in ethnic and racial communities, our Church strengthens its commitment to actively seek God’s justice. As followers of Christ, we believe every life is precious and valued in God’s beloved community.

Reconciliation Ministry is the church wide mission fund which supports programs and program partners that enable full human flourishing for everyone in every community. Your generosity has supported our capacity to provide grant awards to Bethany College’s Equity Community Guide, Diversity Audit and the Region of Greater Kansas City’s Becoming Beloved Community Program, as well as local congregational racial and social justice educational events. We believe that the Christian Church (Disciple of Christ) is uniquely equipped to encourage racial equity and justice in the communities where we worship and serve.

Your gifts to Reconciliation Ministry promote our mission of creating a just and loving society. The prophet Isaiah reminds us that God’s salvation is for ALL of us. The scripture in Isaiah 56:1 reads, “This is what the LORD says:

“Maintain justice  
and do what is right,  
for my salvation is close at hand  
and my righteousness will soon be revealed.”

All of us have a role in revealing God’s justice. It is our call as the community of faith, the body of believers, and the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). Your giving promotes our capacity to respond and to reveal God’s love and justice in such a time as this!

Presented by Christian Church of Woodland  
& Patty O.

# Fall Fest 2021 Vendor Market

Saturday October 16th, 2021 10am-3pm

30+ Vendors Direct Sales/ Crafters

Corner College & Lincoln—Behind Church  
OUTSIDE EVENT

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Build-a-Scarecrow Contest/PRIZES

Hot Dog Lunch 4 Sale Drinks Baked Goods

RAFFLE TABLE / Pumpkins

INFO on Entering the Build-a-Scarecrow  
Contest OR Interested in being a Vendor

TEXT to 530 - 908 - 1756

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**FUNDRAISER FOR YOUTH CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS**

Presented by Christian Church of Woodland & Patty O. Youth Camp Scholarship Fundraiser.

## BUILD-a-SCARECROW Contest



Saturday, October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

Held during the Fall Fest Vendor Market- Corner of College & Lincoln in Woodland. Set up 10 am-Noon...Judging starts at 12:30pm Clean up after 3pm

Bring what you need to Build your Scarecrow.

**3 CATERGORIES: Spooky/Funny/NFL Themed. (Circle one)**

First/2<sup>nd</sup> /Third Place Prizes for each category.

\$10.00 Entry Fee : 3X5 Roped off designated space, placed through out the Vendor Market.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

Please be respectful of others, stay in your designated space and please clean up after wards.

Liability Waiver: You do so agree to hold harmless and release Christian Church of Woodland & Patty O. from any and all losses, Liability or damages that may arise during participating in this event. And by signing this agreement you waive any and all claims.

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_

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