

Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) of Woodland

Bulletin, July 19, 2020

Musical Prelude—Jay Surdell

Greetings - Jeanelyse

Song—*“From you I receive, to you I give, together we share, and from this we live.”*

Our shared life together, aka, announcements

Call to Worship—Jeanelyse Doran

Opening Song- *“This is Holy Ground” Chalice Praise #55*

1. This is holy ground; we’re standing on holy ground.
For the Lord is present, and where God is is holy.
This is holy ground; we’re standing on holy ground.
For the Lord is present, and where God is is holy.
2. These are holy hands; God’s giving us holy hands.
God works through these hands, and so these hands are holy.
These are holy hands; God’s giving us holy hands.
God works through these hands, and so these hands are holy.
3. This is holy ground; we’re standing on holy ground.
For the Lord is present, and where God is is holy.
This is holy ground; we’re standing on holy ground.
For the Lord is present, and where God is is holy.

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Opening Prayer –

Gracious and loving God, the God that hears our prayers,
you have said that you will be present whenever two or three gather in your name.
We welcome your presence and grace in our lives.

We ask that you manifest your glory today and shine your light on us.

Through your light, may we illuminate the lives of those around us.

As we feel your presence in worship today, may our knowledge of your divine mysteries continue to grow and change our lives forever. Amen

Gloria Patri

Children's Moment—Jeanelyse Doran *You Are Stardust* by Elin Kelsey

Scripture—*Psalm 139: 1-12*—Sue Tarleton

Special Music – “*On the Journey to Emmaus*”

(Words: Marty Haugen; Music: COLUMCILLE, Gaelic)

sung by Greg, Jordan, and James Hayakawa

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Message—Jeanelyse Doran – “*Meeting God in Unexpected Places*”

Genesis 18:10-19A;

with Greg Hayakawa – “*Here Am I*” *Chalice Hymnal* #654

(Words by Brian Wren; Music by Dan Damon)

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Song of Response – “*Surely the Presence of the Lord*” *Chalice Hymnal* #263

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place;

I can feel his mighty power and his grace.

I can hear the brush of angels' wings,

I see glory on each face; surely the

Presence of the Lord is in this place.

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Prayers of the Community

Call to Stewardship...and Doxology—Sue Tarlton

Communion—Call—Jeanelyse Doran

Words of Institution—Communion—Peace—Prayer—Jeanelyse Doran

Closing Song – “*There Is a Balm in Gilead*” *Chalice Hymnal* #501

Refrain:

There is a balm in Gilead to make the wounded whole,

There is a balm in Gilead to save a sin-sick soul.

1. Sometimes I feel discouraged and think my work's in vain,
but then the Holy Spirit revives my soul again.

2. If you cannot preach like Peter, if you cannot pray like Paul, you can tell the love of Jesus, and say, “He died for all!”
3. Don’t ever feel discouraged, for Jesus is your friend; and if you lack for knowledge He’ll ne’er refuse to lend.

Words and Music: African-American Spiritual

Benediction

May the Living God, a God of power, go before you to show you the way;
 go above you to watch over you; go behind you to push you into places
 you may not necessarily go yourself; go beneath you to uphold and uplift you;
 go beside you to be your strong and constant companion;
 and dwell within you to strengthen you in your inner being
 and remind you that you are surely not alone,
 and that you are loved—loved beyond your wildest imagination.
 And may the upper room fire of God’s Spirit burn brightly within you,
 now and always. Amen.

Postlude and Fellowship – *You are invited to stay for breakout groups.*

Announcements:

"There are 3 openings for the every-other-Sunday 8am 'Welcome Table' via Zoom. It's a small 40-min. gathering where everyone talks and experiences church in a relational way. Contact Beja Springer if you would like to join or have questions."

- Monday—Children’s story time
- Tuesday—Prayer time via Zoom, 11 a.m.
- Tuesday—Resource Ministry meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- Wednesday—Zoom fellowship time, 6:30 p.m. Please contact Pastor Larry if you want to be included—666-2069 or email at pastorlarrywcc@sbcglobal.net
- Sunday Zoom worship, 10 a.m. Pastor Larry will be back. Watch your email for a Zoom link from Jeanelyse Doran.
- Remember to register for Zoom church camp (July 31st, August 1st and 2nd for Junior/Chi Rho Camp and the CYF Senior Retreat, August 7-9...and the CYF Zoom camp, August 7-9). Please register by July 20th at ccncn.org. There is no cost for the Zoom versions of camp, but the Senior Retreat is \$185...though our church pays half. If you have questions, please call Larry at 666-2069.
- Zoom instructions and etiquette—Click on the highlighted Zoom link in the email Jeanelyse sent...Download the Zoom app if it asks you to (it is safe)...Please make sure you click the mute button on the bottom left of the zoom screen. It looks like a

microphone. If you are not muted, everything you say can be heard by everyone else, and you may take center stage on everyone's screen! You can unmute temporarily by pressing the space bar on your computer or by clicking on the microphone icon.

- If you would like to join in the sharing of communion, please have some bread, crackers or cookies and some juice, water or milk within reach.
- If you have prayer requests, please contact Larry (530-666-2069 or pastorlarrywcc@sbcglobal.net) no later than 7 p.m. Saturday...though you can also share prayer requests with Jeanelyse and the whole group by writing them in the "Chat" bubble on the lower right of the Zoom screen.
- You can now view the worship service live via the church's Facebook page and the church's webpage (christianchurchofwoodland.com.) If you have questions, please contact Steven Wong. If you do view the worship via Facebook or the website, please email Larry or leave a message on the church phone letting him know you joined in for worship.
- If you would like a paper copy of Pastor Love's sermons, please contact him. Call Larry at 530-666-2069 if you would like a copy of the sermon sent to you.
- Larry's work hours while working from home will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Thursday. Please feel free to call him at 530-666-2069. He is also in the church office some days so you can call him there also.
- Greg Hayakawa's work hours are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Monday through Friday. He works remotely from his home. You can reach him at 530-304-5153
- Though church life is dramatically changed, our ministry continues in new and exciting ways. Please continue to support the life and ministry of the Christian Church of Woodland. You can mail your offering envelopes to the church office at 509 College Street, Woodland, 95695...or you can give electronically through our church's website. Contact Larry if you have questions about the online giving process.

Prayer Requests

- **Ellen Parker** who has been moved to Manor Care Nursing and Rehab in Citrus Heights. Prayers too for Short during this time.
- **Jean Lucatelli**, friend of several church members, as she deals with COVID-19
- Surge of COVID-19 in our community, country and world. For those who are ill and for the loved ones of those who have died.
- Hospital personnel in our county and across the country who are overwhelmed.
- Our country's ongoing struggle with racism.
- Doctors and nurses and other hospital workers...and all essential workers.
- The unemployed...and a lot of Woodland restaurants and small businesses
- Ongoing prayers for: **Skip Slaymaker**, **Katharine** (*Patty Overfield's mother*), **Edith** (*Pam Prater's mother*), **Hilary Oldenkamp** (*Love's family friend*),
- **Leigh Dieckman**, **Becky Holland**, **Joyce Henning**