

If you are a guest with us, welcome! We are glad you are here. Below is some information that may be helpful to you joining us in worship.

### Worship Information:

During our service, we have a volunteer staffed Nursery available for children up through Pre-K. You may find it by going downstairs and into the blue room in the left corner of the basement. Kids K-5 will be invited down to Children's Church during worship. They can be picked up in the Children, Worship, & Wonder room downstairs following our service. In worship this morning, we will be saying the Lord's Prayer and singing the Doxology. If you do not know the words to these, please find them below.

### The 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.

### The Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye, Heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

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## United Church of Christ



**October 22, 2023**  
**10:00 am**

# SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

\*Call to Worship

One: Grace to you and peace from God who is,  
and was, and is to come.

**Many: Amen.**

One: And from Jesus Christ the faithful witness,  
the firstborn of the dead, and ruler of the  
kings on earth.

**Many: Amen.**

One: The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all  
the saints.

**Many: Amen.**

\*Prayer of Invocation (**in unison**)

**Father in heaven, our hearts desire the warmth of  
your love and our minds are searching for the  
light of your Word. Increase our longing for Christ  
our Savior and give us strength to grow in love,  
that the dawn of his coming may find us rejoicing  
in his presence and welcoming the light of his  
truth. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord.  
Amen.**

\*Hymn "Amazing Grace" #280

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Silence/Morning Prayer/Lord's Prayer (**in unison**)

Special Music "There Will Be A Day"  
(Camp)

Scripture John 14:1-14 (NRSV)

Sermon "Jesus Loves Us, Forever"

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

\*Response "Doxology" #621

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving (**in unison**)

**Heavenly Father, multiply these tithes and  
offerings so that this church's ministry and  
mission radically changes lives and deepens  
discipleship. In Christ's name. Amen.**

\*Closing Hymn "For All You've Done" On Screen

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

On the cover: Clark Merkel makes his very own Noah's Ark  
after hearing that story in Children's Church

(\*) All who are able please stand when noted.