# Welcome To CCUCC

Our mission is to welcome all into a loving, progressive faith community, knowing our actions reflect our Christian values: to question and explore beliefs and assumptions, to strive for peace and justice, and to care actively for the earth, our community, and one another.

# The Core Values of Progressive Christianity

By calling ourselves progressive Christians, we mean we are Christians who...

1. Believe that following the way and teaching of Jesus can lead to experiencing sacredness, wholeness, and unity of all life, even as we recognize that the Spirit moves in beneficial ways in many faith traditions.

2. Seek community that is inclusive of all people, honoring differences in theological perspective, age, race, sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, class, or ability.

Strive for peace and justice among all people, knowing that 3. behaving with compassion and selfless love towards one another is the fullest expression of what we believe.

Embrace the insights of contemporary science and strive to 4. protect the Earth and ensure its integrity and sustainability.

Commit to a path of life-long learning, believing there is more 5. value in questioning than in absolutes.

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We acknowledge that we stand on land stolen from Native and Indigenous people. We are on Nimíipuu land and we recognize that they were the first people here.

We acknowledge that we benefit from the prosperity of the United States, which was built on the labor of enslaved people.

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### THIS WEEK AT CCUCC

Monday, October 14 Outreach 2 pm Justice & Witness 6:30 pm **Tuesday, October 15** Shared Ministry 10 am Coffee at Neill's Coffee Shop 10:30 am Building & Grounds 1:30 pm Wednesday, October 16 Office closed Potluck Plus 5:30 pm Friday, October 17 Queer Quest 6:30 pm





October 13, 2024

10:30 am

# Last Things First responding to need UNITED CHURCH

No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here.

# Gathering of All Who Seek God's Presence

Prelude	Just A Closer Walk With Thee arr. Larry Shackley	Kathy Spencer, piano		
Welcome		Rev. Mike Bass		
Announcements		S		
Joys and Concerns		5		
*Call to Worship		Bill Condon		
Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, O God. The Holy One meets us in the still of our thoughts, in the joy of our laughter, in the spontaneity of our encounters, in the hope of our presence Your steadfast love is cause to rejoice, O God. The Creator sustains us with mercy, reassures us with compassion, and challenges us with grace. O God, we will rejoice and be glad all our days. Let us worship our Maker in spirit and in truth, through pain and despair, with the fullness of our being. Passing of the Peace				
C	Let us share words of peace and belo	onging		
*Hymn	The Weaver's Shuttle Swiftly Flies	#464		
Call to Wholeness:				
to do good thin thing that challe horizon of mean Help us to disco	onfess our attachment to the things of gs that require little and, at times, turn enges us. Stretch our imaginations, O ning. Make of us repairers of brokenn ern life in your realm of compassion is ne moment with abounding love and a	n away from the needed God, and expand our ness and restorers of lost. is rich, full, and freeing.		
(Silent Prayer)				
Assurance of Grace	2			

### Anthem

Mothering God Janet Peachev based on writings of Julian of Norwich

CCUCC choir

# Connecting with Sacred Stories

### Ancient Witness Mark 10: 21-22

Bill Condon

...Jesus looked at the person with love and said, "There is one more thing that you must do. Go and sell what you have and give it to those in need; you will then have treasure in heaven. After that, come and follow me." At these words, the inquirer, who owned much property, became crestfallen and went away sadly.

Sermon	Last Things First: Responding to Need	Rev. Mike Bass
*Hymn	They Asked, "Who's My Neighbor?"	#541

# Responding to Live Faithfully

Prayers of the People & the Jesus Prayer:

Eternal Spirit, Life-Giver, Pain-Bearer, Love-Maker, Source of all that is and that shall be,

Father and Mother of us all, Loving God, in whom is heaven:

The praise of your name echo through the universe. The way of your justice be followed by the peoples of the world. Your heavenly will be done by all created beings. Your commonwealth of peace and freedom sustain our hope and come on earth. Amen.

### nvitation to the Offering

Offertory

Ginny Hauser, flute

For the month of October the loose cash offering will go to support *Circles of Caring.* 

Peace Within

Steven Scott

### \*Hymn

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

\*Please stand as you are able. terms, and language of God.

The Council has decided wearing masks during worship is optional.

# coffee hour.

A New School Year means that your Church Choir is back! We'll meet each Sunday morning at 9:15. Any and ALL are WELCOME!

For our weekday downtown coffee time, is now on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. Through October we will meet at Neill's Coffee Shop on Main St. All are welcome to drop in between 10:30 and 11:30 for our no-host social time as we continue to support businesses through the difficult Main St. construction period. Each month we'll change location, so we'll keep you posted!

Potluck Plus is back! Save the date of Wednesday, October 16th at 5:30 pm in Brewster Hall. Anjuli Dodhia and Guy Worthey will present a short musical program. Please consider bringing your own plate/cutlery/cups.

Our next movie night is Sunday, October 20 at 5pm in Fellowship Hall. The movie this month is Join or Die. A full description of the movie is in the activity update and on the bulletin board.

Neighbors in Dialogue presents Racism in Pullman: How Can We Be Part of the Solution? on Wednesday, October 23 at 6:30 pm.

Next Game Night is Friday, October 25 at 6 pm. All are welcome.

# Sent with | ove into the World

Let Justice Flow like Steams

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<sup>†</sup> As an inclusive and open faith community, we attempt to convey gender inclusive images,

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Thanks to the Rev. Dr. Cheryl A. Lindsay as liturgical guide.

### Assistive listening devices are available in the back of the sanctuary.

# Announcements

COFFEE HOUR: You are encouraged to stay for coffee and treats and fellowship after worship today. Just head across the entryway to Brewster Hall and join us for