## 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.

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

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

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

"Core Values of Progressive Christianity"

2022 Edition

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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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#### 2024/25 Church Council

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### THIS WEEK AT CCUCC

#### **Tuesday, April 1**

Coffee at Neill's 10:30 am

#### Wednesday, April 2

Office closed Yoga in Brewster Hall 5:30 pm







March 30, 2025

10:30 am

LENT 4



Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32



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

Gatherir	ng of All Who Seek God's	Presence	Responding to Live Faithfully			† As an inclusive terms, and langua All inserted song
			Prayers of the People & the Jesus Prayer:			Thanks to the Rev
Prelude	Aria from Cantata No. 77 J.S. Bach	Brent Peters, trumpet	Eternal Spirit, Life-Giver, Pain-Bearer, Love-Maker, Source of all that is and that shall be,			Assistive
Welcome	Rev. Mike Bass		Father and Mother of us all, Loving God, in whom is heaven:			
Life of the Church			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 bone and some on earth. Amon			
Joys and Concerns						
*Call to Worship Darin Paulson		sustain our hope and come on earth. Amen.				
The Spirit of God that breathes us into life, whispers: Come home. We come home to the open arms of Love. We come as we are, with our complexities and hunger for nourishment. We come with joy, with regrets, and with longings too. We bring all of who we are - our whole selves. Let us join in celebration of Love.			Invitation to the Offering			<b>COFFEE HOUR</b>
			Offertory	<i>Coming Home</i> Jeanne Cotter	Ginny Hauser, flute	after worship toda coffee hour. All a
			For today the loose cash offering will go to support CCUCC food pantry.			Have a desire to r Any and ALL are
Passing of the Peace			Doxology Praise God from whom all blessings flow;			
Let us share words of peace and belonging			80	Praise God, all creatures here below;		Weekly coffee tin Coffee Shop on M
*Hymn	Love Divine, All Loves Excelling	#43		Praise God for all that love h Creator, Christ, and Spirit, (	·	our no-host social month we'll chang
Expressing Thanks	Honoring Megan Rev. Mike	e Bass & Nancy Mack				~
Anthem	Create In Me A Clean Heart Arnold B. Sherman	CCUCC choir		Sent with Love into the	World	Come join us for yoga mat and practice
			*Hymn	Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Yoı	<i>u</i> #4	
Connecting with Sacred Stories			*Benediction			
Children's Moment Rev. Mike Bass & Kym Dye			*Postlude	You Shall Go Out With Jo	V	
Ancient Witness	Luke 15: 1-3; 11b-32 [First Nations]	Darin Paulson		You shall go out with joy And be led forth with peace.		
Sermon	Extravagant Welcome Home	Rev. Mike Bass		The mountains and the hills will break forth before you. There'll be shouts of joy and all the trees of the fields will clap, will clap their hands. And all the trees of the field will clap their hands All the trees of the field will clap their hands All the trees of the field will clap their hands		
*Hymn	Let us hope when hope seems hopele	ss #461				

while you go out with joy! REPEAT ALL

\*Please stand as you are able. † As an inclusive and open faith community, we attempt to convey gender inclusive images, terms, and language of God. All inserted songs printed with permission OneLicense #A-714060

v. Molly Bolton as liturgical guide.

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

## Announcements

**R**: You are encouraged to stay for coffee and treats and fellowship lay. Just head across the entryway to Brewster Hall and join us for are welcome.

make a joyful noise? Choir meets each Sunday morning at 9:15 a.m. e WELCOME.

me is **Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.** Through **April** we will meet at **Neill's** Main St. All are welcome to drop in between 10:30 and 11:30 for al time with Pastor Mike as we continue to support businesses Each ange location, so we'll keep you posted!

yoga in Brewster Hall every Wednesday at 5:30 pm. Bring your actice with us.