

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 Nimípuu 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.

Scan code here to donate your loose change to local non-profit.



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Moderator: Sandy Evenson

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Shared Ministry Team: Tricia Grantham

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Outreach Team: open

THIS WEEK AT CCUCC

Tuesday, November 18

Coffee @ Pups & Cups 10:30 am

Shared Ministry 10 am

Building & Grounds 1:30 pm

Stewardship & Finance 3:30 pm

Wednesday, November 19

Office closed

Neighbors In Dialogue 6:30 pm

Friday, November 21

Queer Quest 6:30 pm

Saturday, November 22

Faith Development



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An Open and Affirming & Just Peace Church

Accessible to All

November 16, 2025

10:30 am

STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY



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 *Gather Us In* Kathy Spencer, piano
arr. Jeanne Cotter

Welcome Rev. Mike Bass

Life of the Church

Joys and Concerns

***Call to Worship** Tricia Grantham

We join together, each with different needs.
God meets every need with blessing.
We join together, each with different gifts.
The Holy welcomes every gift as blessing.
We have come together to dream our Creator's dream.
No gift is too small, no dream is too big.

Passing of the Peace

An opportunity to share words of peace and belonging. The ancient, traditional greeting is "The peace of Christ be with you" with a response of "And also with you."

***Hymn** *Cantemos al Creador (Creator God We Sing)* #39

Connecting with Sacred Stories

Children's Moment Rev. Mike Bass

Anthem *For The Autumn Sky* CCUCC choir
Ruth Elaine Schram

Ancient Witness 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 Tricia Grantham
[The Authentic Letters of Paul, (2010)]

I received from the lord the same thing that I have passed on to you, that on the night when he was handed over, the lord Jesus took bread and after he gave thanks he broke it and said, "This means my body broken for you. Do this to remember me." And in the same way he took the wine cup after the meal and said, "This cup means the new covenant ratified by my blood. Whenever you drink this, do it to remember me." So every time you eat this bread and drink this cup you are proclaiming the death of the lord until the day when he returns.

Sermon Telling Our Story: made in love Rev. Mike Bass

***Hymn** *Creator God, Creating Still* #278

Responding to Live Faithfully

Prayers of the People & Jesus Prayer Rev. Mike Bass

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.

Inviting Generosity

Offertory *Heartstrings* Ginny Hauser, flute
Rolf Lovland

Today's cash loose offering will support the Community Action Center's food pantry.

Doxology **Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures high and low: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God for all that love has done!
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Sent with Love into the World

***Hymn** *Take My Gifts* #562

***Benediction**

***Postlude** *Pass It On*

It only takes a spark to get a fire going
And soon all those around can warm up in the glowing
That's how it is with God's love
Once you've experienced it
You'll spread God's love to everyone
You'll want to pass it on **(repeat)**

*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.
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Credit: Call to Worship by the Rev. Amber Henry Neuroth. Adapted by the Rev. Mike Bass.

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 coffee hour. All are welcome.

Weekly coffee time is **Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.** Through **November** we will meet at **Pups & Cups** on Main St. All are welcome to drop in between 10:30 and 11:30 for our no-host social time with Pastor Mike as we continue to support businesses. Each month we'll change location, so we'll keep you posted!

Choir has resumed! Join us for rehearsals on **Sunday mornings at 9 am.** Everyone is welcome!!

Chasing the Chill: We are teaming up with UU Church in Moscow to collect scarves, gloves, hats and socks of all sizes. There will be a donation box in the narthex to collect new or gently used items to help our friends in the community. Questions? Contact Kym Dye at kymdye57@gmail.com

November Meals on Wheels Volunteers Needed: Pullman Community Council on Aging, the organization that coordinates Meals on Wheels, needs volunteers during November. See the Sign-up Genius link in the Tuesday update if you can help out for one or two dates during the month.

We need Sunday volunteers! See the Tuesday update for help needed in December.

If you would like to help with the Thanksgiving for the Community on **Friday, November 28th**, see the sign up sheets in the narthex. All food items must be store bought.

Neighbors In Dialogue on **Wednesday, November 19th at 6:30 pm at CCUCC.** A Conversation with the Queer Community with Kathy Sprague, Nick Cassleman and Cece Cook. Zoom available. See the Tuesday update or bulletin board for all the info.

Game Day Parking Update For three home games in August and September, football fans donated \$2,510 to park in the church's lot on Game Day. Go Cougs! Go CCUCC!! Volunteers have signed up for the final 3 home games in October and November. If you'd like to help, please join us in the parking lot 3 hours before kickoff. The more, the merrier! Nov 15: 4p-7p; Nov 29: 12:30p-3:30p. For more info: Wanda Terry, wandaterry@yahoo.com or 509.595.0450 call or text.