

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 Nimiipuu 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

Tuesday, February 3

Coffee @ Neill's 10:30 am

Wednesday, February 4

Office closed

Friday, February 6

Queer Quest 6:30 pm



Community Congregational

United Church of Christ

An Open and Affirming & Just Peace Church

Accessible to All

February 1, 2026

10:30 am



Helping, Sharing, Caring, Harmony, Peace (2017). Image from the sculpture of a bear that was created by the Nechells community as their contribution to the fund raiser for the Birmingham Children's Hospital. The bears were auctioned at the farewell weekend festival in Fall of 2017.

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



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Gathering of All Who Seek God's Presence

Prelude *Let Us Break Bread Together* Diane Worthey, violin

Welcome Rev. Mike Bass

Life of the Church

Joys and Concerns

***Call to Worship** Kym Dye

When we hunger for justice and thirst for the liberation of all life, or when we want for collective flourishing with the entirety of our spirit,
Blessed are we, for our longings will birth the dreams of God.
When we weep with all the world's aches, or when we find ourselves filled with sorrow because of what is cruel, what is lost, what is forgotten,
Blessed are we, for God weeps through us.
When we are punished socially or economically for our refusal to go with the flow of normalized evil, or when our radical practices of love leave us isolated or condemned.
Blessed are we, for we offer a glimpse of the kingdom of God.
The Holy draws near wherever hearts are open.
Love, come and shape us!

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** *Blessed Are The Poor In Spirit* #180

Connecting with Sacred Stories

Children's Moment Rev. Mike Bass

Anthem *Be Not Afraid* CCUCC choir
Bob J. Dufford, arr. Wagner

Ancient Witness Matthew 5:1-10 [*Inclusive version*] Kym Dye

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on the mountainside, and after he sat down and the disciples had gathered around, Jesus began to teach them:
"Blessed are those who are poor in spirit: the kingdom of heaven is theirs.
"Blessed are those who are mourning: they will be consoled.
"Blessed are those who are gentle: they will inherit the land.
"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for justice: they will have their fill.
"Blessed are those who show mercy to others: they will be shown mercy.
"Blessed are those whose hearts are clean: they will see God.
"Blessed are those who work for peace: they will be called children of God.
"Blessed are those who are persecuted because of their struggle for justice: the kingdom of heaven is theirs."

Sermon *A Radical Type of Love* Rev. Mike Bass

***Hymn** *God of Grace and God of Glory* #436
v. 1, 2, 4

Celebration of Communion

Invitation

Sharing of the Bread and Cup - All are welcome at the table.

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.

Responding to Live Faithfully

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory *Sleepsong* Guy Worthey, vocals
Rolf Lovland Diane Worthey, violin

*For the month of February the cash loose offering will support
The Fig Tree.*

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

Sent with Love into the World

***Hymn** *O for a World* #575
v. 1-3

*Benediction

***Postlude** *What Does The Lord Require of You?*

What Does The Lord Require of You?
Justice, kindness,
Walk Humbly with your God.
To seek justice and love kindness
And walk humbly with your God.

*Please stand if 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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Call to Worship liturgy by the Rev. Molly Bolton of enfleshed. Adapted by the Rev. Mike Bass.

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

Announcements

COFFEE HOUR: All are welcome 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.

Join us **today** in the Main Dining Room of Bishop Place for the monthly Bishop Place Hymnsing at 3 pm.

Have a desire to make a joyful noise? Choir meets each Sunday morning at 9:15 a.m. Any and ALL are WELCOME.

Weekly coffee time is **Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.** Through **February** we will meet at **Neill's** 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!

Movie Night this month features **To Sir With Love** on **Sunday, February 15. Doors open at 5pm.** Pizza provided! Upcoming movies are listed in the Tuesday update.

Chasing the Chill: We are teaming up with UU Church in Moscow to collect winter items (scarves, gloves/mittens, hats and socks of all sizes) Note that socks must be newly purchased. 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. Please no coats, blankets, jackets or sweatshirts.

Next Pub Theology will be **Monday, February 9th at Southfork at 5:30 pm.** Questions? Contact Darin Paulson.

Meals on Wheels Volunteers Needed There are only a few spots left. See the Tuesday update for the link.

Shrove Tuesday **PANCAKE FEED and TALENT SHOW.** 5:30 p.m. February 17. The festive Mardi Gras before Lent begins! **Sign up** in the church entry to help with the food and/or volunteer your talent. Questions? Ask Mary Carloye 509-332-9229 or Lisa Carloye.

Yoga has returned on **Wednesdays at 5:30 pm.**