

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.

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Justice and Witness Team: Kym Dye
Outreach Team: open

THIS WEEK AT CCUCC

Monday, March 9

Justice & Witness 6:30 pm

Tuesday, March 10

Coffee @ Pups & Cups 10:30 am
Shared Ministry 10 am

Wednesday, March 11

Office closed
Congregational Life 4:15 pm

Friday, March 13

Queer Quest 6:30 pm



Community Congregational

United Church of Christ

An Open and Affirming & Just Peace Church
Accessible to All

March 8, 2026

10:30 am



Christ and the Samaritan Woman

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/13384589@N00/5629776709/>

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 *There Is A Fountain* Kathy Spencer, piano
Dino Kartsonakis & Bill George

Welcome Rev. Mike Bass

Life of the Church

Joys and Concerns

***Call to Worship** Kym Dye

Let all who yearn for connection,
all who hunger for justice and thirst for renewal
come and be replenished.

With hope and expectation, we bring all that our spirits desire.

Let everyone weary from isolation
or overwhelmed by life's troubles
come and find rest in God's care.

All those who come seeking community are received in Holy Embrace.

May the presence of God be manifest among us
As we give, as we receive, and grow in love.

Passing of the Peace

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

***Hymn** *Crashing Water at Creation* #326

Connecting with Sacred Stories

Children's Moment Rev. Mike Bass

Anthem *Let Us Love One Another* CCUCC choir
Arnold B. Sherman Katie Hauser, saxophone

Ancient Witness ** John 4:5-30 [*Inclusive version*] Kym Dye
(insert)

Sermon *Living Water* Rev. Mike Bass

***Hymn** *Like a Tree Beside the Waters* #313

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 *Sonata* Kathy Spencer, piano
Baldassare Galuppi

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**

*For March the loose offering will support
the Pastor's Discretionary Fund.*

Sent with Love into the World

***Hymn** *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say* #489
v 1-4

*Benediction

***Postlude** Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising,
give me joy in my heart, I pray;
give me joy in my heart, keep me praising,
keep me praising till the break of day.

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna to the King of kings!
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna to the King!

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

**Large print bible is available on the back table. Ask an usher for assistance.

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 . All are welcome.

Weekly coffee time is **Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.** Through **March** 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 9:15 am.** Everyone is welcome!!

Wednesday Yoga meets weekly from 5:30-6:30 in Brewster Hall. Come join this all-abilities yoga experience. The goal is to gather together and follow "Yoga with Tim" on YouTube as he leads us through gentle flow yoga. Guaranteed to make you feel better! Questions? Ask Lisa Carloye (lcarloye@gmail.com). Free and open to all.

Movie Night is **tonight** with our movie being Dark Waters. Doors open at **5 pm** and pizza is provided!

Next Pub Theology will be on **Tuesday, March 24th at 5:30** at Southfork. Questions? See upcoming activity update for the QR code to listen to the podcast. Everyone is welcome. Contact Darin Paulson if you have questions.

Next Game Night is **Friday, March 27th at 6 pm.**

The next Civics Education event is **Thursday, March 26th at 6:30 pm** in Fellowship Hall. The topic will be Voter Access and Registration. In addition, there will be a Zoom meeting regarding Voter ID Information Postcards. See the upcoming Do Something update coming on Wednesday for the QR code to attend.

SPECIAL COFFEE HOUR March 15 Let's celebrate Sue! Sue Schell is moving to Virginia, and we want to thank her for her many years of service at CCUCC. There is a basket for cards in the narthex now. We hope to see her again as she visits Pullman from time to time.

Thank You Meals on Wheels Volunteers! More than 130 meals were delivered by 18 volunteers during February 16-28. If you'd like to help with this community service, CCUCC will organize volunteers for Meals on Wheels during three weeks in the summer, June 16-July 8. Watch for announcements in May to sign up through Signup Genius.