

Ministers to the World

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UNITED WELCOME to worship at United Church of Christ Norwell! CHURCH Thank you for your ongoing support throughout the COVIDof CHRIST 19 pandemic. Despite the challenges of the pandemic, UCC NORWELL Norwell has continued to love God and neighbor through our vital ministries, ever strengthened by the material and

prayerful support of our members and friends. By the grace of God, we have been able to respond to the adversity of the moment by providing spiritual support to our community through virtual worship, bible studies, racial justice book studies, our WISE Mental Health Ministry, Musical Meditations, Faith@Home kits, Pray + Play events and ongoing youth fellowship. We have offered material support to our church and wider community through the establishment of the COVID-19 Assistance Fund, Community Garden, mask-making and distribution, Outreach meal packaging events, Habitat build days, and emergency disbursement of M+O Funds.

Listening devices for the hearing impaired and large print bulletins are available. An usher or deacon would be happy to assist you with these.

Audio of the worship service can also be heard in the library where there are toys and books for young toddlers (a Deacon or usher can assist you). Please note that a parent must remain with their child(ren) in the library to supervise them.

This morning's service will be available on our Vimeo channel later today.

## United Church of Christ Norwell

We are a Christ-centered inclusive community called to ministry.

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## United Church of Christ Norwell

An Open and Affirming Church

February 20, 2022 10:00 a.m.

We Gather in God's Name

Call of the Bell

Welcome and Prayer of Invocation

Rev. Leanne Walt

\*Hymn

#655 Community of Christ v. 1, 3, 4

**LEONI** 

Time with the Children

Rev. Ashley Popperson

The Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

Walking Music

Walk with Me

John Rice

Walk with me; I will walk with you and build the land that God has planned where love shines through.

Faith Witness

Jack and Kay Spurr

Anthem

Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord

Paul Baloch

We Receive God's Word

Scripture

Luke 6:28-37

Sermon

Beloved Community: Considering Nonviolence

Rev. Leanne Walt

Sermon Response We Shall Overcome v. 1, 3 Spiritual We shall overcome, we shall overcome, we shall overcome some day!

Oh, deep in my heart I do believe we shall overcome some day!

We'll walk hand in hand, we'll walk hand in hand some day!

Oh, deep in my heart I do believe we'll walk hand in hand some day!

## We Respond to God's Love

Prayers of the People Ellen Allen

Call to Offering Rev. Ashley Popperson

Offertory Since Jesus Came Into My Heart Charles Gabriel; Karen Harvey, piano Arr. Steven Tedesco

Please sign and pass the Red Book (in aisle seats) so we may greet each other by name. If you are with us for the first time, please add your contact information.

\*Doxology LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Christ the Word in flesh born low: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise Holy Spirit evermore; One God, Triune, whom we adore: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

\*Prayer of Dedication

We Depart to Serve

\*Hymn #687 In Christ There Is No East or West ST. PETER

\*Benediction Rev. Leanne Walt

Postlude

## The God of Abraham Praise Karen Harvey, organ

LEONI; Arr. Marianne Kim

\* Please stand, as you are able

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