



Welcome to worship at United Church of Christ Norwell. Whether you are a member of our church, a frequent attendee, or a first time visitor, know you are welcomed here. We hope you will find your time among us inspiring and leave feeling strengthened and transformed by the love of God in Christ.

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

Activity bags are available for children to use in the library (a Deacon or usher can assist you). Audio of the worship service can be heard in the library as well. Please note that a parent must remain with their child(ren) in the library to supervise them.

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

May 29, 2022

10:00 a.m.

We Gather in God's Name

Call of the Bell

Welcome and Prayer of Invocation

Rev. Ashley Popperson

*Hymn

#575 *Come and Find the Quiet Center*

BEACH SPRING

Prayer of Confession (unison)

Paul Haight

Holy God, Creator of All, from the beginning of time you carved out the Sabbath. You designed creation with the need for holy rest. We confess that we have not been as diligent in our resting as in our working. We confess that we have forgotten to listen to the limits of our bodies, our minds, our spirits. We confess that we have forgotten to listen to each other's holy boundaries. We are finite. God, we are only human and doing the best we can. Help us to rest in You.

Let us now bring our silent confessions before a listening God.

Assurance of Grace

Beloved hear this: God made you. God loves you. God calls us to work and to rest.
In Christ there is freedom! In Christ there is rest! We are set free! Alleluia! Amen.

Children's Message

Rev. Ashley Popperson

*The Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

Musical Response

Halle-Halle-Halleluja

Caribbean

We Receive God's Word

Scripture Exodus 20:8-11
Sermon *Sabbath: A Cathedral in Time* Rev. Ashley Popperson
Anthem *Come to Me, O Weary Traveler* AUSTIN

We Respond to God's Love

Prayers of the People Paul Haight
Call to Offering
Offertory *Where the Spirit of the Lord Is* Stephen Adams

*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 #594 *Dear Lord, and Father of Mankind* v. 1, 3, 4, 5 REST

*Benediction

Postlude *Postlude on "Beach Spring"* Avery Harken
Karen Harvey, organ

* Please stand, as you are able

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