

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.

This morning's service will be available on our <u>Vimeo</u> channel later today.

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We are a	Christ-centered inclusive com	munity called to ministry.	
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## United Church of Christ Norwell

An Open and Affirming Church

 June 26, 2022
 Pride Sunday
 9:00 a.m.

We Gather in God's Name

Welcome and Prayer of Invocation

Rev. Ashley Popperson

\*Hymn #288 O God of Vision v. 1-3 LOBE DEN HERREN

Prayer of Confession (unison)

Betsy Brink

Holy One, you see us as we are. You created us in your image, mirroring your beauty. We confess that we have not always seen the beauty in ourselves or in others. We have spoken harsh words to ourselves and to your beloved ones. Heal us, O God. Help us to see your beauty everywhere, including ourselves.

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

Assurance of Grace

Siblings in Christ: the very image of God is in you. God heals our hearts and calls us by name.

In Christ, we are forgiven! In Christ, we are free! Amen!

Musical Response

Amen

African-American

We Receive God's Word

Scripture

Ephesians 4:29-5:2

Sermon

Magnificent. Resplendent. Sublime.

Rev. Ashley Popperson



## We Respond to God's Love

Prayers of the People

Betsy Brink

Call to Offering

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.

Offertory

Dona Nobis Pacem Traditional Latin Paul Allen, Helen Burgess, Paula McMahon

\*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

\*The Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

We Depart to Serve

*Hymn	#487 Help Us Accept Each Other v. 1-3	LANCASHIRE
*Benediction	Rev.	Ashley Popperson
Postlude	Finale on LOBE DEN HERREN Karen Harvey, organ	Avery Harken

\* Please stand, as you are able

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