

**ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE NINTHEETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
10 a.m. *Confirmation Sunday* October 11, 2020

*\* indicates stand if you are able*

SPECIAL SONG OF WELCOME *“Welcome”* *by Mark Miller*  
*CUMC Adult Choir*

1. Let’s walk together for a while and ask where we begin,  
to build a world where love can grow and hope can enter in,  
to be the hands of healing and to plant the seed of peace, singing welcome,  
(Refrain) Welcome to this place. You are invited to come and God’s grace.  
All are welcome the love of God to share ’cause all of us are welcome here;  
All are welcome in this place.
2. Let’s talk together of a time when we will share a feat,  
where pride and power kneel to serve the lonely and the least,  
and joy will set the table as we join our hands to pray, singing welcome,  
(Refrain)
3. Let’s dream together of the day when earth and heaven are one,  
A city built of love and light, the new Jerusalem, where mourning turns to dancing,  
Every creature lifts its voice, crying welcome.

WELCOME ALL CHILDREN OF GOD AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETINGS

One: The Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.  
**All: And also with you.**  
One: The risen Christ is with us.  
**All: Praise the Lord!**

CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER

One: God has called us to be His holy people.  
**All: We have responded to God’s calling.**  
One: God invites us to a great celebration.  
**All: God invites all kinds of people to this celebration.**  
One: Here we are to worship.  
**All: O God, let us shine your light in the darkness around us.**  
One: And together let us pray.  
**All: Almighty God, we celebrate with our confirmands and join them in reaffirming our faith and our commitment to be your disciples. Your unconditional love and forgiveness challenges us continually. We feel inadequate to be ministers. Mold us, guide us, and equip us to be able to live up to the high calling to which you have called us. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.**

A TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLE Nancy Mattson and Andrew Esposito

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**God, your word is a lamp to our feet. May that word grow in our hearts and our lives, that we may work together to build a world where all may share God’s abundant life. Amen.**

SCRIPTURES

Psalm 100:5  
Joshua 1:9  
Philippians 4:13  
Psalm 23

SERMON

*“Live On”* Rev. Jane Kim

\*HYMN

*“Awesome God”* (2X) TFWS #2040

JOYS AND CONCERNS

LITURGY OF CONFIRMATION AND REAFFIRMATION OF FAITH Insert

\*HYMN

*My Life is in you Lord* TFWS #2043

THE INVITATION TO GIVE OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS (in unison)

**Gracious and loving God, your generosity knows no bounds. Your creation is full of awesome beauty and abundant resources. Help us to be good and generous stewards, caring for the creation, comforting all who suffer, and sharing your saving grace with all who will listen. Amen.**

WEEKLY OFFERING

The Offering plates will be place by the entrance to the sanctuary and altar for your use upon entering or leaving worship.

\*DOXOLOGY

*“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”* UMH #95

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

**Loving God, we give you thanks because you are good. Your love and grace go on forever. Help us to remember your goodness, and to tell others about it. Bless these gifts and transform these gifts into blessing. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.**

\*BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH

One: God has called us to a high calling.

**All: In this place we only find peace and comfort.**

One: God equips us to be his disciples.

**All: We go to share God's love.**

One: Now God sends us forth.

**All: We go to give ourselves for others in love.**

One: Go with blessing of God.

**All: Amen.**

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Be safe and well. Until we meet again, we pray for the peace and love of Jesus Christ.

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**OUR WORSHIP HAS ENDED**

**NOW OUR SERVICE BEGINS**

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