

Welcome to Worship

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PRELUDE....."Original Composition"
Linda Missad (she, her)

WELCOME AND SHARING OF ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Thank you God, for sunny days, for our favorite colors, and for dogs, cats, and pets of all kinds.

All: Thank you God for trees to climb and for parks with slides and swings.

Leader: Thank you God for rain coats, boots, and puddles for splashing.

All: Thank you God for beach balls, surfboards, warm sands, and refreshing waters.

Leader: Thank you God for friends, for fun, for joy, and for laughter.

All: Thank you God for teaching us to live in love.

OPENING SONG....."Jesus Loves Me"
Hymn #327 (black)

PASSING THE PEACE

UNISON PRAYER

Loving God, we thank you for this amazing day, for everything in nature, and for our ability to find you in prayer. We thank you for bringing us together into one community of faith, supporting each other with love. When we love it is easier to listen, easier to play, easier to laugh, easier to accomplish our goals. Open our minds to imagination, to peace, and your enduring love. This is our prayer. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING.....Luke 10: 25-37

SERMON SKIT.....Who Is My Neighbor?

PRAYER SONG....."Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness"
Hymn #286 (black)

PASTORAL PRAYER.....The Lord's Prayer
(words on screen)

THE OFFERTORY.....Special Music by Millie Bendert

DOXOLOGY

OFFERTORY PRAYER

CLOSING "Now in the Days of Youth"

BENEDICTION
Hymn #350 (black)

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THANK YOU!

Our musician today is Linda Missad. Thanks Linda!

GROUP DISCUSSIONS AND PASTOR WALKS

Pastor Traci is creating space for group discussions on 2nd and 4th Sundays starting at 9am to discuss current events. Pastor Traci is also offering walks on Tuesday's from noon to 1pm at Hager Park. Meet at the VanderLaan Building parking lot.

HUCC COOKBOOK

It's time for an updated HUCC cookbook! Favorite recipes from church members past and present are welcomed! They may be put in a box near the sanctuary or emailed to: pastortraci@hudsonvilleucc.org

HOBBY HUB

Hobby Hub is the 4th Thursday of every month, from 6-9 pm! Bring your crafts and fellowship on May 23.

OPEN AND AFFIRMING MEETING

May 26 is our next Open and Affirming Mtg., after the service in the parlor. We'll be planning for Holland Pride! We'd love to have you join us!

SAVE THE DATE!

Save the date and spread the news! The 32nd Ave. Craft Show and Flea Market will be Saturday, September 14, from 9-3. Vendor registration is open on the Hudsonville UCC website. Talk to Angel Dannenberg for more information.

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A simple, childlike faith in a Divine Friend solves all the problems that come to us by land and by sea.

-Helen Keller

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PRAYERS

Remember our elderly and home bound.
Pat Haynes, Tali Merchant, Kelly Pelon, Phyllis Roh,
Gary Sholtz, Liza Vela, Al Wooton and Newaygo UCC.

Open & Affirming Statement

Hudsonville Congregational United Church of Christ is an Open and Affirming church. We celebrate our human family's diversity of race, age, cultural background, physical and mental ability, sexual orientation, gender identity, family structure, education, faith history, economic status, marital status, spiritual journey, and life circumstances. Aided by this God-given gift of diversity, we strive to reflect God's unconditional love to all creation, and we affirm that all people are created in God's image. We welcome the full inclusion of all people in the life and ministries of Hudsonville Congregational United Church of Christ. We believe that God is still speaking and as Jesus prayed, one day we will all be one.

We recognize that the universal church has at times rejected difference and denied God's promises for itself and others. We believe we can love alike, even though we may not think alike. So, we boldly proclaim, "Welcome, ALL who seek God's life-giving grace. Come as you are, so together, we will make a world of difference.

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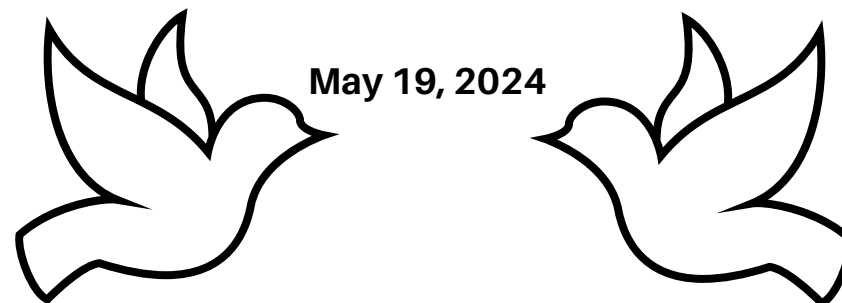


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United Church of Christ

Open & Affirming

May 19, 2024



Rev. Daniel Furman, Senior Pastor (he, him)

Rev. Traci Parker, Associate Pastor (she, they)



***No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey,
you are welcome here!***