



Alleluia! Alleluia!

Jesus said, "Abide in me....Love one another."

We Give Thanks for . . . Our Congregational Meeting and first steps to our transition into continued ministry, a wonderful visit with Ann Fortescue at Tai Chi last week. . .

We Seek God's protection and guidance . . . All transgender and non-binary young people who are struggling to see if they have a place of safety and care. . .

We Call Upon God's Strength & Healing Presence for . . . Participants in Tai Chi recovering from hip replacement . . .

We Ask for Hope & Assurance for Those Who Face Uncertainty . . . Marianite Sister Suellen Tennyson (childhood friend of a book group member) has been abducted in Burkina Faso where she had working in maternal & child health, the people of Ukraine, and for all who will work for a less violent world, our armed forces and their families in Europe at this time, our communities without adequate housing, those living in our neighborhoods where gun violence is a routine occurrence . . .

Through Us May God Comfort Those Who Grieve . . . Gale Pfueller's family (long time friends of the Kalens). . .

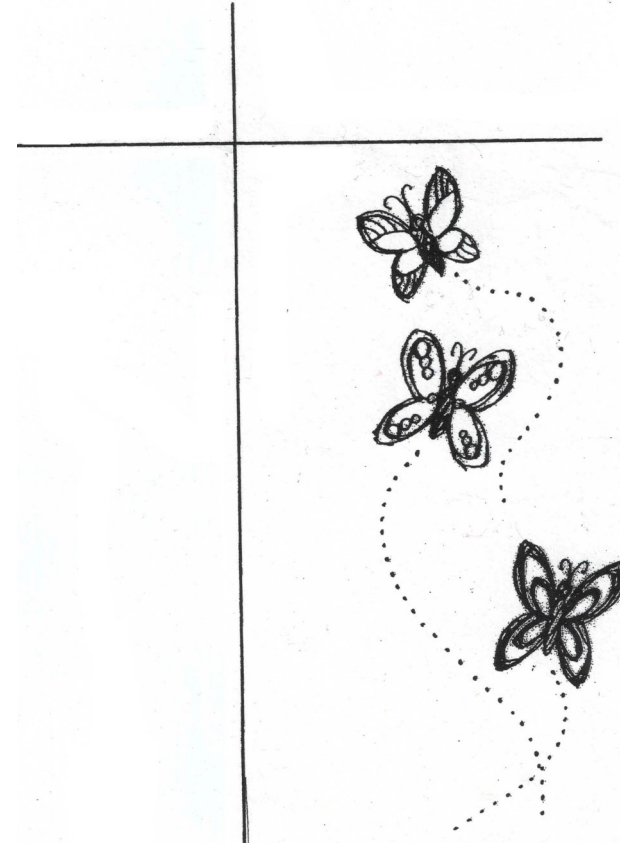
We pray for the Church & the World . . . All seeking a way to peace in Yemen, Europe, Ethiopia, Myanmar and too many places to name in our world, our Presbytery Staff seeking to implement our new mission and vision statements, our Regional Vice Moderator-Gail Black, our Accompaniment Team members-Rev. Gregg Neel, Sandy Hackett, & Janet Anderson . . .

**Refreshments & Concert
Today following worship**
To honor Ivona's ministry with us.



The Third Sunday of Easter Celebration of the Resurrection

May 1, 2022 ~ 10:30 am



Welcome newcomer or long time friend!
We're glad you are with us today.
We invite you to share in the ministry & celebration
of our life together in Christ
through worship, study, & service.

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2 **All are invited to rise in body or spirit,
and to stand as they are able.
Please mute all electronic devices.
Congregational responses are in bold.
Please sign the welcome cards so we can acknowledge your
presence with us in worship.*

WELCOME & GATHERING

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LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

PRELUDE Ms. Stephanie Cooke
*Please join in lighting the candles
here or at home as we gather in the light of Christ.*

GATHERING PRAYER & HYMN

God of new life and new beginnings, you are forever inviting us into a deeper life—a life full to the brim with meaningful work, meaningful relationships, joy, beauty, awe, and wonder. Your resurrection is a reminder that new life is possible. As we move forward in this Easter season, give us the courage to build new life here. **Amen.**

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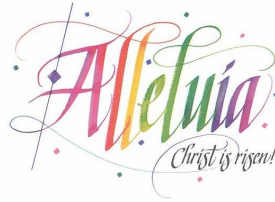
A PRAYER FOR WHOLENESS

PSALM 30

- 1 Out of the depths I cry to you, YHWH!
- 2 God, hear my voice!
Let your ears be attentive to my voice, my cries for mercy!
- 3 If you kept track of our sins, YHWH, who could stand before you?
4 But with you is forgiveness, and for this we revere you.
- 5 So I wait for you, YHWH—my soul waits,
and in your word I place my trust.
- 6 My soul longs for you, YHWH, more than sentinels long for the dawn,
more than sentinels long for the dawn.
- 7 Israel, put your hope in YHWH, for with YHWH is abundant love
and the fullness of deliverance;
- 8 God will deliver the people of God from all its failings.**

Hear us as we pray...

We continue in a time of silence.



NEXT SUNDAY **9:00-10:00 am** **Musician Rehearsals Chapel & Sanctuary**
10:00 am MCC of Portland Worship- Sanctuary
and on Facebook/YouTube
10:15 am Welcome & Greeting for Common Ground-Chapel
10:30 am Common Ground Worship-Chapel and on Zoom
you can request the link through the church office

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A CONCERT TODAY!

HONORING THE MUSIC MINISTRY OF IVONA SCHACKER

***Please join us on the front porch for a reception brunch as we
take a few moments to prepare for our concert!***

Ms. Ivona Schacker began her role as Music Director for our congregation in the Spring of 2007. A native Oregonian, she had come back to this area after living 42 years in the San Francisco Bay area, Ivona was the organist and choir director at Calvary United Methodist Church in San Jose and the accompanist at St. William's Catholic Church in Los Altos.

Ivona also taught music and math in Elementary and Jr. High Schools in Santa Clara & Campbell School Districts. Today, we are thrilled to honor her in music leadership as well as the many blessings we have received of her warmth and caring, fine musicianship and artistry. A fine collaborator, Ivona has welcomed and encouraged musicians of every age, voice, and instrument to share in the music ministry here.

Retirement blessings!

Your beloved Common Ground family



CURRENT BUILDING USE

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 10:00 am MCC of Portland Worship in-person in the Sanctuary
 and on Facebook/YouTube

10:15 am **Welcome & Greeting for Common Ground in the Chapel**
10:30 am **Common Ground Worship in-person in the Chapel and on**
Zoom *you can request the link through the church office*
Reception on the Front Porch following worship

12:15 pm *Concert honoring Ivona Schacker's Ministry of Music*

Hawthorne Family Playschool M-F**8:30 am-12:30 pm outdoor classrooms, restrooms**

Monday **9:00 am-2:00 pm** **Office Hours**
 11:00 am-6:30 pm Meg Dixon, MIR- Voice & Piano Lessons-Chapel
 12:00-5:00 pm Megan Cronin, MIR-Violin lessons-Friendship Rm
 6:45-9:00 pm PDX Vox- Chapel

Tuesday **9:00 am-2:00 pm** **Office Hours**
 6:00-8:00 pm Clarinet & Woodwind Ensemble- Social Hall
6:45 pm **3rd Tuesdays Monthly Reading & Reflection Book**
Group-Zoom & at the home of Kate Belt next
meetings May 17 & June 21
 6:45-9:00 pm PDX Vox- Chapel

Wednesday **11:00 am-1:00 pm** **Office Hours**
11:00 am-1:00 pm **Quiet Space in the Sanctuary or Chapel**
12:00 pm **Mid-day, Midweek Prayer** (*Rev. Tim Winslea, RN is in Africa*
to set up an international nursing student program this will resume soon, but let Kate know
if you are interested as we maybe having a substitute for this with a different Zoom
address)
 6:00-8:00 pm Megan Cronin Classes in the Friendship Rm
 6:30-8:30 pm HFP Board Meetings (first Wednesdays): 5/4
 6:30-8:30 pm Community Meetings (typically 3rd Wed.)
 7:00-9:00 pm 2nd Wed. MCC Board Meeting-Social Hall
 7:00-10:00 pm Logan Thane Brown, MIR- Brass groups- Sanctuary

Thursday **9:30 am-1:30 pm** **Office Hours**
10:00-11:00 am **Weekly Tai Chi Joan Smith-Front Porch**

Friday Office Closed
 7:00 pm MA meets in Friendship Room or Social Hall

Saturday Office Closed
 10:00 -11:30 am Overeaters Anon in-person mtg. beginning May 7-Social Hall
 9:00 am-12:00 pm Logan Thane Brown, MIR- Brass groups- Sanctuary
 1:30-6:30 pm Gregor McGee, MIR—Sanctuary

ASSURANCE & PEACE Christ is our peace, the
 indestructible peace we now share with each other.
 The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you!

Let us greet one another with signs of God's peace.
We invite you to greet one another in the grace and
love we have received—that which turns strangers and
neighbors into a beloved community of God's children.

CELEBRATING GOD'S GRACE #390 LOUEZLE SEIGNEUR***Praise, Praise, Praise the Lord!******Praise, Praise, Praise the Lord!******Praise God's holy name, Alleluia! Repeat******Praise God's holy name, Alleluia!******Praise God's holy name, Alleluia! repeat***WORD & WONDER**WONDER & BLESSING THE CHILDREN WITH SONG****#155** ***Raise a Song of Gladness*** JUBILATE DEO***Raise a song of gladness peoples of the***
Earth!***Christ has come bringing peace, joy to every heart.******Alleluia! Alleluia! joy to every heart;******Alleluia! Alleluia! joy to every heart!***

PRAYER FOR HEARING GOD'S WORD

GOD'S WORD TO THE CHURCH

READING FROM THE EARLY CHURCH Acts 9:1-6

SPECIAL MUSIC Ms. Stephanie Cooke

GOSPEL READING John 21:1-19

EASTERTIDE MEDITATION

When We Can't Imagine "What's Next?"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE ~

Holy One, who came as a child,
we pray for your children everywhere.

For those who are hungry, **we pray for nourishment.**

For those who are fleeing, **we pray for safety.**

For those who are ill, **we pray for your healing.**

For those who are grieving, **we pray for your peace.**

For those who are suffering, **we pray for your
presence. . . We continue in silence**

Help us to walk in your Way.

**Help us to remember the Way
is made by walking.**

Holy Three, who patterns community, we pray for
communities everywhere.

For those who are divided, **we pray for unity.**

For those who are isolated, **we pray for connection.**

For those who are afraid, **we pray for your courage.**

For those who are frustrated, **we pray for new hope.**

We pray especially for those in our own community who
suffer this day . . . *We continue in silence*

Help us to walk in your Way.

**Help us to remember the Way
is made by walking.**

*After a brief time of silence, we have the opportunity to
pray our other thanks and concerns*

...Help us to walk in your Way.

**Help us to remember the Way
is made by walking.**

Holy Three-in-One and One-in-Three, bless us in the work
of faith, that we might be truly faithful. Nourish us in the

labor of love, that we might show your love.
Keep our hope steadfast, that we might know your
grace and your peace as we wait for your coming
reign, justice and overwhelming love. **Amen**

SERVICE OF THE TABLE

OFFERING & INVITATION #505

THE FEAST IS READY

The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing

Please include your offering at the font during our hymn.

See Eastertide Communion Insert

THANKS & PRAISE #592 *Sanctus* VASILE

REMEMBERING & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Together we proclaim the mystery of our faith:

CALLING UPON THE HOLY SPIRIT

SHARING IN THE PRAYER THAT JESUS TAUGHT

CONTEMPORARY ECUMENICAL VERSION

Please use these words or the ones of your tradition.

SHARING THE BREAD & CUP

BLESSING & SENDING

HYMN OF PEACE & PARTING #526

LINSTEAD

Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ

BLESSING

Go out into the world in peace.

Love the Lord your God

with all your heart,

with all your soul,

with all your mind;

and love your neighbor as yourself.

Thanks be to God!

*All thanks for the music of Ms. Stephanie Cooke
our liturgist and our online host Kate Belt who ensures the
technology is a blessing, not a burden for our congregation.*