

TO BE SENT FORTH

*BENEDICTION:

Renew our communion with your Church throughout the world, and strengthen it in every nation and among every people to witness faithfully in your name.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in his final victory and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your Holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and forever.

Amen.

*RESPONSE: Back Cover (Blue Hymnal)

“A Closing Prayer”

All prayer requests are welcome. Please write them in the book on the desk in the narthex.

MEMBERS: Please sign the pew pad and pass it down the pew and then back to the start. The last person should put the sheet in the offering plate. All e-mail addresses will be protected in blind copy so no one else sees your e-mail address. If you are receiving regular e-mails from Church, it is not necessary to write it in again.

VISITORS: Please fill out a yellow card found in the pew and place it in the offering place.

North Star District Prayer List for this week includes:

Cooperative Parish Wrightstown—JC Duncan & Mark Bateson

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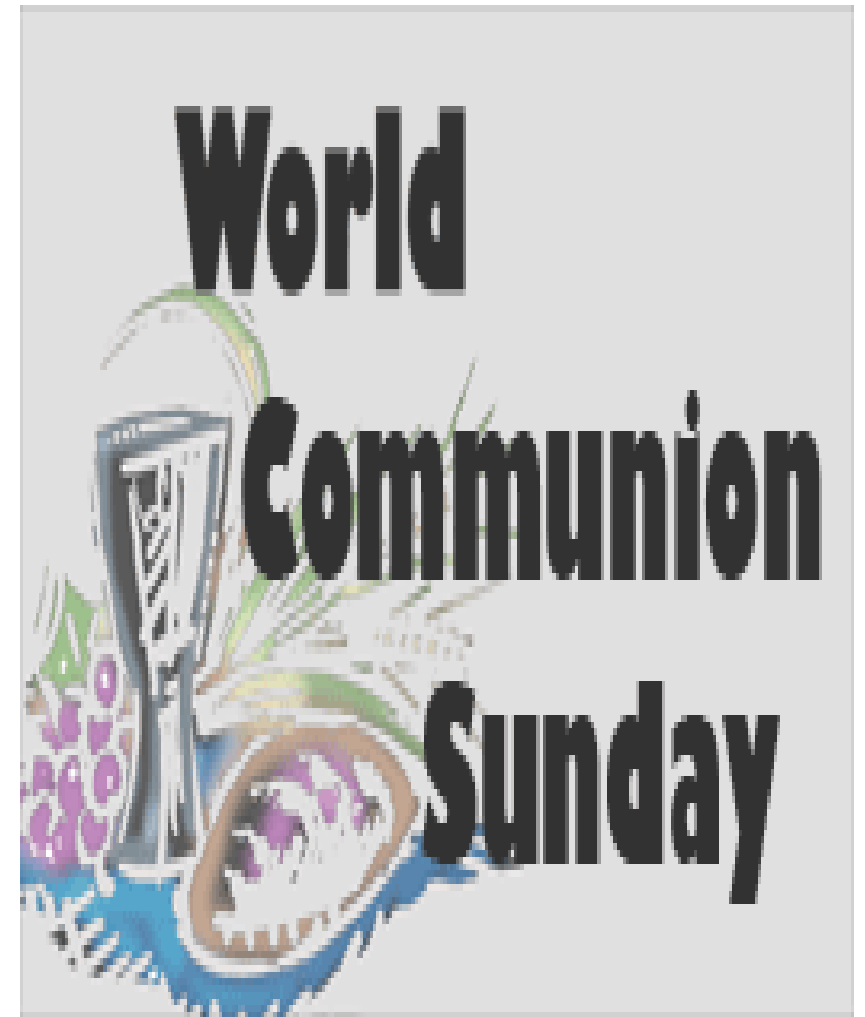
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GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



WORSHIP LEADERS

Ministers: All the People

Organist: Mark Forkner

Choir Director: Isaac Lovdahl

Scripture Reader: Butch Fangsrud

Pastor: Roger Grafenstein

Violinist: Kay Forkner

Pianist: Sharon Fangsrud

Ushers: Bill Krogen and

Mike Hamm

ORDER OF WORSHIP

October 6, 2013 World Communion Sunday 10:00 AM

Three Chimes signals the beginning of Worship
Learning to Live and Love like Jesus

Announcements and Time of Christian Greeting

*Indicates those able may stand

*You are never a stranger here. You are a child of God.
We gather as brothers and sisters in Christ. Welcome.*

GATHERING POINT & PRELUDE:

As the choir and pastor are seated during these last moments before worship you are invited to pray:

- For a person on the prayer list;
- For the morning worship leaders and visitors
- For a person the Spirit moves you to pray for
- For your heart to be ready for the gospel of hope. Welcome.

(If you wish to have someone pray with you, following worship one of Grace's prayer/care team will be in the library ready to listen and pray).

WE GATHER TO PRAISE AND PRAY

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Almighty God, from the ends of the earth you have gathered us.
You call us together around Christ's holy table.

In a world too often divided you call us to feast together.

As bread and cup are shared, let your mercy and your hope speak to our hearts.

Through our sharing at Christ table, may we glimpse a world at peace.

Through our sharing, may we reflect the ways of the Savior we seek to follow. AMEN.

*HYMN: #2064 (Black Hymnal)

"O Lord, You're Beautiful"

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD & RESPOND

PRAYER: (Adapted from Barbara Dunlap-Berg – UM Book of Worship)

Loving God, we join with our sisters and brothers around the world in remembering Christ's sacrifice for us. We give you

thanks and praise—for the opportunity to eat and drink together and for the abundant life we have received. Through your graciousness grant us the will and ability to fill one another's lives with love. Redeem, restore, and remold us until we are made new. Transform our daily bread into the bread of life. Let each of us become part of your saving grace for all of us around the globe. This we pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON: II Timothy 1:1-14 (NRSV)

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS:

HYMN: #640 (Blue Hymnal) "Take Our Bread"

GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 17:5-10 (NRSV)

CHOIR: "Here I Am, Lord"

MESSAGE: "Guard the Treasure"

SHARING OF JOYS, CONCERNS, AND PRAYERS: -

(Please wait for the microphone and speak clearly, keeping it about an inch or two from your mouth.- Thank you)

THE LORDS PRAYER:- #895 (Blue Hymnal)

THE INVITATION TO CHRIST'S TABLE

OFFERING: We gather for the morning Worship Service. Worship and service go together. To worship God is to serve God and neighbor. We pause for one way to offer our lives in service. May our gifts flow from faithful hearts and become blessing for others.

DOXOLOGY: - #95 (Blue Hymnal) "Praise God"

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: # 13 (Blue Hymnal)

THE SHARING

*HYMN: #614(Blue Hymnal)

"For the Bread Which You Have Broken"