## **WELCOME**

- A Warm and Cordial Welcome is extended to all who worship with us today! We hope that in this service you will encounter the living Christ and experience the warmth of our caring community of faith. Please take a moment to sign our friendship pad when it is passed to you, so that members and guests may greet one another after the service.
- Guests, if you are in search of a church home, we invite you to consider becoming a part of our community of faith here at Corbin Presbyterian Church. Please indicate your interest on the friendship pad, speaking to the Pastor, or by contacting the church office at 606-528-1444 or churchoffice@corbinpres.org
- Children are always welcome in worship! Children's worship bulletins, clip boards and crayons are available on the table just outside the sanctuary for use by children and the adults who worship with them. During worship, children are invited to join the Pastor on the chancel steps for Young Disciples Time. There is also a special *Pray*ground just for them at the rear of the sanctuary where they may continue to interact with the Scriptures and theme of worship for the day.

### **CALENDAR**

Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost World Communion Sunday Sunday School – 9:30am - Library Worship & Communion – 11am

Monday, October 7<sup>th</sup> Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup>

Cub Scouts #488 - 6-7:30pm

Home Communion - 12pm

Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup>

Women's AA Group 6-7pm Choir Rehearsal 7-8pm

Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>

Bulletin Deadline 10am TOPS Meeting 5-7pm

Friday, October 11<sup>th</sup>

Al Anon 12-1pm

Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost Sunday School – 9:30am - Library

Worship – 11am

Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday, October 15th

Cub Scouts #488 - 6-7:30pm

Wednesday, October 16th

Women's AA Group 6-7pm

Choir Rehearsal 7-8pm

Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup>

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Friday, October 18th

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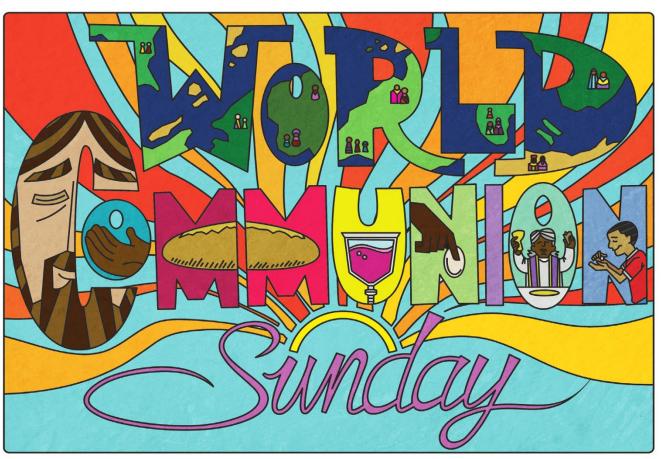
#### **Session**

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# Corbin Presbyterian Church October 6, 2019

World Communion Sunday is celebrated every year on the first Sunday in October. Originally called World Wide Communion Sunday, it is a gift of the Presbyterian Church to the larger ecumenical faith community. The first celebration took place in 1933 at Shadyside Presbyterian Church in Pittsburgh, PA where The Rev. Dr. Hugh Thompson Kerr served as pastor. Dr. Kerr conceived the notion of World Communion Sunday during his service as Moderator of the General Assembly in 1930 and brought the idea back to Shadyside. Dr. Kerr's vision caught on and became an effort of the church's Division of Stewardship to bring churches together in a service of Christian unity. The celebration of World Wide Communion Sunday was adopted as a denominational practice in the Presbyterian Church (US) in 1936 and the invitation to other churches across the U.S. and around the word has been extended ever since. Today, World Communion Sunday is celebrated as an ecumenical event around the world as a witness to our connection to one another in Christ and a call to serve together.

On this World Communion Sunday, we recognize and celebrate that while we may gather at different churches, and come from different traditions, and even live worlds apart, we are still one family bound up together in the love of Christ. As one family we are called to proclaim our unity in Christ in the midst of a divided world, sharing what we have with each other, caring for one another, and being in relationship even as we celebrate our differences. Jesus tells us that every time we come to his table, eat the bread, and drink from the cup, we do not come alone, but come with sisters and brothers everyone. In this simple meal, we get a taste and a glimpse of the Heavenly banquet where all will be at one table together in the Kingdom of God. Come, let us taste and see that God is good!

# The Service for the Lord's Day Gathering Around the Word

Prelude My Comfort By Day, My Song In the Night

DAVIS

Choral Introit Bless the Lord, O My Soul APPALACHIAN FOLK SONG

Joys, Concerns, and Announcements

\*Call to Worship

When the world seems full of division,

Creator God, make us one.

When it is hard to love our neighbor,

Creator God, make us one.

When walls and borders separate us,

Creator God, make us one.

When we close ourselves off to others,

Creator God, make us one.

When we get it right,

Creator God, make us one.

When we come together,

Creator God, make us one.

When we are reminded we are part of something bigger than ourselves.

Creator God, make us one.

When we ask others to join us at this table,

Creator God, make us one.

**Opening Prayer** 

\*Hymn #276 Great Is Thy Faithfulness FAITHFULNESS

\*Call to Confession

**Prayer of Confession (unison)** 

Almighty God, giver of mercy and grace, you have called us to one table, but we have pursued our own course. You have promised us the abundance of all creation, but in our greed, and in our envy, and in our fear, we do not trust the abundance of your gifts, and the world goes without. You have promised us the bread of life itself, but in our pride, and in our arrogance, the world goes hungry. You have promised us the waters of peace and justice, but in our violence, and in our discord, the world goes thirsty. And now we are famished too, Lord. Have mercy on us. Forgive us, again. Transform us, at this table, for this table, and send us from this table as servants of your righteousness, by the power of your Son, our Lord. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon** 

\*The Gloria

\*The Peace

May the peace of Christ be with you all. And also with you.

# **Hearing and Proclaiming the Word**

**Prayer for Illumination** 

Scripture Lamentations 1:1-6

1 Timothy 1:1-14

Choral OfferingCeltic Communionarr. Mark Hayes

BUNESSAN

**Time with Young Disciples** 

Scripture Luke 17:5-10

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

**Sermon** We Have All That We Need....and Then Some The Rev. Lisa R. Eye

### **Responding to the Word**

\*Affirmation of Faith (adapted from the Belhar Confession, PCUSA, 2016)

We believe in one holy, universal Christian church, the unity of the communion of saints of the entire human family. And we believe that that this unity of the people of God must be manifest and active, in that we love one another; that we give ourselves willingly and joyfully to one another, that we share one baptism together, that we eat of one bread and drink of one cup together, that we confess one name, one Lord, for one cause, with one hope, which is the height and the breadth and the depth and the love of Christ, forever and ever. Amen.

**Prayers of the People** 

Response: Lord, have mercy. All are embraced at your table.

Offering

Gilbert M. Martin

OffertoryAndanteFelix MendelssohnThird Organ Sonata1809-1947

\*Doxology #592 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

\*Prayer of Dedication

### Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

\*Hymn (insert) Come, Behold! The Feast of Heaven LANFIAR

Invitation

The invitation to the Lord's Table is extended to all who seek to follow Jesus Christ. This is not a Presbyterian table, but the Lord's Table.

Members, friends, and guests are welcome to share in this feast our Lord has prepared!

**Great Prayer of Thanksgiving & The Lord's Prayer** 

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is truly right, and our greatest joy to give you thanks and praise.... Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with choirs of angels, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name:

Sanctus #581

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

Blessed are you, O Christ, our Lord.... Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Gracious God, pour out your Spirit upon us....through Christ and in Christ, the one who came for us, died for us, and rose for us, the one who prays even for us, the one who first taught us to pray, saying:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**Communion of the People** 

During our celebration of Communion, please partake of the bread as you receive it and hold the cup until all are served so that we may drink together, signifying our unity in Christ.

**Prayer after Communion** 

\*Hymn #507 I Come with Joy vv. 1-4 DOVE OF PEACE

\*Charge & Blessing

\*Response #507 I Come with Joy v. 5 DOVE OF PEACE

\*Postlude Grand Choeur Cesar Frank
1822-1890