



**Events for the Week of June 24**

**Today**

9:45 a.m., Hymn-Sing  
10:00 a.m., Worship  
11:00 a.m., Fellowship  
(Celebrating the 50th Anniversary of  
Randy Lodjic's Ordination)

**Tuesday, June 26**

9:30 a.m., Leta's Legacy Quilters

**Thursday, June 28**

6:00 p.m., Yachats Big Band Rehearsal

**Sunday, July 1**

9:45 a.m., Hymn-Sing  
10:00 a.m., Worship (Communion)  
11:00 a.m., Fellowship  
1:00 p.m., Sea Aire

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^Ian Patternoster: <https://www.gramophone.co.uk/forum/general-discussion/one-of-my-poems-connected-to-classical-music>

^^Thom Shuman—<http://lectionaryliturgies.blogspot.com/>

^^^Declaration on Where We Stand Regarding Concerns About Direction Towards Autocracy That This Country Is Taking, adopted by Presbyterian Church (USA) General Assembly 223, St. Louis, Missouri - June 2018

^^^^excerpted from *Song of Faith* of the United Church of Canada (2006). <http://www.united-church.ca/beliefs/statements/songfaith>

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**Welcome to YCPC!!!**

We are an inclusive, welcoming, come-as-you are, Christ centered community of faith. As such, we recognize that those who worship with us come from many different faith traditions, and some from no tradition at all. Accordingly, our worship is fairly informal and we encourage you to engage with it in whatever way you feel comfortable.

We are a spiritual community of different minded believers, sharing one heart. We strive for justice and peace among all people, and bring support and hope to those that Jesus called the least of his sisters and brothers.

We invite everyone to join in our worship, our communion, and our community. "Everyone" includes believers and agnostics, conventional Christians and questioning skeptics, LGBTQ and straight, females and males, Jews and Gentiles, the despairing and the hopeful, and any other descriptor that may fit you.

We extend a special welcome to all who are visiting. Please sign our guest book in the narthex. If this is your first visit, please select an agate from the basket. Please also print your name and mailing address in a red attendance book located in each row of the sanctuary.

Large print bulletins are on the east and west tables in the narthex. Personal PA receivers for the hearing impaired can be obtained by speaking with one of the ushers.

Join us for fellowship immediately following morning worship. This is a time for coffee and conversation.

**We're glad you're here!**



**GATHERING AROUND THE WORD**

**Hymn-Sing (9:45)**

**A Time of Centering**<sup>^</sup> *Be still and know that I am God*

I weave a silence onto my lips  
I weave a silence onto my mind  
I weave a silence within my heart  
I close my ears to distractions  
I close my eyes to attractions  
I close my heart to temptations

Calm me, O Lord, as you stilled the storm  
Still me, O Lord, keep me from harm  
Let all tumult within me cease  
Enfold me Lord in your peace.

**Welcome**

**Music of Preparation**

**Call to Worship** (responsive)<sup>^^</sup>

Though others may forget us,

**God remembers us in every moment.**

Though we may seem worthless to some,

**We are precious in God's eyes.**

Though we may feel hollow,

**God pours grace into us.**

Though we think our pockets are empty,

**God gives us more than we ever imagined.**

**Hymn #184**.....*Calm to the Waves*

**Call to Reconciliation (in unison)**

**We let fears control us, we let doubt become the way of life for us. If we but look, we will see our lives, and our world, cradled in God's loving hands. Let us confess our lack of faith, even as we trust the One who has promised to listen to our words, as well as our hearts.**

**Prayer of Reconciliation (in unison)^^**

**They can be such giants in our lives, God of Grace. Each day, our fears, our doubts, our worries wash over us, until we come to believe that you do not care for us. There seems to be so much wrong in the world, we are convinced that there is nothing good we can do. The storms of sin and temptation batter at us, and we cower, unable to find the faith to withstand them.**

**Forgive us, God of Hope. Remind us that if we but open our hearts, you will heal us. If we but listen to your words, we will hear peace and joy. If we but open our lives to you, we can go forth to serve our sisters and brothers, even as we have been served by our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.**

**The Assurance of Pardon (responsive)^^**

With calming words,  
with a peaceful Spirit,  
with overflowing love and hope,  
our God forgives us and fills us with faith.  
**Our God affirms us for who we are—  
those whose brokenness is made whole,  
whose sin is forgiven,  
whose lives overflow with faith.  
Thanks be to God! Amen.**

**Congregational Response.....Glory Be to the Father  
Glory be to the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.**

**Sharing the Peace**

**Special Music.....Jesus, Are You Listening?**

**PROCLAIMING THE WORD**

**Prayer for Illumination**

**First Lesson.....II Corinthians 6:1-13**

**Second Lesson.....Mark 4:35-41**

Word of God for the People of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

**Hymn #185.....Lonely the Boat**

**Celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the Ordination of Randy Lodjic**

**Hymn #548.....May God Support You All Your Days**

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

**Affirmation of Faith (in unison)^^^**

(From Presbyterian Church (USA) General Assembly, June 2018)

As confessing Christians...

**We trust God, whom we know through Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray as others pray in other names.**

**We are obligated to declare our concerns about the direction towards autocracy that our country is taking.**

**We say Yes to God’s power of love and justice for the neighbor as well as the self, and we say No to demonic power that urges hate of the other, scatters blame, and creates civic discord.**

**We say Yes to our imperfect democracy with one person, one vote, and No to any corruption of our elections.**

**We say Yes to universal health care and No to care based on the ability to pay.**

**We say Yes to safe schools, houses of worship, and public gathering places; and No to civilian access to assault and/or military-style weapons.**

**We say Yes to core human values and No to dividing our humanity by ideology and partisanship.**

**We say Yes to bridges and the preservation of families and No to walls.**

**We say Yes to affirming and celebrating the full spectra of human identity and No to discrimination and bigotry. We say: “In life and in death we belong to God.”**

**The Offering**

**Offertory**

**Response #608.....Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow**

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Call to Prayer #471.....O Lord, Hear My Prayer**

**The Community Prays....In Thanksgiving - For Ourselves – For Others**

**The Lord’s Prayer (Modern Translation)^^^**

**Loving Creator we honor you,  
and we honor all that you have made.  
Renew the whole world in the image of your love.  
Give us what we need for today,  
and a hunger to see the whole world fed.  
Strengthen us for what lies ahead;  
heal us from the hurts of the past;  
give us courage to follow your call in this moment.  
For your love is the only power,  
the only home, the only honor we need,  
in this world and in the world to come. Amen.**

**BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD**

**Sending Song #750.....Goodness Is Stronger than Evil**

**Benediction**

Put obstacles in no one’s way,  
but rejoice in purity, knowledge, patience, kindness,  
holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech,  
and the power of God.

**Congregational Response**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**Thanks be to God!**

**Postlude**

Ushers: Betsy and Louis Maxfield

Worship Assistant: Jan Thornton

Flowers: Sue and Jim Finlayson

Refreshments: Sue and Jim Finlayson and Betty Groth

**Pray for:** Stan Pomeroy, Karl Evans, Sheryl Young, Gerald Stanley, Cicely Bernard

**We extend our sympathy** to the family and friends of Dr. Philip King who died Friday, June 15. Last year, the Session named Dr. King as YCPC’s first Elder Emeritus.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Thanks to Louis Maxfield** for the Special Music this morning, his own composition, *Jesus, Are you Listening?*

**TODAY** we celebrate the 50th anniversary of the ordination of Randy Lodjic. A retired Presbyterian minister, Randy has served as Guest Preacher at YCPC, most recently on May 13 and May 20. Randy lives in Yachats and worships at YCPC as well as Waldport Presbyterian Church and John Knox Presbyterian Church in Keizer where he also serves as pulpit supply.

**Mission Giving for June, Pastor’s Discretionary Fund.** This Fund is used to offer a bit of help to members, friends and others who come to our church for help during particularly difficult times. Funds may be used to provide assistance with emergency housing, warm food, clothing, car repairs and medical expenses... among other things. **Pew Envelopes for your contributions** will be in the bulletins during the month of June. **Please note “Pastor’s Fund” on the envelope. Thank you.**

**Save the Date, Saturday, July 14, 7:00 p.m., Concert, An Evening with Milo and Friends** at YCPC.