Events for the Week of October 7

Today

10:00 a.m., Worship 11:00 a.m., Fellowship 1:00 p.m., Communion at Sea Aire

Monday, October 8

10:00 Stewardship and Finance Committee 12:00 Noon, Lunchtime Lectionary Study

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

Wednesday, October 10—Office Closed 9:30 a.m., Deacons

Thursday, October 11

9:00 a.m., Choir 10:30 a.m., Hand Bells 6:00 p.m., Yachats Big Band Rehearsal

Saturday, October 13 3:00 p.m., Organ-Aided Meditations with Jon Nestor

Sunday, October 14
10:00 a.m., Worship (Guest Preacher, Randy Lodjic)
11:00 a.m., Fellowship
(Apple Desserts Potluck)

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^https://practicingfamilies.com/2016/09/26/world-communion-sunday/

^^http://www.pcusa.org/site_media/media/uploads/peacemaking/pdf/final_peacemakingwcworshipresourceb.pdf

^^^ written by Rev. Mindi and posted on her Rev-o-lution blog. http://rev-o-lution.org/

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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, gay 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.

Activities for children during worship: there is a place in the rear of the sanctuary for quiet activities for children during worship.

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

We're glad you're here!



Rev. Bob Barrett, Pastor Jeannine Janson, Administrative Assistant Milo Graamans, Music Director, Organist/Pianist John Waide, Pastor Emeritus

ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY October 7, 2018 World Communion Sunday

Welcome A Time of Centering^

THE TABLE WITH NO EDGES

We will sit down where feet tire from the journey. We will sit down where grief bends the back.

We will sit down under roofs wrecked by artillery. We will sit down where cries sound from cracked walls.

We will sit down where heat beats like hammers. We will sit down where flesh shivers in cold.

We will sit down where bread bakes on thin charcoal. We will sit down where there is no grain in baked fields.

We will sit down with those who dwell in ashes. We will sit down in shadow and in light.

We will sit down, making friends out of strangers. We will sit down, our cup filled with new wine.

We will sit down and let love flow like language. We will sit down where speech needs no words.

We will sit together at the table with no edges. We will sit to share one loaf, in Christ's name, in one world.

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Introit.....Fairest Lord Jesus

Call to Worship (responsive)^^

The heavens are telling the glory of God, all creation speaks volumes of God's handiwork.

Each sunrise proclaims God's faithfulness and the night reveals the Creator's awe.

Without a word being spoken, all creation bears witness to the goodness of the Lord.

So, too, may we join in witness with all creation.

May the words of our mouths and the meditation of our hearts be God's signature in the world.

Opening Prayer

God of all nations, we give You thanks that we are all made in Your image, with such rich diversity. On this day we are in solidarity with the faithful around the world. As we break bread together, we remember that we are still one body in You, even though we have different languages, cultures and traditions, different ways of worship, praying and praising. In solidarity we drink the cup together of hope, of new life, knowing that Your will is for Your people to be one body. We are one body, but we are not the sameit is through the gift of diversity that we are able to be Your body. We thank You and praise You for making us all who we are. individually and collectively. We each celebrate our own ancestry, culture and ethnicity, and we pray to You now as You taught us...

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 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.

Hymn #301....Let Us Build a House (All Are Welcome)

Call to Reconciliation

Prayer of Reconciliation^^

God of compassion and mercy, we are your wounded and wounding children. We bring our wounded selves, our divided society, and our broken world, seeking your healing and transforming grace; it is easy for us to point the finger at others, yet we know that we all need your forgiveness; so we lift into your presence today, not only the victims of conflicts, but also those we have called enemies. Break down the walls of hatred, distrust and bitterness and open a way for us to reach one another in truth and love. Enable us to build a society where all can belong; to share our gifts in mutual respect and to seek for the new future which you offer us through Jesus the Christ. Amen. Silence is kept.

Assurance of Pardon^^^

God is the giver of MANY gifts. God is the Creator of the ONE body. God is slow to anger and quick to forgive. God helps us to share and honor the gifts of all, God helps us to heal the wounds and reunite the body. We are forgiven, loved, and accepted.

Thanks be to God! Alleluia! 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

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

The Lesson.....Matthew 26:18b, -19, 26-29

Hear what the Spirit is saying to you this morning. Thanks be to God!!!

Sermon

Anthem......Break the Bread, Pour the Wine

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Affirmation of Faith^^^

I believe in God, the giver of grain and bread, and in Jesus Christ, the bread of life broken for us, and in the Holy Spirit,

God's nourishing power in every grain and loaf.

I believe that Christ is to be leaven in us. so that we may offer the bread of life to the hungers of every human heart. Amen

The Offering

Offertory

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

Prayer of Dedication

Call to Prayer #466......Come and Fill Our Hearts The Community Prays In Thanksgiving - For Ourselves - For Others

Hymn #510.....We Gather Here in Jesus' Name

WE GATHER AROUND THE TABLE

Invitation to the Lord's Table ^^

In the silence of the morning, as the new day dawned around the world, God's people began to gather for worship amid the sounds of drums or pipes, strings or organs. And now we, too, join in this worldwide chorus of those who call upon the name of the Lord. On this World Communion Sunday we remember especially that the Scriptures are fulfilled as "People will come from east and west, and from north and south, and sit at the table in the kingdom of God." So come, not because you must, but because you may. Come, not because you are strong, but because you seek God's strength. All those who trust in Jesus are invited to come and join in the feast that God has prepared.

BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

Sending Song #543.....God, Be the Love to Search and Keep Me Benediction Congregational Response 765.....Song of Hope

Postlude

<u>Ushers</u>: Sue Finlayson and Nan Scott

Worship Assistant: Fran Morse

Communion Servers: Sharon Bliss, Max Glenn, Texie Price, and

Nan Scott

Deacon at Sea Aire: Doris Gardenhire

Flowers: Betsy, Louis and Brenda Maxfield Refreshments: Ken and Mary Emma Parks

Pray for: Stan Pomeroy, Karl Evans, Sheryl Young

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thanks to the Hand Bells, directed by Jim O'Brien, for the Introit.

NEXT Sunday, October 14, Annual Apple Dessert Potluck during Fellowship. Everyone is invited to bring their favorite apple dessert to share: apple pie, muffins, pudding, cake. It's a yummy day for Fellowship.

Pastor Bob will be out of town October 9 through 18 at a continuing education conference, and Jeannine is off Wednesdays; so the church office will be closed October 10 AND 17.

Tomorrow, October 8, 12:00 Noon, Lectionary Study: Proper 23B; texts for discussion are: Job 23:1-9, 16-17, Amos 5:6-7, 10-15, Hebrews 4:12-16, Mark 10:17-31 Bring your lunch. After tomorrow, the next Lectionary Study will be Monday, October 22.

NO coffee with Pastor Bob until Thursday, October 18, at 10:30.

October Mission Giving is for the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) Peace and Global Witness Special Offering, which supports ministries working to bring people to Christ's table of peace. Giving for this Special Offering begins today, World Communion Sunday. Envelopes and information inserts are included in the bulletins. 50% of your gift stays with YCPC to assist victims of abuse.

South Lincoln Resources (SLR) Holiday Food Baskets. A container is in the narthex for food donations for the SLR Holiday Food Baskets. Canned and packaged food requests for the baskets include: stuffing mix, cranberry sauce, apple sauce, green beans, corn, yams, Jell-O, soups, tuna, peanut butter. If you would like to donate money for food for the Baskets, please make your check payable to YCPC with "SLR Food Baskets" in the memo line. Applications for the Food Baskets are in the office. The deadlines for the applications are: November 2 for Thanksgiving and November 30 for Christmas.