Community United Church of Christ

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An Open and Affirming Congregation ● A Peace with Justice Church June 7, 2020 10:00 AM Trinity Sunday

PRELUDE Come Sunday by Duke Ellington (from Black, Brown, and Beige)

Alaina DeBellevue. Musician

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Robinson Lapp, Worship Leader

OPENING MEDITATION Wayfaring Stranger arr. Lee Evans

CALL TO WORSHIP Adapted from AMID ALL THE NOISE IN OUR LIVES **By <u>Tim</u> Haley**

One: Amid all the noise in our lives, we take this moment to sit in silence --to give thanks for another day; to give thanks for all those in our lives who have brought us warmth and love; to give thanks for the gift of life.

All: We know we are on our pilgrimage here but a brief moment in time.

One: Let us open ourselves, here, now, to the process of becoming more whole --

All: Let us open ourselves, here, now to living more fully; to giving and forgiving more freely;

One: Let us open ourselves, here, now to understanding more completely the meaning of our lives here on this earth.

All: Amid all the noise in our lives, we take this time to worship and to turn to wonder.

SONG Bring Many Names

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Adapted from the Belhar Confession, sections 1 and 2

God, You gather, protect, and care for us, your beloved, through Word and Spirit. This you have done from the beginning of the world and will do to the end. Have mercy upon us and forgive us for failing to see, to understand, to act. Where we have not loved one another as we should, where we have not sown the seeds of gospel hope, where we have not been present as fully as you call us to be; restore us, heal us, change us. May we give ourselves willingly and joyfully to be of benefit and blessing to one another, that we

may truly share one faith, have one calling, and be of one soul and one mind For the cause of love. Amen.

SHARING THE CREATIVE SPIRIT *Gaelic Blessing* by Cole Keirsey

READINGS Psalm 8, Matthew 5:1–12, 28:16-20 and <u>Being Peace</u> by Thich Nhat Hanh

SERMON Blessed Are the Peacemakers Rev. Nicole

SONG Be Thou My Vision

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Rev. Nicole and Rev. Jackie

WORLD PEACE PRAYER Adapted from the Upanishads Oh God, lead us from death to life, from falsehood to truth.

Lead us from despair to hope, from fear to trust. Lead us from hate to love, from war to peace. Let peace fill our hearts, our world, our universe. Peace, peace, peace. Amen

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING Rev. Robb Lapp

NOISY OFFERING Kamilla Macar, Cultivate

OFFERTORY Holy Is the Lord arr. Lee Dengler

OFFERTORY RESPONSE

We give you but your own, what – e'er the gift may be; All that we have is yours alone, we give it gratefully.

STORY FOR ALL AGES The Beatitudes: From Slavery to Civil Rights by Carole Boston Weatherford (Author), Tim Ladwig (Illustrator)

SERVICE OF COMMUNION Rev. Jackie and Rev. Nicole

COMMUNION SONG Eat This Bread

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Loving God, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Your kin-dom come, your 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 kin-dom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

SONG We Are the Church

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG God Be With You