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SUNDAY WORSHIP

Steven R. Jungkeit, Senior Minister Laura Fitzpatrick-Nager, Senior Associate Minister Carleen R. Gerber, Associate Minister Simon D. Holt, Director of Music

June 12, 2022 10:00 AM

Prelude

Introit: How Can I Keep from Singing arr. Mitchell and Sandra Eithun

Handbell Quartet

*Processional Hymn: #102 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

*Call to Worship:

God has told us what is good.

What does the Lord require but to do justice, to love kindness, and to walk humbly with God?

It is good to be together,

listening for the voice of God, united by the Spirit.

In this time of worship
may we open ourselves to God's kin(g)dom of kindness
so that we may actively seek it.
We want to walk with you, humbly, closely, daily.

Let us worship God.

Welcome and Announcements

*Hymn: #458 "Lord, Make Us Servants of Your Peace"

Offertory Invitation

Offertory Anthem: Sing and Exult Eugene Butler

*Doxology: Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God for all that love has done; Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One. Amen.

*Offertory Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

^{*}Invocation and The Lord's Prayer

Pastoral Prayer Response: Come and Fill Our Hearts



Scripture Lessons: Psalm 85 (New King James Version)

Sermon: The Past is Present

Tom DeWolf

*Hymn: #504 "

"God of Justice, God of Mercy"

Benediction Response: God be in my head

John Rutter

Postlude

*Congregation Standing

We thank you for worshipping with us. Following the life and teachings of Jesus, we are a church that strives to be a place of grace, welcoming all regardless of theological expression, age, race, gender, sexual identity, national origin or financial means. In our Church Constitution we recognize that "each member shall have the undisturbed right to follow the word of God according to the dictates of his or her own conscience, under the enlightenment of the Holy Spirit." The First Congregational Church of Old Lyme, established in 1665, cherishes this proud Pilgrim tradition. We are honored by your presence among us, and we invite you to help us become what we endeavor to be.

We are pleased to welcome Tom DeWolf, our guest preacher for this morning's service. DeWolf is the author of the 2008 book, *Inheriting the Trade*, the story of his participation in the Emmy-nominated PBS documentary, "Traces of the Trade: A Story from the Deep North." He leads a workshop on racial justice and healing called "Coming to the Table: Beyond the Legacy of Enslavement."

Handbell Quartet: Gary, Pat, Rachael and Sabina Jungkeit Piano: Simon Holt

The host for Fellowship hour today is Barbara Macgregor.

Welcome Mural Reveal Ceremony, TODAY: Please join us at 2:30pm at the Lyme-Old Lyme Middle School to celebrate the work of the Lyme-Old Lyme community, our students, and artist Jasmine Oyola-Blumenthal as we dedicate the finished "Welcome" mural!

<u>The Ladies Who Stitch:</u> Our final work day is June 13th, and we will then reconvene on September 12th. During the summer, we will try to have the Partnership Store open on the 2nd Sundays of June, July, and August - the same Sundays of the choir's Summer Sings. Questions or special requests - contact Eunice via email at eunicetaylor@me.com.

<u>Saturday June 18, at 5:00pm:</u> Screening of the film "Tierra Sagrada," directed by Ned Sublette. Followed by a discussion with Ned Sublette, and a performance by Roman Diaz and his ensemble of sacred bata drums, from Cuba.

Receive Ukrainian Refugees: Under United for Ukraine, individuals can apply to host refugees in their homes. Applicants must demonstrate the ability to financially support an individual or family fleeing Ukraine. And there are safety and vetting processes at both ends of the application - for US hosts, and for Ukrainians - in order to prevent abuse and exploitation. If you're interested in learning more, or applying, visit the website: https://www.uscis.gov/humanitarian/uniting-for-ukraine.

<u>WES:</u> Our first White Elephant Sale in 3 years is happening this year! And we need help, starting on June 23. To learn about how or when to volunteer, please call 860-434-8686, option 5.

Calendar of Events and Meetings for This Week

Welcome Mural TODAY at 2:30 pm at the Lyme-Old Lyme Middle School.

LWS Monday, June 13 at 10:00 am in the Sheffield Auditorium.

Trustees Tuesday, June 14 at 7:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Blood Drive Wednesday, June 15 at 12:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall

Grief Group Thursday, June 16 at 5:30 pm in the Library.

WES pre-setup Friday, June 17 at 5:30 pm in the Library.

Memorial—Alec Robertson Saturday, June 18 at 10:30 am in the Meetinghouse.

Poetry Reading Saturday, June 18 at 2:00 pm at the Florence Griswold Museum.

"Tierra Sagrada" Saturday, June 18 at 5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.