

**WELCOME TO MEMORIAL  
UNITED CHURCH  
World Wide Communion Sunday  
October 2, 2022**

\* please stand as able

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

**Lighting of the Christ Candle**

Lighting of Christ Candle and Candles for Peace & Strength

**Life & Work of the Community**

\*Hymn **In Christ There is No East or West** 606VU

**We Gather to Worship**

**Gathering Prayer**

**Minute for Mission**

**Scripture Readings:** Psalm 37:1-9  
2 Timothy 1:1-14

**Sermon:** *"The Menu God has Chosen"*

**Prayer of the People**

**Lord's Prayer**

**Offering**

**Anthem**

**Offertory Prayer**

\*Hymn **Let us Break Bread Together**

**Invitation to the Table**

**The Great Thanksgiving**

**Words of Institution**

**Sharing the Bread and the Cup**

*"The Gifts of God for the People of God"*

**Prayer after Communion**

\*Hymn **Will Your Anchor Hold?**

**Benediction**

\***Sending Forth** **God Will Make a Way**

Opening prayer adapted from Poems, Prayers, and Promises: Daily Devotions on

Jesus (UCPH, 2016); communion liturgy adapted from one written by Rev. Teresa Burnett-Cole

**Next Sunday's Scripture Readings Oct. 12, 2022**

2 Kings; Psalm 111; 2 Timothy 2:8-15

Luke 17:11-19

**Upcoming dates**

**Today Oct 2- World Wide Communion**

**Wednesday - Oct 5 - 7:00 - Official Board Meeting at the church**

**Oct 9 - Thanksgiving worship donations of vegetables and flowers welcomed during week to assist those decorating...**

**As a Thanksgiving Gift of Gratitude, if you are able could you bring a special donation to the Food Bank**

**Oct 16 - special service of worship dedicating A Living Memorial Tree in Gratitude for those who have blessed our congregation with legacy gifts**

**Oct 21 - Friday - Seniors meals ..**

**Oct 23 - worship with Larry Siebrands**

**Offering**

**September 11th - \$2,515.00**

**Saturday Yard Sale \$3071.35**

**Sunday yard Sale \$120**

**Total Sunday Deposit for Sept 18 \$525.05**

Today is World Communion Sunday, and our congregation will join most Christian churches across the globe in the observance, regardless of the denomination. On that day, we remember that we are part of the whole body of believers.

Thank you for making the 70-mile yard sale a success. The volunteers spent many hours on their feet, setting up tables, moving donated goods to the tables, pricing, cooking, and

cleaning up. What a work of love for the church and its ministry! You are appreciated!

Our offering plate is located near the sanctuary doors. Please place your contributions there, since we will not be taking an offering as we have in the past. It's one way to be mindful of the Covid restrictions.

Montague Food Bank Items need on a regular basis: canned meats and fish, soup, cereal, side and main dishes, pasta sauce, canned fruit and vegetables, crackers, condiments, unscented toiletries and pet food, feminine hygiene products, monetary donations to purchase fresh food.

PAR, or Pre-Authorized Remittance, is a direct debit program that allows people to support their church through an automatic monthly withdrawal from their bank account. Contact Maureen MacLeod if you are interested in contributing to our church through our PAR. Sure makes giving easier!

Choir will have its weekly meeting next Thursday, 1:30 p.m. at the church. All are welcome.

Church Bulletin Bloopers (To Make You Smile): "Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It is a good chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husbands."

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