May 22, 2022



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Christian Peace

John 14:23-29

Gathered at Federated Church: 76 Bell Street, Chagrin Falls, OH 44022

Also streaming live at YouTube.com/TheFederatedChurch



May 22, 2022 Sixth Sunday of Easter 10 AM

Chimes indicate the service is starting, and silence is appreciated to prepare for worship.

Prelude More Love to Thee, O Christ (J. Evanovich) Marcia Snavely, organ

Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton

Welcome and Announcements

Introit Glorious Peace (Patti Drennan) Federated Choir

* Call to Worship (responsive)

Georgia LeFeber

One: Christ sets before us this day the challenge to seek peace and to pursue it.

All: We accept the challenge of peace, so enable us to pursue it.

One: Christ sets before us this day the call to be peacemakers,

All: to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ to a suffering world.

One: We gather to embody God's love and desire for peace for all people,

All: to hear and give voice to creation's cry for justice and peace.

One: We gather to name and confront the influence of evil within and among us,

All: to repent of our silence and complicity with the powers of chaos and death.

One: We gather to join with the oppressed and troubled people of the world in the struggle for liberation and peace,

All: to work for justice, healing, and wholeness of life.

One: We gather to embrace the unity of God's people and Christ's church,

All: to make peace a reality.

Passing of Christ's Peace

(K-6th graders dismissed to Sunday School in Room 220)

• **Hymn** In the Garden No. 227

Opening Prayer (unison; Pope John Paul II)

Those who are able stand **** Worshipers may be seated

Georgia LeFeber

O God, Creator of the universe,

who extends your concern over every creature

and guides the events of history to goals of salvation,

we acknowledge your love when you break the resistance of humankind and, in a world torn by strife and discord, you make us ready for reconciliation.

Renew for us the wonders of your mercy;

send forth your Spirit that she may work in the intimacy of our hearts, that enemies may begin to dialogue, that adversaries may shake hands and peoples may encounter one another in harmony.

May all commit themselves to the sincere search for true peace which will extinguish all arguments,

for charity which overcomes hatred, for pardon which disarms revenge. In Christ we pray. Amen

Generosity Impact Moment

Pastor Betsy

Invitation to Generosity

Pastor Betsy

Anthem

His Peace Will Come (Craig Curry)

Federated Choir

Marcia Snavely, piano

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Fellowship of Prayer

Pastor Betsy

Lord's Prayer

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 us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.

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** Be Still, My Soul No. 566

Scripture John 14:23-29 Rev. Throckmorton

Sermon Rev. Throckmorton



/mn	I've Got Peace Like a River	No. 530
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* Benediction Rev. Throckmorton

Postlude Toccata in Seven (J. Rutter) Marcia Snavely, organ

~ Departing to Service ~

All worship leaders and musicians have been fully vaccinated.

UPCOMING WORSHIP

Sunday, May 29, 10 AM-online only

Rev. Betsy Wooster preaches on John 17:20–26 and Christian Unity

Music by RISE to Shine Band