

October 2, 2022



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**“Wait for the Vision; It Will Surely Come”**

Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4

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

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World Communion Sunday

10 AM

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

**Prelude**      *Legend* (Quoting “Wondrous Love”; F. Ashdown)      Barry Stees, bassoon  
Marcia Snavelly, organ

**Welcome and Announcements**

Rev. Betsy Wooster

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**Introit**      *Sing, Sing, Sing* (Douglas E. Wagner)      Children’s Choir  
accompanied by Marcia Snavelly, directed by Pat Haynish

**Call to Worship** (*responsive*)      Willow Rickert

One: Peace be with you!

**All: And peace be with you!**

One: May you find God’s peace within you even when trouble and sorrow prevail.

**All: Together let us watch for the coming of God’s promises.**

One: God’s vision for us will surely come.

**All: Let us keep watch, trusting that God will never desert us.**

- **Passing of Christ’s Peace**

(K-5th graders dismissed to Sunday School in Rooms 220 & 230)

\* **Hymn**      *O God of Vision*      No. 288

**Opening Prayer** (adapted from Psalm 27; *unison*)      Willow Rickert

**Teach us your ways, O God,**

**and lead us on a level path**

**because of our enemies.**

**Do not give us up to the will of our adversaries,**

**for false witnesses have risen against us,**

**and they are breathing out violence.**

**We believe that we shall see your goodness, O God,**

**in the land of the living.**

**We wait for you, God.**

**Make us strong,**

**and let our hearts take courage as we wait. Amen.**

**Generosity Witness**

Maren Koepf

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\* Those who are able stand

\*\*\*\* Worshipers may be seated

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## Invitation to Generosity

Maren Koepf

**Anthem**     *The Lord Is Good to Me* (Arr. Kirby Shaw)     Children's Choir  
accompanied by Marcia Snavely, directed by Pat Haynish

**Prayers of Thanksgiving and Fellowship of Prayer**     Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton

\* **Hymn**     *Abide with Me*     No. 636

**Scripture**     Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4     Rev. Wooster

**Sermon**     Rev. Wooster

\* **Hymn**     *Let Us Break Bread Together*     No. 425

• **Communion**     Rev. Throckmorton and Rev. Wooster

\*     When invited, please come forward by way of the side aisles to receive the communion elements. You may take an individual communion service and return to your seat by way of the center aisle to partake of the elements once you are seated.

### Responsive Liturgy for the Sacrament of Communion

**One:** God be with you.

**All:** And also with you.

**One:** Lift up your hearts.

**All:** We lift them to God.

**One:** Let us give thanks to the Blessed One.

**All:** It is right to give God thanks and praise.

**Communion Music**     *Behold the Lamb* (Arr. L. Larson)     Barry Stees, bassoon  
Marcia Snavely, piano

### 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**     *O for a World*     No. 683



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**Benediction**

Rev. Wooster

**Postlude**

*Holy, Holy, Holy* (Dykes/Campbell)

Barry Stees, bassoon  
Marcia Snavelly, Organ

*~ Departing to Service ~*



## UPCOMING WORSHIP

**Sunday, October 9th, 10 AM**  
Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton preaches  
“Wash and Be Clean”  
II Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c