



Kent United Church of Christ

AN OPEN AND AFFIRMING, ACCESSIBLE TO ALL, and W.I.S.E. CONGREGATION

UYF Sunday
June 26, 2022

PRELUDE

Come, Christians Join to Sing

arr. Mark Hayes

WELCOME

Rev. Kim Nagy, minister of faith formation

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Noah Dunlap

You have gathered us into this place, Migrant God.

We have come from north, south, east, and west to worship our God.

You have called us to welcome the stranger in our midst, Divine Border Crosser.

We are a community working to bring God's kin-dom to earth as we dream of a just world for all.

You have poured out your itinerant Spirit among us, guiding us in wisdom and faith.

We remember that we were once foreigners in this place, O God. We have come to proclaim welcome to the stranger among us!

*OPENING HYMN (Insert)

God, You Move Across the Borders

HOLY MANNA

*OPENING PRAYER

Noah Dunlap

*SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

May the peace of the border-crossing Christ be with you today and always.

And also with you!

CHILDREN'S SNAP CHAT

"Far From Home: A Story of Loss, Refuge, and Hope" by Sarah Parker Rubio

Annie Liedtke

A READING FROM THE HEBREW SCRIPTURES

Leviticus 19:33-34

Natalie Roeger

Here ends the reading from God's Word.

Thanks be to God, who is still speaking.

REFLECTION

Immigration Immersion

Ben Pazderak, UYF Co-President

Cooper Liedtke, UYF Officer

Ryan Barkley

SPECIAL MUSIC

Nothing More

Alternate Routes

Natalie Roeger, Harold Hight, Phil Otterson, Kim Nagy

RECOGNIZING & BLESSING OUR GRADUATES

Pastor Kim

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

An adaptation of "The Lord's Prayer from the Border" by Kristen Bowdre

Pastor Kim

Our Creator who art in Heaven+++

Hallowed be Your 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 trespasses+++

As we forgive those who trespass against us+++

And lead us not into temptation+++

But deliver us from evil+++

For Yours is the kin-dom+++

And the power+++

And the glory forever.

Amen.

INVITATION TO SHARE OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Pastor Kim

VOLUNTARY

Dos Oruguitas

Sebastian Yatra

Slide Show by Jo Mothersbaugh

*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.

*BLESSING OF THE GIFTS

Giver of good gifts, we praise you for all that we have, knowing that everything we have comes from you. Use this offering, which we give back to you now, for the good of your people everywhere, and especially those seeking refuge in foreign lands. May these resources give drink to the thirsty, food to the hungry, clothing to the naked, freedom to the imprisoned, and healing for the sick. Amen.

HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation

Sharing the Elements

Communion Prayer

Pastor Kim

CALL TO ACTION AND BREAKING DOWN WALLS

Noah Dunlap

*CLOSING HYMN (Insert)

Let There Be Peace on Earth

Sy Miller and Jill Jackson

*BENEDICTION

United Youth Force

POSTLUDE

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

arr. Mark Hayes



Our service has ended. Now our service begins.

Bulletin design by Noah Dunlap.

Visual artwork during worship by Cooper Liedtke.

The flowers today are provided by the Roegers for Sandy Roeger's 84th birthday June 30.

God, You Move Across the Borders

HOLY MANNA



1. God, you move a - cross the bor - ders. with the ones who need to flee.
2. God, you break down might-y barr'iers, sins we've sanc-tioned far too long.
3. God, you move a - cross the barr'iers, off' ring love in Je - sus Christ.

You walk with the wear - y trav' ler; you go with the ref - u - gee.
We have walked on paths of priv' - lege; you have moved to right the wrong.
Through your Son, our Lord and Sav - ior, you have called: "Now share my life!"

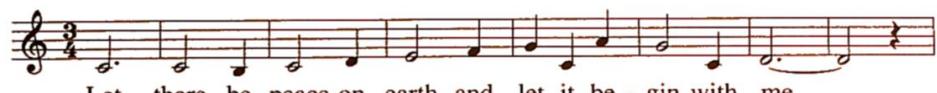
You cry out from mass de - ten - tion; you seek jus - tice, here de - nied.
You have sent your pro - phets to us, call - ing rac - ist ways a - sin.
By your Spi - rit, give us cou - rage; help us bold - ly move to be

You en - fold with great com - pass - ion those the na - tions push a - side.
You have judged us and re - newed us; you have shown that love will win.
lov - ing, jus - tice - seek - ing, neigh - bors build - ing your com - mun - i - ty.

Tune: William Moore's Columbian Harmony, 1825 ("God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens")
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PEACE

Let There Be Peace on Earth 662



Let there be peace on earth, and let it be - gin with me.



Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be. With



God our cre - a - tor, fam - 'ly all are we.



Let us walk with each oth - er in per-fect har-mo - ny.



Let peace be - gin with me; let this be the mo-ment now.



With ev - 'ry step I take, let this be my sol - emn vow: To



take each mo-ment, and live each mo-ment in peace e - ter - nal - ly!



Let there be peace on earth, and let it be - gin with me.

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