UPDATE

Visit www.universitychristian.org for calendar and program details!

Parents of College Students are invited to share their experiences with one another **Sunday**, **October 12**, at 5 p.m. in Room 223. See the October *Journal* for details.

New UCC Singles Bible Study open to single adults of all ages. Thursday, October 16, 7-8:30 p.m. in Room 204. Childcare available: reservations by October 9 to susan@uccftw.com. Contact Rev. Jessica Vacketta for details at jessica@uccftw.com.

Childcare Available Thursday evenings for music programs. Rehearsal attendees, email susan@uccftw.com to register your child for **October 16** rehearsals by October 9.

Leadership Enrichment, Sunday, October 19, 12:15 p.m.—it's not just for congregational leaders! Presenter is Dr. Rita Nakashima Brock, co-author of *Saving Paradise*. Details and reservations at http://universitychristian.org/web-calendar/.

Children's Sabbath is **October 19**. To support children in our community we will collect outside toys—playground balls (round), jump ropes and sidewalk chalk—to be distributed by Christmas Angels. Place items in designated bins near Reception Area.

Parish Nursing has been a presence at UCC for over ten years. We are Registered Nurses who assist members in their physical, emotional, and spiritual well-being. If you are a Registered Nurse and feel called to help with this rewarding ministry, please contact Thelia Chaffin, 817.926.6631, or Carole Widmann, 817.964.1659, for details.

A Support Group for Caregivers of those suffering from Alzheimer's disease or other forms of dementia meets **the second and fourth Thursdays** of the month from 4:30-6 p.m. in Room 201. Dr. Charles Sanders and Leslie Dell have been trained by the Alzheimer's Association to facilitate this group.

Men's Monday Night Fellowship returns **starting October 20.** Discussion of Richard Rohr's book, *Soul Brothers: Men in the Bible Speak to Men Today,* takes place in member's homes. Cost is \$20. Sign up at The Arches Information Desk today.

Who We Are: God's Hands and Feet—UCC Stewardship 2015.

Please prayerfully consider your pledge commitment and respond by turning in your pledge card or pledge online at www.universitychristian.org.

Help us complete this campaign by October 31.

Taking Reservations Now for Church and the Arts' May 8-17, 2015, trip to France—*A French Feast for the Senses*. Email marsha@uccftw.com for details.



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at universitychristian.org

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Trunk or Treat

October 26 6 -7:30 p.m. UCC Parking Lot

Be a part of this UCC and community event where over 500 people come to experience UCC family, fun, food and fellowship.

We invite you to wear kid-friendly costumes and join the excitement!

There is a role for everyone!

- Volunteer to decorate your trunk: jessica@uccftw.com
- Donate candy in labeled church bins: kera@uccftw.com
 - Bring your family and friends to participate

Silent Movie Night is back on **October 30**. Tom Helms, theater organist, accompanies *The Phantom of the Opera*, starring Lon Chaney. Refreshments at 6:30 p.m. and film at 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Free admission.

All Saints Sunday: Names of friends and family who have passed away since last November will be printed in the November 2 bulletin.

To be sure your loved one's name is included contact Pam Reeser at 817.926.6631 or pam@uccftw.com no later than Wednesday, October 22.

College Lunch Bunch is a free lunch and weekly gathering for college students in Room 223, **Wednesdays**, 12-1 p.m. This is a great way to connect with other students as we engage in conversation, service and prayer.

Online Worship Bulletin available on the UCC website under Resources for those who wish to view it from home.

Listen live at 11 a.m. on KTCU FM 88.7 or on university christian.org under Resources

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University Christian Church

a Disciples of Christ congregation

World Communion Sunday

October 5, 2014

Living the Good News of Jesus Christ with open minds and loving hearts

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Verset de Procession sur l'Adora Te - I Prelude Léon Boëlmann Ringing of the Tower Bells and Procession of the Acolytes

Call To Worship

*Processional Hymn 288

O God of Vision

Lobe Den Herren

*LITANY OF PRAISE

Today, we celebrate unity.

We are Christ's body; we are one.

Although we have many members,

We are one body.

*Gloria Patri 35

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SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

CALL TO PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Let us pray...

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER (using debts and debtors) & CHORAL RESPONSE

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

THE RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Let Us Break Bread** (9 A.M.)arr. Lloyd Larson Canticle for English Horn and Organ (11 A.m.)Charles Callahan

*The Doxology 46

OLD HUNDREDTH

*Prayer of Dedication

Communion Hymn 393

One Bread, One Body (stanza 1)

ONE BREAD, ONE BODY

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION AND THE PRAYERS OF THE ELDERS

THE SHARING OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

(All followers of Christ are invited to share in the bread and cup which represent the life, death, and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ, as they nourish us in our life together in His name.

Communion Music

When You Do This, Remember Me

arr. Cathy Moklebust

THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you.

And also with you.

*The congregation is invited to stand at these times of the service. Feel free to remain seated if need be.

Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ *(11 A.M.) HYMN **422** (Parents, during 11 a.m. worship, please bring your first-third graders to join a Worship and Wonder leader in the Gallery. Children will return to the Sanctuary during the Hymn of Discipleship.)

SCRIPTURE

John 17:20-26

(Scripture found on page 111 of the New Testament in the pew Bibles)

(11 A.M.) ANTHEM

Let Us Break Bread**

arr. Lloyd Larson

**Let us break bread together on our knees. When I fall on my knees, with my face to the risin' sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us drink the cup together on our knees. When I fall on my knees with my face to the risin' sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us praise God together on our knees. O when I fall on my knees with my face to the risin' sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

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SERMON

*Hymn of Discipleship 494

They'll Know We Are Christians (stanzas 1 and 4)

St. Brendan's

(All those who are inspired to confess their faith in Christ or make a discipleship covenant with our congregation are invited to join the pastors at the front of the church.)

*Benediction and Choral Response Ringing of the Tower Bells

*Postlude

Verset de Procession sur l'Adora Te - II

Léon Boëlmann

IN THE SERVICE

Preaching: Larry Thomas

Scripture Reader: Walt Junker

Worship Leaders

Cyndy W. Twedell and Michael Yandell

Musicians

Collin Boothby, Organ Scholar Chancel Choir Eric Mullins, Assistant Choirmaster Will McLaughlin, alto sax Ad Deum Handbell Choir Eric Mullins, Director

Chancel Guild

Preparing communion today are Linda Austin, Donna Erwin and Mark Muller.

Elders

Phyllis Allen and Leslie Dell Phyllis Allen and Dean Wilkerson

Acolytes

Gabriela Yarbrough and Kendall Lehman Davis Watts and Clayton Thomas

Flowers

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of James H. Wood and in recognition of his 81st birthday by Maurine Wood.

> **Stewardship Moment** Heidi and Michael Reeder



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Welcome to University Christian Church! This Week

World Communion Sunday celebrates our sharing of the Lord's Supper in the context of the global community of faith. Christians in every culture break bread and pour the cup to remember and affirm our oneness in Christ and our participation in the whole body of believers. In honor of this, the bread on our communion table was baked by UCC's JYF and CCF children.

Today's Reconciliation Special Offering is used to help establish genuine reconciliation and secure an anti-racist identity in the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and beyond our walls, in the world around us.

Online Directory Photo Day today after worship. Visit a picture station!

First Sunday Lunch for College Students is today! Meet Rev. Jessica Vacketta in the Gallery for a free lunch at Dutch's.

Habitat for Humanity's annual Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter Work Project comes to DFW **October 5-11**. Some of UCC's faithful Habitat supporters will join in the effort to build and repair homes in Fort Worth.

Women's Ministries Circles meet Tuesday, October 7, at various locations. If you are interested in joining a Circle, contact the Women's Ministries Office.

Friday Fellowship is October 10, 11 a.m. Dr. Jerry McCoy, UCC Choirmaster, will discuss Why Choral Music Matters, followed by a potluck lunch. Main dish and drinks provided. Fun games afterwards. R.S.V.P. to danlsmith@mindspring.com.

Last Day to Register for the Singles Retreat!

October 10-11, at Disciples Crossing in Athens, TX. Cost is \$40 per person. Email jessica@uccftw.com for details or thelia@uccftw.com to register by October 5.

Latte with the Ladies is Saturday, October 11, beginning at 9 a.m. at Buon Giorno (915 Florence St., 76102). All ages are welcome to join the fellowship!

Prayer Bead Meeting Saturday, October 11, 10 a.m. in Room 205. No experience needed, beginning beader skill taught and all equipment provided.

Childcare provided from 8:45 a.m.-12 p.m. for infants-preschool. A complete Sunday school program for all ages meets at 10 a.m. Handicap accessible restrooms located in the Gallery (second floor). Assisted listening devices are available; please ask an usher to obtain one.

Ministers are On Call and available

after hours and on weekends for pastoral care emergencies. If you have a need, call us at 817.926.6631, and follow the prompts

On Call This Week Kera Watts Ellen Lewis

Congregational Leadership Meetings

Building & Grounds Sunday, October 12, 12:15 p.m., Room 202

Members of the congregation may attend congregational meetings with the exception of any portion of a meeting held in Executive Session.



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