

# Northwest United Protestant Church



Disciples of Christ  
Sunday, November 3, 2024  
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***“Loving and Serving Christ  
in our Community and World”***

Prelude

Keller Yang

Welcome

Rev. Gentle

Opening Song

“Give Thanks”

#528

Give thanks with a grateful heart,  
give thanks to the Holy One;  
give thanks, because he’s given  
Jesus Christ, his Son.

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give thanks to the Holy One;  
give thanks, because he’s given  
Jesus Christ, his Son.

And now let the weak say ‘I am strong’,  
let the poor say ‘I am rich’,  
because of what the Lord has done for us;  
and now let the weak say ‘I am strong’,  
let the poor say ‘I am rich’,  
because of what the Lord has done for us.

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give thanks, because he’s given  
Jesus Christ, his Son.

Give thanks!

Call to Worship

Dalene Zabel

On this All Saints Sunday, we gather to worship and to  
remember the saints of God who have shown us the Lord.

**May the lingering echo of saints resound in our songs. May  
their stories open a space for the Spirit to enter us anew.**

Come, let all saints here on earth and above,  
worship the Lord.

**Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses,  
let us worship God with joy**

Hymn	“Holy, Holy, Holy”	#4 (1,2)
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Gentle
Lord’s Prayer		Unison
Scripture Reading	Mark 12:28-34	Dalene Zabel
Meditation	“The Great Commandment”	Rev. Gentle
Litany of Remembrance		Unison
Hymn	“Seek Ye First”	#354
Invitation to Share		Joanna Flaten
Doxology		Unison
Invitation to Communion		Rev. Gentle
Elder’s Prayer		Joanna Flaten
Words of Institution		Rev. Gentle
Partaking of the Elements		Unison

*Come forward after singing the verse to receive communion  
(grape juice, and gluten free bread).*

Come to the table of grace,  
 come to the table of grace  
 This is God’s table; it’s not yours or mine  
 Come to the table of grace!

(Repeat)

Closing Prayer	Unison
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**Bountiful God, we give you thanks  
 that you have refreshed us at your table.  
 Strengthen our faith, increase our love for one another,  
 And send us forth into the world in courage and peace,  
 Rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Hymn	“O Jesus, I Have Promised”	#612 (1,2)
Benediction		Rev. Gentle
Congregational Response	“Amen”	Unison
Postlude		Onnie Adams

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### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

- ◇ Faith and Bernard A
- ◇ Ralph P, prayers of support in recovery
- ◇ Mary M, recovering at home
- ◇ Eva H-B, continuing treatment

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### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING:** Next Sunday, Nov 10

- ◇ We will hold our annual meeting in the Fellowship Hall this year to vote on the the budget/officers.
- ◇ We will have a coffee hour conversation about our shared future as a congregation (with a microphone).
- ◇ Regional Minister Rev. Allen will be the pulpit quest. He will participate in the discussion after worship.

#### **MUSIC MINISTRY:**

- ◇ Thank you to Onnie Adams and Keller Yang for playing piano today!
- ◇ We are actively looking for musicians to play during worship or ideas on how to approach music ministry.

#### **NEWSLETTER:** November Edition

- ◇ Available in print, email and on our social media.