



Memorial Sunday, November 22, 2020
 St. James United Church of Christ
 St. Mark's United Church of Christ

Rev. Dr. Patrick Schultz
 Pastor

Kathryn Jaehnig
 Organist

Prelude Music
 Gathering in Readiness for Worship
 Ringing of the Bells

Take Thou My Hand

Call to Worship (Responsively)

L: Praise God in the sanctity of the faithful.
 P: Sing to God a new song, and dance for joy.

L: God is our maker; the Ruler over all things.
 P: It is pleasing to praise and worship God.

L: God meets us in our anxiety and our troubles.
 P: God calls us to a fresh and abiding hope and gives us the good news of life everlasting.

Opening Prayer (all together)

God, we thank you for your deep, immeasurable love. We thank you that your love covers us in its fullness, leading us in grace to a place beside you. Bless those who gather in your name, precious Lord, and may you be honored as we celebrate the lives gone before us. Bless those who have suffered; may they find comfort in your arms of love. And now, dear Savior, may our worship of you reach heaven's glories, until we see you face to face. Amen

Litany in Preparedness (Responsively)

O God, Father in heaven,
 Have mercy on us.
 O God, the Son, Redeemer of the world,
 Have mercy on us.
 O God, the Holy Spirit, Sanctifier of the faithful,
 Have mercy on us.
 O holy blessed, and glorious Trinity, ever one God,
 Have mercy on us.

Young At Heart Time



Praising God in Music
 Memorial Reading For Those Gone Before Us

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

Scripture Reading

Romans 5:1-8

L: This is the Word of God for you, the People of God.

P: Thanks Be to God.

Message:

Memories – The Living Love

Rev. Dr. Patrick Schultz

Our Time of Prayer

The 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering, Tithes and Gifts can be made on-line through our website (**St. James Only**), or by mailing your offering to: St. James UCC, 13312 Pioneer Road, Newton, WI 53063 OR St. Mark's UCC, W1307 Orchard Road, Cleveland, WI 53015

Offertory Music

O Perfect Love

Prayer of Dedication and Thanksgiving (all together)

Beloved Lord, you offer us a precious gift. Your invitation to salvation through Jesus Christ frees us from so many unnecessary fears. As children of your light, we present these gifts so that others may share in the timeless message of your love. Encourage us to reflect your love to others, today and always. In Jesus' name, we pray, amen.

A Sending Forth Song

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

Benediction

Go now, to love and serve the Lord. Let us walk with the feet of Jesus. Let us serve with the hands of Jesus. Let us see with the eyes of Jesus. And let us feel with the heart of Jesus. Amen

Postlude

This Week We Celebrate:

Birthdays: 22nd -Allison Luckow, Jonathan Meyer; 23rd - Wendy Meyer, Keri LaDuke; 24th -Vernon Henschel, Alexander Perronne; 26th - Amy Christianson, Marlene Kammann; 27th - Maverick Beck; 28th - Tiffany Schnelle, Rev. Patrick Schultz
Anniversary: 25th - Henry & Bonnie Langenhahn

There will be a Virtual Thanksgiving Worship Service posted to St. James/St. Mark's UCC Website on Wednesday, November 25th.

SCIO NEEDS: Multi-Purpose Printer Paper, Paper Towels, Dishwasher Pods

