



WHITNEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Boise, Idaho

10:00 a.m.

October 3, 2021

World Communion Sunday

A special welcome is extended to all who are visiting today. Please join us following worship for refreshments and fellowship outside.

*Invites you to stand as you are able

PRELUDE MUSIC

Svetlana Maddox

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Daryl

CANDLE LIGHTING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Joe Maillard, Liturgist

Leader: Around the world people gather to break bread and pour wine.

People: We gather with them in heart and mind.

Leader: Around the world the broken body is made whole.

People: As part of that body we join in its unity.

Leader: Around the world the Banquet of God is prepared for the table.

People: We, who share in the banquet, come eagerly to be fed.

Leader: Let us worship together, let us share God's bounty.

*OPENING SONG

"One Bread, One Body"

Six Ways to Sunday

OPENING PRAYER (unison)

O Redeemer God, as we gather in worship on this World Communion Sunday, we ask that you send your Holy Spirit to fall afresh on us. We pray for your Spirit to awaken new hope in us. Grant us the vision to see the

coming of your kingdom. Help us to celebrate the glimpses of grace that you have given to each of us. Knit our hearts together in worship and communion so that we know we do not struggle alone in working for your peace and justice. We pray this in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING – 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Kimberly Gardner

SCRIPTURE READING - Acts 2:37-47

Response: May the Spirit fill us with wisdom and understanding as we ponder the meaning of these words for our lives.

SERMON

Rev. Daryl Blanksma

“We Are the Body of Christ”

SONG

“Communion”

Six Ways to Sunday

PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

*CLOSING SONG

“Come to the Table”

Shelley Cooper, Svetlana Maddox,
Dewey Knowles and Andy Maddox

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

Leader: We gather around the Table in places far and near

Side 1: Eating Sourdough, Rye, Tortillas

Side 2: Crackers, Wafers, and Wonderbread–

All: The body of Christ.

Leader: Drinking the wine or the juice

Side 1: from handmade chalices and silver goblets,

Side 2: golden spoons and little mini cups–

All: The blood of Christ.

Leader: The bread and the cup unite us with all who would follow Jesus.
Side 1: This meal reaches back through the centuries.
Side 2: This table reaches around the world.
All: Let us eat and drink with joy.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

SENDING FORTH

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 3

- **Craft Fair Canceled** - Due to the extremely high rate of Covid infections in the Boise area and the strain it is placing on our health care system the decision was made to cancel this year's Craft Fair.
- **We continue with modified operations following Covid-19 safety protocols:** i.e., masks required inside building, awareness of physical distancing, no congregational singing, no food or drink inside, not passing the offering plates.
- **Ways to Give:** You may: 1) drop your offering in the drop box at an exit door, 2) give by credit card by seeing Johnna, 3) give by mail at our address on the back, 4) donate online at whitneyumc.org/donate-now
- **Sermon by Phone:** You can now listen to Sunday's sermon by calling 208-286-1705. The sermon should be uploaded for listening by noon on Monday.
- **New Office Hours:** The office will be open Tuesday through Friday from 9 am to 1 pm.

- **New Email Address:** We have a new email address for our office: office@whitneyumc.org. Please update your address book.

**Join us for the 40th Ada Country CROP Hunger Walk
Sunday, October 17, 2021 @ 2:30 pm
Whitney UMC Parking Lot**

Walk. Give. Change the World.

Assisting in Worship Today:

Liturgist: Joe Maillard

Choir Director: Andy Maddox

Pianist: Svetlana Maddox

Sound: Bert Allen

Ushers: Bill Slupe

Visuals: Rich Keefe

Praise Band Director: Kevin Daniel



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