We embrace all as we journey the way of Jesus
Welcome

Prelude  
*Abide with Me*  
Lyte & Monk  
Max Gise, guitar  
arr. Walter Rodrigues Jr.

Call to Worship  
Annie Beimesche and Benni Leftin

Prayer of the Day (unison)  
Donna Hoffman, Liturgist

One: Let us pray together.

All: Generous God,  
you gave us our voices, no two the same.  
As you did with Abraham and Sarah,  
you take and touch our lives and they can become extraordinary.  
And in your Church you have gathered us,  
in your community of common folk and complainers,  
prophets and puzzled people,  
you have called us and made a place for us.  
So let what we say and do here,  
what we ponder and decide here,  
be real for us and honest to you,  
as you prepare us for the life of the world in which you are praised.  Amen.

Hymn #24  
*The God of Abraham Praise*  
Yigdal Melody  
Black Hymnal — Verses 1 & 4  
Adaptation, Meyer Lyon

Scripture  
Donna Hoffman, Liturgist

Sermon  
Foundations – Faithful  
Rev. Dr. Edward Goode

Song  
*Forever*  
Cloninger/Rosasco  
Talia Zoll, vocal; Max Gise, guitar; Toni Sheffer, piano
Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Hymn #423  
Black Hymnal — Verses 1 & 3

Great Is Your Faithfulness  
William Runyan

Benediction

Postlude  
Allemande from Concerto Grosso No. 10  
Arcangelo Corelli

Toni Sheffer, organ

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**Discipleship Opportunities**
Each week, we have several opportunities to grow in our faith through small groups. All are welcome!

**Sundays 9 a.m.** Library – Currently studying The Psalms

**Tuesdays 12 p.m.** Parlor – Ephesians

**Wednesdays 3 p.m.** Zoom – *We Make the Road by Walking* by Brian McLaren

**Church Website**
Don’t forget that if you miss a Sunday, you can find the bulletin and the online service on the church website. Similarly, you can find an archive of the church newsletter online as well.

[christchurchft.org](http://christchurchft.org)

**Choir Members Needed**
Rehearsals: **Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.**

Please contact Toni Sheffer at: T2sheffer@gmail.com or 859.653.2728 if you have questions.

**Wanted: Volunteer Tutors**

**Tutors needed for Homework Club**
Washington UCC, 2950 Sidney Ave, Cincinnati
Monday– Wednesday, 4-5:30 p.m. Tutors asked to come once weekly on the same day. Children are matched one-on-one with a tutor
Call Nancy Matthew: (513) 280-0399 or Laurel Humes (513) 681-4322 for more information or email laurelh@zoomtown.com

**Wednesday Church is Back!**

Join us inside every Wednesday
11 a.m.– 1 p.m.
to rest and pray in the Sanctuary.
Thanks to Emma Hamann for helping with this mission!

**Birthdays & Anniversaries**

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We also pray for the victims of Hurricane Ida, including the Little Farms UCC church in Metaire, LA which was damaged.

**Prayer Changes Us**

**Covenant Cluster Prayer Partner:**
Washington UCC, Cincinnati, OH

**Prayer Requests:**
Dan Atkinson, Cindy Bathiany, Bechert Family, Mary Alice Bertran, Gus Byers, Jane & Marvin Cox, Mary Nell Crumfield, Bob Derby, Amy Dunn, Karen Elliott, Bev Erschell and family, Scott, Michael, Joe and Faye Gately and family, Jim Gracey, Mary Hertzman, Ken Himes, Bonnie Hitch, Donna Hoffman, Matt Hoffman, Rick Hoffman, David Hosea, The Kuhnhein Family, Susan McDonald, Nancy Miller and family, Jennifer Myhre, John Neumaier, Kerri Preston, Chip Price, Carol, Al Rice, Laura Randall, Mike Randall, Judy Robinson, Bernice Roll, Christa Sipple, Pete Stinnett, Mary Strange, Troy & Ashley Thomas, Larkin Vogel, Ramel Vogel, Harry Walkenhorst, Linda Winchester

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