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# Mantua Center Christian Church Open Minds, Open Hearts, Open Arms

Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

**Sunday, March 14, 2021** 

Equity



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## Order of Worship

**PRELUDE** 

#### **WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Chad Delaney** 

**SONG** 

"Weave"

Pam Auble & Beth Schabel

Weave, weave, weave us together. Weave us together in unity and love. Weave, weave, weave us together. Weave us together, together in love.

SCRIPTURE OPENING

Psalm 41:1-3 "Where He Leads Me" Roger Hurd #346

I can hear my Savior calling, I can hear my Savior calling, I can hear my Savior calling, "Take my cross and follow, follow me"

## Refrain:

Where he leads me I will follow, where he leads me I will follow, where he leads me I will follow – I'll go with him, with him all the way.

I'll go with him thru the judgment, I'll go with him thru the judgment, I'll go with him thru the judgment, I'll go with him, with him all the way. *(Refrain)* 

He will give me grace and glory, he will give me grace and glory, He will give me grace and glory, and go with me, with me all the way. *(Refrain)* 

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT** 

**Ally Hurd** 

**PASTORAL PRAYER** 

Sarah Smith

**SONG RESPONSE** 

"Shepherd Me, O God"

Pam Auble & Beth Schabel

Shepherd Me, O God beyond my thoughts, Beyond my fears, from death into life

## **SCRIPTURE READING**

## Luke 16:19-31

SERMON Equity: Bridging the Great Chasm

HOLY COMMUNION Liz Meeker

**Communion Song** 

"One Bread, One Body"

Led by Pam Auble

#393

Refrain:

One bread, one body, one Lord of all, One cup of blessing which we bless. And we, though many throughout the earth, we are one body in this one Lord.

Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more. (*Refrain*)

Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all. (*Refrain*)

Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to one, for all. *(Refrain)* 

Meditation Communion Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

CLOSING SONG

"They'll Know We are Christians"

#494

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord, we are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord, and we pray that all unity may one day be restored;

## Refrain:

And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love, yes they'll know we are Christians by our love.

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand, we will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand, and together we'll spread the news that God is in our land; (*Refrain*)

We will work with each other, we will work side by side, we will work with each other, we will work side by side, and we'll guard each one's dignity and save each one's pride; (*Refrain*)

All praise to the Father, from whom all things come, and all praise to Christ Jesus, God's on-ly Son, and all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one; (*Refrain*)

BENEDICTION Sarah Smith

POSTLUDE "Cuando el Pobre (When the Poor Ones)"

Ian Green

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