

# UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, CONGREGATIONAL

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## “WELCOMING, LOVING, SERVING, WHERE GOD HAS NO LIMITS”

*Please take a moment to sign the attendance pads, (located at the end of each pew) so that you know who is worshipping near you and you may greet them by name.*

RINGING OF THE CHURCH BELL

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

PRELUDE “O Perfect Love” – D. Gurney & J. Barnby/arr. Janet Linker Cathy Fafrak, Organist

\*VISIONING PRAYER by Sharon Alberson

God, help us to be welcoming. God, help us to be loving.  
God, help us to see that serving you can lead us to  
A place full of grace with no limits where we can be free...  
To open our hands, welcoming. To open our hearts, loving  
To be more than church on Sunday, to live in the light from above;  
To celebrate in service and love.

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Here in this place, there are no foreigners, for all are welcome in God’s house.

People: Here in this worship, there is only acceptance, for love is the language of faith.

Leader: Here in our lives, there are no divisions, for God dwells in each of us.

People: Come, let us worship in unity and love.

\*OPENING HYMN “God of the Ages” (vs. 1-3)



*Trumpets, before  
each stanza*

1. God of the a - ges, whose al-might-y hand
2. Thy love di- vine hath led us in the past;
3. From war’s a-larms, from dead-ly pes-ti - lence,
4. Re-fresh thy peo - ple on their toil-some way;



leads forth in beau - ty all the star - ry band  
 in this free land with thee our lot is cast;  
 be thy strong arm our ev - er sure de - fense;  
 lead us from night to nev - er - end - ing day;



of shin - ing worlds in splen - dor through the skies,  
 be thou our rul - er, guard - ian, guide, and stay,  
 thy true re - li - gion in our hearts in - crease;  
 fill all our lives with love and grace di - vine,



our grate - ful songs be - fore thy throne a - rise.  
 thy Word our law, thy paths our cho - sen way.  
 thy boun - teous good - ness nour - ish us in peace.  
 and glo - ry, laud, and praise be ev - er thine.

WORDS: Daniel C. Roberts, 1876  
 MUSIC: George W. Warren, 1894

NATIONAL HYMN  
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**\*CONFESSION**

Forgive us God, when we so easily take from you but are not nearly as eager to share with others. Have mercy on us when you come to us in the form of people who are in trouble, and we turn away because they are in the way and inconvenient, and we really just don't have the time. Forgive us when we forget that every stranger we meet is a beloved child of God. Help us to embrace and include others as you have embraced and included us. In the name of the great ancestor of Ruth, Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

**\*PRAISE RESPONSE**

**"God of the Ages" (vs. 4)**

**ANTHEM**

"The Battle Hymn of the Republic" – Words by Juliet Ward Howe;  
 Music by William Steffe; Arr. by Peter J. Wilhousky

Chancel Choir

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE AND RINGING OF THE BELL FOR VETERANS DAY**

Stacie Yates

## The Lord's Prayer

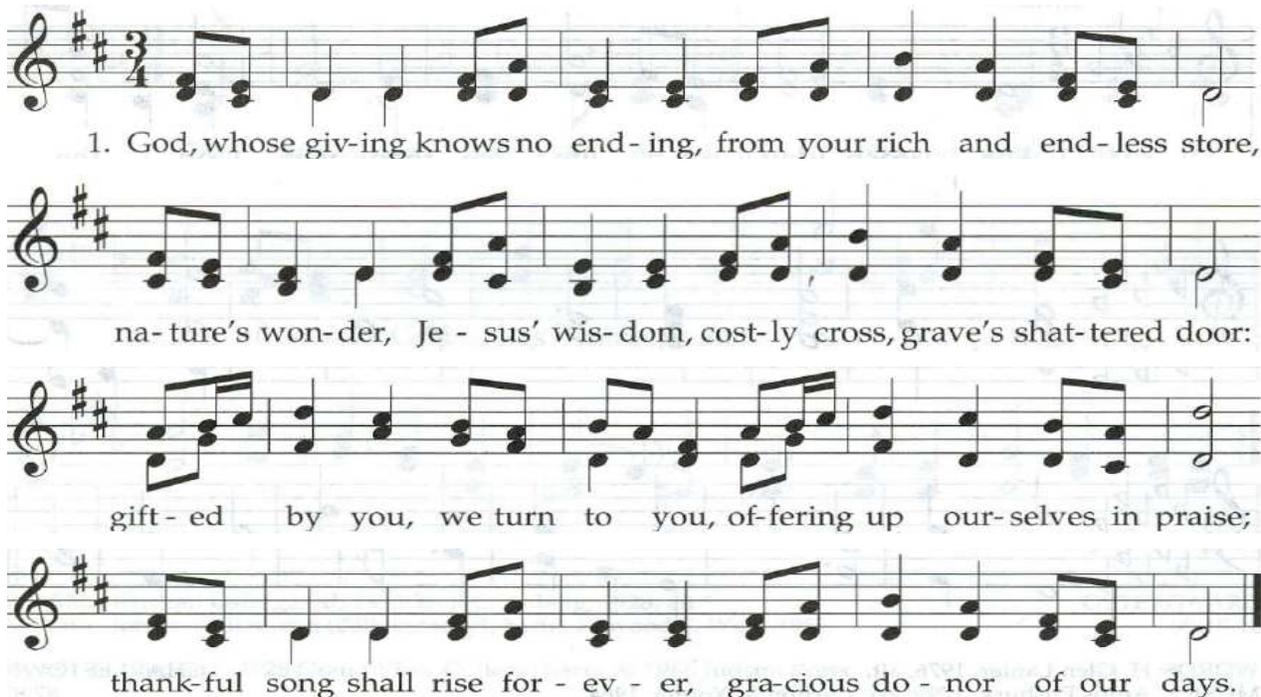
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Joys and Concerns, Silent Prayer, Pastoral Prayer

## PRAYER RESPONSE

"God Whose Giving Knows No Ending"



1. God, whose giv-ing knows no end-ing, from your rich and end-less store,  
na-ture's won-der, Je - sus' wis-dom, cost-ly cross, grave's shat-tered door:  
gift-ed by you, we turn to you, of-fering up our-selves in praise;  
thank-ful song shall rise for - ev - er, gra-cious do - nor of our days.

WORDS: Robert L. Edwards, 1961

MUSIC: Wyeth's *Repository of Sacred Music, Part Second*, 1813

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## SCRIPTURE

Ruth 3: 1-5, 4: 13-22

Dorothe Edinger, Liturgist

## SERMON

"The Story of Ruth, Part 2, Beloved Community"

Rev. Luke Lindon

## OFFERING OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS

### Offering Invitation

Ruth was in the field, trying to find her daily bread. Our pledges of our time, talent, and treasure go to feed those who would be gleaning in the fields. Let us gather our resources.

**\*Doxology:** Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

You look after the least of these, your heart is for the poor. You comfort us in our time of need and bless us with each other. We thank you for the opportunity to welcome, love and serve in your name. Amen.

**\*SENDING SONG**

**"For the Fruit of All Creation"**



1 For the fruit of all cre - a - tion, thanks be to God.  
2 In the just re - ward of la - bor, God's will is done.  
3 For the har - vests of the Spir - it, thanks be to God.



For God's gifts to ev - ery na - tion, thanks be to God.  
In the help we give our neigh - bor, God's will is done.  
For the good we all in - her - it, thanks be to God.



For the plow - ing, sow - ing, reap - ing, si - lent growth while we are sleep - ing,  
In our world - wide task of car - ing for the hun - gry and de - spair - ing,  
For the won - ders that as - tound us, for the truths that still con - found us,



Fu - ture needs in earth's safe - keep - ing, thanks be to God.  
In the har - vests we are shar - ing, God's will is done.  
Most of all that love has found us, thanks be to God.

*This text was written in response to a request for a new harvest hymn for an existing tune. After its publication in England in 1970, it became popular in many countries and can be found set to various tunes.*

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Tune: ARHYDYNOS 8.4.8.4.8.8.8.4.  
*Welsh traditional melody*  
Musical Relicks of the Welsh Bards, Dublin, 1784  
Harm. L. O. Emerson, 1906  
*For another harmonization, see 82*

**\*BENEDICTION**

Leader: There is no place we can go  
**People: Where the love of God is not**  
Leader: There is no place we can flee  
**People: To escape God’s care and concern**  
Leader: There is no one we will meet,  
**People: That is beyond God’s Grace.**  
Leader: There is nothing we can do  
**People: To separate us from the love of God.**  
Leader: This is Good News for me.  
**People: This is Good News for Us.**  
Leader: Go here to be salt and light for this service has ended,  
**People: And our service now begins! Amen!**

**\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE “God Be with You”**

**God be with you ‘til we meet again; By His counsels guide uphold you;  
With His sheep securely fold you; God be with you ‘til we meet again.**

**\* POSTLUDE** “For the Fruit of All Creation” – arr. Barry L. Bobb Cathy Fafrak, Organist

**MORE THAN CHURCH ON SUNDAY”**

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\* Those who are able are asked to please stand

***Ushers:** Dick Christy, Darlene Bagley-Fazekas, Pete Benson, Ron Greinke*

*\*\*\*There will be no Coffee Hour this week\*\*\**

***Instead, please join us in Fellowship Hall for the  
Red, White & Blue Spaghetti Fundraiser to benefit our youth mission trips.***

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# THE PILGRIM MESSENGER

## NOVEMBER 11, 2018

“WELCOMING, LOVING, SERVING, WHERE GOD HAS NO LIMITS.

MORE THAN CHURCH ON SUNDAY!”

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November 11, 2018 thru November 18, 2018

### WEEK AT A GLANCE

<b>Sun</b>	8:15 am	Chapel Worship
	9:00 am	Gathering Worship
	9:15 am	Choir practice
	10:30 am	Traditional Worship
	10:30 pm	JMM @ Brookdale South
	<b>11:45 am</b>	<b>Red, White &amp; Blue Spaghetti Meal Fundraiser</b>
	2:30 pm	Confirmation Mentor Meeting
	3:00 pm	Confirmation Class with Mentors
<b>Mon</b>	10:00 am	GIFT CARD ORDERS DUE
	6:30 pm	Women's Bible Study
<b>Tues</b>	8:00 am	Men's Fellowship at P.J. Marley's
	7:00 pm	Worship Team
	7:30 pm	Women's Book Group
<b>Wed</b>	10:30 am	Quilters
	6:15 pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Discipleship & Education Team
	7:15 pm	Youth Bell Choir
	<b>7:30 pm</b>	<b>Pastor's Bible Study for All</b>
	7:45 pm	Youth Choir
<b>Thu</b>	<b>Garfield Deliveries</b>	
	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Congregational Council</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>4:30 pm</b>	<b>Candlelight Walk Bake Sale</b> (Bake Sale is weather dependent)
<b>Sat</b>	<b>4:30 pm</b>	<b>Candlelight Walk Bake Sale</b> (Bake Sale is weather dependent)

<b>Sun</b>	8:15 am	Chapel Worship
<b>Nov 18</b>	9:00 am	Gathering Worship
	9:15 am	Choir practice
	9:15 am	Bell Choir practice
	10:30 am	Traditional Worship
	11:30 am	Christmas Pageant Practice
	11:45 am	Mission Team
	2:00 pm	JMM @ Medina Meadows
	4:00 pm	Youth Group – Thanksgiving Potluck
	2:30 pm	Confirmation Mentor Meeting
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	<b>The Tree of Remembrance on the Square</b>

**Worship Highlights:** 8:15, 9:00 & 10:30 am

Scripture: Ruth 3:1-5, 4:13-22

“The Story of Ruth, Part 2, Beloved Community”  
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**Altar Flowers:** The altar flowers are given by Dennis & Allayne Reese in honor of their 55<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary and in honor of all veteran's past and present and their families who also served faithfully alongside with love and support.

### SPAGHETTI DINNER FUNDRAISER TODAY!

If you like to eat and would like to support our youth groups at the same time we have just the event for you! TODAY, immediately following the 10:30 service, the youth will be hosting a spaghetti dinner to help raise funds for future mission trips. We will be taking a free will offering and there will be spaghetti, salad, bread and a dessert. If you would like to come, please sign up outside of Fellowship Hall so we can plan accordingly. Thank you so much for your support and we hope to see you TODAY.

## **Upcoming Youth Events:**

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- \*November 11 – Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser
- \*November 11 – Confirmation Mentor Meeting 2:45
- \*November 11 – Confirmation Class 3:00-4:30
- \*November 18 – Christmas Pageant Practice 11:30
- \*November 18 – Youth Group 4:00-6:00
- \*November 25 – Christmas Pageant Practice 11:30
- \*December 2 – Christmas Pageant Practice 11:30
- \*December 2 – Advent Family Fun Night 4:30
- \*December 9 – Confirmation Class 3:00-4:30
- \*December 16 – Christmas Pageant 10:30 service  
Confirmands light the Advent

Wreath

- \*December 23 – NO F.I.S.H. – MERRY CHRISTMAS!
- \*December 30 – NO F.I.S.H. – HAPPY NEW YEAR!

## **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

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### **Boxes Due Sunday, November 18<sup>th</sup>**

Can you believe that it is already time to start thinking about Christmas? I know it seems early, but it will be here before we know it. The Discipleship and Education Leadership Team (DELTS) is once again sponsoring the Operation Christmas Child project. You take a shoe box and fill it with toys, school supplies, hygiene items and an assortment of other gifts. The boxes are then given to hurting children around the world. We recommend using plastic shoe boxes so that the children can use them for water, gathering berries or storage. All boxes are due by Sunday, November 18<sup>th</sup>. If we as a church collect 100 boxes the DELTS will host a special coffee hour at the beginning of December with a hot chocolate bar and other holiday treats. Please see the Operation Christmas Child table in the East Room for ideas to donate. If you have any questions, please contact Stacie Yates at 330-723-7344 or [yatesmsla@zoominternet.net](mailto:yatesmsla@zoominternet.net). Will you help us take God's love to hurting children around the world? We hope you will. Let's do this!

## **HAVE WE OVERLOOKED ANYONE?**

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Do you know an older church member who no longer can attend church regularly because of health issues or a shut-in that may enjoy a visit from a Circle of Caring member? If so, please call the office (330-725-4559) or Syd Benson (330-725-5540). That person will be called and matched with one of the members of Circle of Caring who makes visits.

## **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

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Men's Fellowship group has their monthly breakfast (2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month) at PJ Marley's, at 8:00 am. The next breakfast is Tuesday Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>. All men are welcome. While we don't have formal programs, we do have the opportunity to socialize with each other and share our stories. Please join us. If you wish to be included in our meeting notice emails, let Pete Benson know. ([sydandpete.benson@gmail.com](mailto:sydandpete.benson@gmail.com))

## **HEAR THE BELLS RINGING!**

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Members of our congregation will once again have the opportunity to be "Red Kettle Ringers" for the Medina Salvation Army. Volunteers are needed for **Saturday, December 8<sup>th</sup>**, in the vestibule at Buehler's River Styx. There are several short shifts available between 12:00 pm & 4:00 pm. It is a good idea (but not necessary) to bring a second person with you for your time slot, that way the kettle is never unattended if you need to take a break. Sign-up sheets are available near the kitchen. For any questions or concerns, contact Lynn Leckie. This is a popular event each year, so sign up soon!

## **WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB**

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Our next selection is Lincoln in the Bardo; it is in the office ready for pick up NOW! Our next meeting is Tuesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, at Carolee Rafn's home. A cute Tinkerbell tote bag has been floating around the group for some time. It is now in the office, as no one has claimed it. If it belongs to you, hurry on in and claim it before it "disappears". See you in November!

## **CE CANDLELIGHT WALK BAKE SALE**

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Calling all bakers! The CE Board will once again be hosting a bake sale during the Candlelight Walk. Funds collected will be used for supplies, equipment and help for mission for Christian Education and Youth programming. If you would like to donate a yummy baked good for the bake sale, please sign up outside of Fellowship Hall or fill out the insert in the bulletin. Thank you so much for your support.

## **NEW ONLINE GIVING UPDATE**

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Now you do NOT need to contact the office to get registered—you can do it yourself! Now when you go to <http://uccmedina.org/give> it points to all 3 of our giving options:

- Make a one-time contribution
- Register yourself for recurring giving
- Log in to your profile and update if needed

Current giving is shown and 2019 pledges can also be added. Feel free to contact Kelly 330-725-4559 if you have any questions.

## **ADVENT FAMILY FUN NIGHT**

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Does good food, fellowship, Christmas music and fun sound good to you? Then you will want to be sure to come to Advent Family Fun Night on **Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 4:30**. The evening will consist of crafts and activities to help kick off the season of Advent. We will also enjoy a pizza dinner together. The cost of dinner will be \$3 per person. Help us celebrate the Advent season and get into the holiday spirit. If you would like to attend, please sign up outside of Fellowship Hall. We hope to see all of our church family there.

## **GARFIELD HYGIENE PROGRAM – NEW ITEMS NEEDED!**

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Thank you for the generous contribution of toiletries for the Hygiene Program to assist the children at Garfield School. We are now asking for your contributions of Winter Hats, Gloves and Scarves. Socks are always appreciated. Please place your contributions in the box at the bottom of the staircase.

## **YOUR MISSION TEAM GIVINGS**

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Your Mission Team has been making decisions regarding the donations that you have so generously given. Recently you have donated \$500 to the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, \$350 to Cup's Café for their fundraiser and a new microwave, and \$200 to Main Street Medina as a Candlelight Walk Sponsor. We are always open to your suggestions and welcome them.

## **WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP CHRISTMAS GATHERING**

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**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2018**

**12:00 pm to 1:30 pm**

All women are invited to attend the Christmas Gathering. We will meet in the East Room for a light lunch and fellowship. At 1:00 pm we will be entertained by our own Hobby Horse Preschool students in Fellowship Hall. Please sign up in the East Room or outside Fellowship Hall. Let's hope the weather is good and many of you will be able to attend. If you have questions, please contact Beth Hari (330-242-1807) or Becky Weber (330-725-8545).

## **SUPPORT OUR YOUTH**

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**Buy Gift Cards for All Your Special Occasions!**

The possibilities are endless!!!

Grocery shopping, gasoline, video rentals, home repairs, clothing and gift items.

All the shopping you normally do can help.

Remember Christmas is just around the corner!  
**The next order date is Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup>  
by 10:00 am.**

The last order date before Christmas will be  
**Monday, December 10<sup>th</sup> by 10:00 am.**

## **ENDOWMENT FUND GRANT APPLICATIONS**

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The Endowment Fund Committee is pleased to invite Boards and Committees within the church to complete a Request for Funding form, available on the table near the kitchen. The Packet has easy-to-follow directions to provide details of the funded project for the Committee to evaluate. There is over \$10,000 available for allocation and we celebrate the generosity of the church family that has made this possible via their donations to the Fund over the last two decades. Deadline for application is November 30<sup>th</sup>.



This photo is of troops drilling on the Medina public square.

## Bicentennial Tidbits

The 64 men listed below (out of a 1918 total church membership of 826) saw service during the Great War. Three members died.

### World War

Ernest Adams	Herbert Horn
Fred Adams	George Howard
Wayne Anderson	Carl Jenks
Dudley Borger	Edward Kennan
Harold Borger	Harry Kern
Elisha Branch	Blake Koons
Max T. Burnham	Arthur Leach
Marshall Bryant	Clifton Loomis
Bernie Bowman	Carl Lowe
Elbridge Burt	Fred Moehle
Bryan Case	Karl Moutoux
Raymond Case	John Munson
Jay Caswell	Orlin G. Nettleton
Eugene Chervenka	Dudley Newton
Arthur Clark	Branch Pierce
Franklin Clark	Fred Pierce
Lawrence Cole	Floyd Prouty
Richard Conn	Clarence Rickard
Boyd Davenport	Harry Riegger
Avery Dunham	Henry Riegger
J. F. Elder	Dr. H. P. H. Robinson
Sidney Fenn	Leland Root
Faye Fenton	Earl S. Sargeant
Ray Gardner	Lee R. Sargeant
Marion Garver	Max Sargeant
Will Gates	Joe Seymour
Albert Gill	R. E. Suedden
Charles Griesinger	Nelson Stear
Robert Harding	Dr. R. G. Strong
Ralph Harrington	John H. Warner
Earl Hawkins	Dana Whipple
Laurence Hoff	Ralph Worden

### GOLD STARS

Dudley Borger  
Franklin Clark  
Karl Moutoux

## OCTOBER FINANCIAL REPORT:

	OCT	YTD	Annual Budget	YTD as a % of Budget
<b>Income:</b>	\$28,689	\$277,570	\$343,085	80.9%
<b>Expense:</b>	\$27,988	\$279,138	\$356,589	78.3%
<b>Net Income (Loss)</b>	\$701	(\$1,568)	(\$13,504)	

- Income continues to improve, thank you for keeping your pledges current!
- Through 10 months, expenses have been under budget by over \$18,020.
- Total Sunday School Offerings through October 31<sup>st</sup> are \$44.00
- Online giving and/or Pledging is now an option. Visit <http://uccmedina.org/give>
- If there are any questions on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Statements please give Kelly a call.
- 2019 Pledge Cards are now due so that 2019 Budget planning can begin.

When we are young, we tend to think that beauty is in the golden, the glittery, the monumental, the new, the stunning, the glamorous. We think life's true meaning is an unfolding story of perfection...the dead, dying and decaying are disconnected from us. Cracks, flaws, uneven shapes, deformities, disabilities are not part of God's natural order of creation. Do you remember how your grandparent's yard seemed like a vast estate? And today, you realize your perspective changes with time. This change is the continuing culmination of maturing vision. As a young nature photographer and avid gardener, I sought out the perfect photo, the perfect framing, the perfect color and shading, the perfect plantings, the perfect arrangements...well, just the 'perfect'. Looking back today, this striving for the 'perfect' is maturing into deep appreciation of the natural forces of transient beauty, of flaws, and of impermanence. Once wandering along an autumn woodland creek bottom, I spent hours looking for the most amazing photo of perfect fall color, of the amazing and breath-taking. I snapped hundreds of shots that I just knew would be perfect. Then one day, there was one photo taken by happenstance of a yellow, brownish leaf resting at the bottom of a rippling small pool-dead and decaying, unsymmetrical, blackened edge, pitted with holes. Suddenly, all the planning and perfection seeking to create the perfect shot were shattered by this one photo. There is no ugly in nature. Whether it is a budding young sapling or a blackened decaying moss covered log, the beauty of God's creation is there. We all bear these reminders in our own experiences. To erase these would be to ignore the complexities of life. To cast aside our own imperfections, shadowy episodes of family history, struggles with attitudes and decisions. Seeking the perfect may push aside purpose and growth in change. So, avowing that I am already a true Christian says that I have already fulfilled the requirements. As with nature, we too are changing. We too are becoming. One treasure in God's grace, is living in all the beauty of God's creation.

**Ecclesiastes 3:11**

*He has made everything beautiful in its time. He has also set eternity in the human heart; yet no one can fathom what God has done from beginning to end.*

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**The deadline for submission of articles for NEXT Sunday's *Messenger* is this Sunday at 11:30 am.**

**Please submit articles to the church office at [office@uccmedina.org](mailto:office@uccmedina.org)**

**\*\*\*\*\*CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm MONDAY THRU FRIDAY\*\*\*\*\***

Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17

### **Risk and Restoration**

The refugees, Ruth and Naomi, manage through a series of assimilations, tricks and an advantageous marriage, to bring a baby into the world. A baby named Obed. A baby who would be in a line along a series of begets and begots that would culminate in David, King of Israel. This baby, born of a so called "mixed marriage" (Ruth is a foreign born woman), will be cared for as much by his grandmother as by his mother. He is, after all, a baby born to a woman who had lost everything—sons and all. How will he be cared for? How do we care for the things that matter to us? And to our world? How much more precious is Obed because he is born to a woman who knows death intimately?

Do we have to have lost something so we can appreciate its return? Will we ever understand the importance of stewardship with respect to creation? Will we only learn how to care should the earth lose its resilience and ability to feed us? How do we love what we have? Protect it and keep it so that it will nurture our future? How do we do that before we fear its loss? How can we clear the path to a blessed tomorrow?

"Blessed Tomorrow" is a coalition of faith partners, including the United Church of Christ. Through this partnership, we offer resources gathered to protect this earth – our shared home, our future. For the UCC, fused with our Three Great Loves campaign, the love of everything begins with this creation. Its protection is a moral duty calling us to action. This is action born in an awareness of our responsibility to keep this beloved blue ball we call "earth" healthy enough to sustain and nurture everyone.

For Naomi and Ruth, Obed is a dear and fragile thing born in the aftermath of sorrow, held dear by that awareness. Our earth is as fragile and leans on all of us to protect it. We may not feel like environmentally savvy people, or climate warriors of any stripe but there are things we can do in this stewardship season to be stewards of the earth. If you go to [blessedtomorrow.org](http://blessedtomorrow.org) you will find resources for churches and individuals. At that website, you might be empowered by seeing the cloud of witnesses and willing actors giving themselves to this great love – The Love of Creation.

If you or your church have a project or an activity that reflects any of our three loves – children, neighbor, creation – please go to three great loves at UCC pages and download the tool kit, [3greatloves.uccpages.org](http://3greatloves.uccpages.org).