

Gospel of Misfits

December 19, 2021

Welcome and Announcements – Adam Ericksen

Prelude – Jean Herrera

Adam: God be with you.

All: And also with you.

Lighting of the Peace Candle – Micheal Garcia

Our tradition at CUCC is to light a peace candle at the beginning of each worship service to center ourselves around the Peace of God. I invite you to join us in lighting the peace candle...

All: We pray for peace
in our hearts,
in our homes,
in our communities,
in our nations,
and in our worlds.

Scripture Readings
Luke 1:39-55

Modern Testimony from Cynthia Bourgeault, read by Lynn Galliano

Call to Worship – David and Ellery Palanuk

Passing of the Peace – Jean Herrera

One: Friends, we come to the moment where we pass the peace. I invite you to open your palms up as we pass the peace to one another.

One: Beloved of God, may the peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

Song: Do You Hear What I Hear? – Sung by Christine Fogh

Invitation to the Offering - Adam

Community Prayer and Lord's Prayer – Emily and Raleen

Our God,
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 and ever. Amen.

Sermon – The Gospel of Misfits

Unison Benediction – Charlie Hinkle

May God bless you and keep you.
May God's face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
May God look upon you with kindness and bring you peace.
This day and forever more. Amen
-Numbers 6:24-26