

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Tenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

August 17th, 2025

10:00 a.m.

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS ~

PRAISE VIDEO ~ “Stand”

Anne Wilson

CALL TO WORSHIP ~ (Based on Psalm 80 and 82)

L – You brought a vine out of Egypt; you drove out the nations and planted it.

C – Turn again, O God of hosts; look down from heaven, and see; have regard for this vine

L – Give justice to the weak and the orphan; maintain the right of the lowly and the destitute.

C – Rescue the weak and the needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked

L – But let your hand be upon the one at your right hand, the one whom you made strong for yourself.

C – Restore us, O Lord of Hosts; let your face shine, that we may be saved.

All – Rise up, O God, judge the earth; for all the nations belong to you!

CONGREGATIONAL PRAISE SONG ~

“Dare to Run”

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*INVOCATION AND GLORIA PATRI ~

SCRIPTURE #1 ~ Luke 12:49-56

SCRIPTURE #2 ~ Hebrews 11:29-12:2

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MEDITATION ON SCRIPTURE ~

COMMUNION HYMN ~ “Let Us Break Bread Together”

No. 564

ELDER’S PRAYER FOR THE BREAD AND CUP ~

CELEBRATION AT THE TABLE ~ “Let a person examine

themselves and so let them eat of the bread and drink of the cup.”

*DOXOLOGY ~

SHARING OF PRAISES AND CONCERNS ~

SILENT PRAYER / MEDITATION AND PASTORAL PRAYER ~

LORD’S PRAYER (using “sins”) ~

“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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever.” Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC ~ “Never Alone”

Paula Kraus

RESPONSIVE READING ~ Isaiah 5:1-7

OT # 679 / LP # 1035

MESSAGE ~

“The Vineyard”

*SENDING HYMN ~ “I Love to Tell the Story”

No. 619

*BENEDICTION ~

*Please stand if able

ANNOUNCEMENTS ...

Thank you to Paula Kraus for Special Music this morning.

Today is the Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tuesday, August 19th – ECD Dinner at 6:30 p.m. in Alba.

(Please contact Wendy McKeithan or Pastor Paula if you plan to attend.)

Coins for Cause will be given to the Disciples Mission Fund of the Christian Church (DOC).

Items on the table by the front door are the **August 2025 Church Candle**, the “*Our Daily Bread*” (June, July and August 2025), and the latest Board Meeting Packet.

Looking Ahead ...

Sunday, August 24th – Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time –
Worship at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, August 31st – Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time –

Celebration Sunday - – Worship at 10:00 a.m.

August Birthdays and Anniversaries will be recognized.

Please bring a dish-to-pass to share.

Elder/Deacon Worship Service at Athens Healthcare and
Rehab at 1:30 p.m.

Monday, September 1st – Labor Day / Office closed

Tuesday, September 2nd – Elder/Deacon Meeting at 3:00 p.m.

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