

Benediction
Elsa Mateus

Benediction Response
Draw the Circle Wide

Postlude
Sue Norris

October 5, 2025



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October 5, 2025
World Communion Sunday

Welcome
Elsa Mateus

Prelude
Sue Norris

Threshold Moment
Rev. Laurie Gates-Ward

Opening Songs
Hear Our Praises
In Christ Alone

Passing of the Peace
Kahla Manriquez

Time With Children
Clarissa Stroud

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Word in Music
In You, We Are One

Scripture Lesson
Robert Burdick
Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

A Word of God that is still speaking.
Thanks be to God

Hymn of Preparation
One Bread, One Body UMH #620

Sermon
"War and Peace"
Rev. Laurie Gates-Ward

Hymn of Response
Let There Be Peace on Earth UMH #431

RESPONSE

Prayers of the People
Kahla Manriquez

Prayer Response
Cares Chorus TFWS #2215

Giving Of Tithes and Offering
(Our October offering is World Communion Sunday, an offering to the UMC for scholarships for international students)

Sacrament of Holy Communion
The Great Thanksgiving
The Lord's Prayer
The Giving and Receiving of the Bread and Cup

Closing Song
Worthy is the Lamb