



FEDERATED CHURCH

Thursday, August 11th & Sunday, August 14th, 2022
Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

Mission Statement:

***We are called to nurture a growing relationship with God
 by following the example of Jesus Christ.***

We are called Federated because on July 2, 1914, Columbus' Congregational (now the United Church of Christ) and Presbyterian churches joined to serve as one congregation.

Prayer requests can be shared with the Church Office (402) 564-2812 to initiate a Prayer Chain with the Order of St. Andrew. The Prayer Chain is strictly confidential.

If you missed worship last week, visit www.federatedcolumbus.org for videos of worship and bulletins.

In case of an emergency, please call Brenda (402) 276-2080.

Governing Council - Federated Church Elders			Federated Church Clergy and Staff	
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Order of St. Andrew - Federated Church Deacons			Bill Royer, <i>Head Usher</i> VACANT, <i>Historian</i>	
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Welcome to Worship at Federated!

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 2022 & SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 2022

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Hymns, Songs, Prayers, and liturgies in **Bold** are for the participation of the **Congregation**

PRELUDE

Deck Thyself, My Soul, with Gladness
James Sharpe, Piano & Organ

J. S. BACH

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.
Then God said, "Let there be light" and there was light

All: God saw that the light was good.

One: God separated the light from the darkness.

All: God called the light- day; and the dark - night

One: God said, "Let there be a huge space between the waters"

All: God called the huge space sky.

One: God Said, "Let the water under the sky be gathered into one place.
Let the ground appear.

All: God called the dry ground - land and the waters - sea. God saw it was good.

One: God said, "Let the land produce plants yielding seeds and fruits of every kind.

All: God saw that it was good.

One: God made the sun, the moon and the stars- creating light in both evening and morning.

All: God saw that it was good

One: God said, "Let the waters and land bring forth living creatures of every kind.

All: And it was so. And God saw that it was good.

*OPENING SONG #293

This is My Father's World

CALL TO CONFESSION

Please be seated: Let's join together in the Unison Prayer of Confession,
followed by a moment for silent prayer:

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, you call us to do good, seek justice, and care for those in need. Yet how often we place our own comforts above the compassion for others. Forgive us, we pray, and cleanse us from these and all our offenses, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

MOMENT FOR SILENT PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: We are all God's people. God offers us peace and hope.

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: As children of God, we are no longer strangers, but friends. The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Please offer each other a sign of peace.

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

SPECIAL MUSIC (SUN.)

Blessed Assurance

H. I. S. Puppeteers: Disco Disciples Band
Brinlee Klevemann, Tessa Miller, Meg Weeder

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Meg Weeder, Liturgist (SUN.)

SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 1 : 26 - 27; 2 : 7

1 Corinthians 12 : 7 - 11

One: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God!

Pew Bible, NT, pages 1 - 2

Pew Bible, NT, page 174

SERMON

The Breath of Life: The Breath of the Holy Spirit

Julie Graham

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY (SUN.)

Intermezzo (Op 116, No 6)

JOHANNES BRAHMS

***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.***

***UNISON PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

God our Father, bless these humble gifts and all the ways in which we give. May our gifts of time, talent and treasure be pleasing to you. Multiply them so that the rewards are boundless to provide peace, healing, and love. In Jesus name, Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN #316**

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE (SUN.)

Für Elise

LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN

Café La Fed is hosted by John & Katie Claus

**A set of keys were found in the Sacristy. They include a key fob and key to a Buick.
If you are missing your keys, please contact the church office.**

JOYS & CONCERNS

If you have any joys or concerns, please share with the congregation by informing the office.

- ◆ Please pray for Kathy Orr. Kathy would like phone calls and cards, but no food or visitors please. Kathy is at home.
- ◆ Please pray for Beverly Fry who is recovering from a broken hip.
- ◆ Please pray for Richard (Dick) Fry. He was put on hospice on Friday, August 12th.
- ◆ Please pray for Toby Sand and family. Toby had hip surgery on Friday, August 12th.
- ◆ **UCC Living Waters Association:** Norfolk First Congregation UCC (Norfolk, NE 68701)

Contribution Statements may be picked up in the church office or in the Narthex after services.

Rescue Mission meals are needed for Sept. 9th and Dec. 9th. Please sign up on the bulletin board in front of the Sanctuary. Thank you. Meals can be simple! Please take one of the pages from SC & M Committee on the bulletin board, next to the sign up sheet.

Thank you, TeamMates volunteers!

The TeamMates Mentoring Program would like to give a special thanks to Federated Church members Bob and Wilma Arp, who volunteer with TeamMates. Find out how investing a little time (just one class or lunch period each week) can make a tremendous difference to a child in our community. The one-to-one mentoring takes place at the school and can include a variety of activities such as scrap booking, shooting hoops, playing games, or just visiting. TeamMates is looking for additional mentors to impact in our community for the upcoming school year. To learn more about the rewards of mentoring, call 402-564-8326 or visit www.teammates.org.

THIS WEEK AT FEDERATED CHURCH

Sunday, August 14th

10:00am Sunday Worship Service, Sanctuary
3:00pm El Buen Prayer Services, Sanctuary

Monday, August 15th

7:00pm Scouts Troop 212, Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, August 16th

6:30pm Christian Ed & Youth Ministry Combo Meeting, Fellowship Hall

6:30pm Finance & Property Committee Mtg., EC8

Wednesday, August 17th

10:00am Staff Meeting, Church Office

12:30pm Anita Hahn & the Members who joined in the 70s, Fellowship Hall

Thursday, August 18th

6:30pm Thursday Worship Service, Sanctuary

Friday, August 19th

6:00pm El Buen Prayer Service, EC6

Saturday, August 20th

No Events Scheduled

Sunday, August 21st

10:00am Sunday Worship Service, Sanctuary
3:00pm El Buen Prayer Services, Sanctuary

If you or someone you know would like a ride to/from services, please contact the church office for our volunteer's contact information!

Social Concerns and Missions committee is collecting Clorox, Pine Sol and leashes for Paws and Claws July, August & September

Meals on Wheels

Federated is scheduled to deliver Meals on Wheels Tuesday, Sept. 6th through Fri. Sept. 9th. **There will be no meals delivered on Labor Day.** Renee Bellum will coordinate, 402-563-2441 or 402-276-2454. Thank you to faithful servants.