



# *First Congregational United Church of Christ*

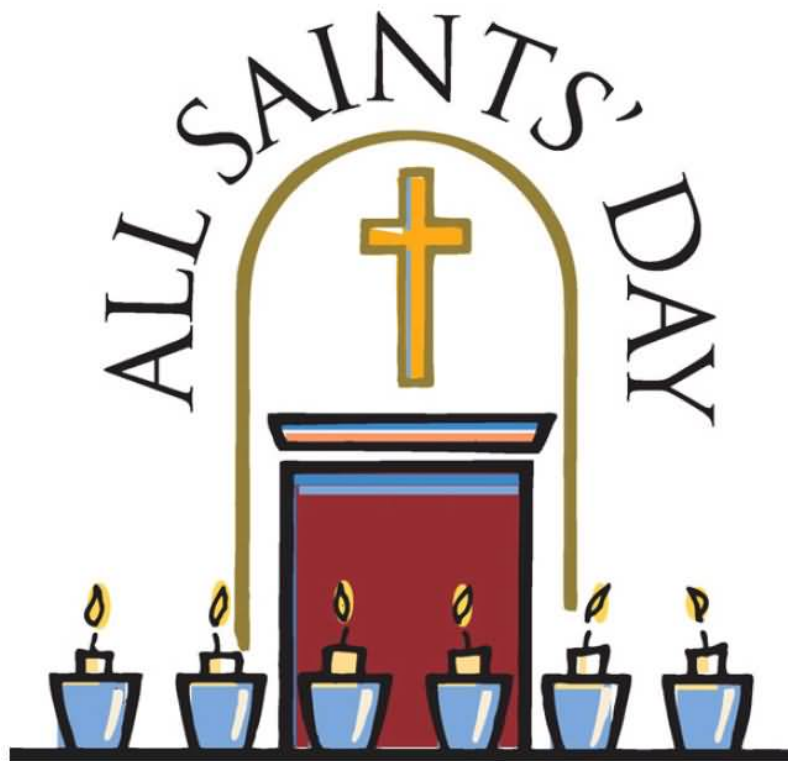
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## *Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost*

*November 6, 2022*



**Mini-Message**

Abbie Chronister

**Director of Music**

Luke Overton

**Organist**

Hudson Lourenço-Feld

**Guest Preacher**

Rev. Clark Kilgard

**Worship Leader**

Laurie Allbaugh

**Director of Youth**

Abbie Chronister

**Office Manager**

Michelle Wolfe

**Custodian**

Kyle Lindaman

*No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey,  
you are welcome here.*

<b>Prelude</b>	Introit - Reginald W. Martin	Hudson Lourenço-Feld
<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>Church Life &amp; Mission</b> <i>From Bread and Cup to Faith and Giving</i>		Stewardship Moment
<b>Call to Worship</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
Leader: Praise the LORD! Sing to the LORD a new song, his praise in the assembly of the faithful.		
People: Let Israel be glad in its Maker; let the children of Zion rejoice in their King.		
Leader: Let them praise his name with dancing, making melody to him with tambourine and lyre.		
People: For the LORD takes pleasure in his people; he adorns the humble with victory.		
Leader: Let the faithful exult in glory; let them sing for joy on their couches.		
People: Let the high praises of God be in their throats and two-edged swords in their hands, This is glory for all his faithful ones. Praise the LORD!		
<b>Remembrance of Church Members</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>*Opening Hymn</b>	<i>Forward Through the Ages</i>	#377 (NCH - Black)
<b>Prayer of Invocation</b>		Rev. Clark Kilgard
<b>Joys &amp; Concerns</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>Prayers of the People &amp; Lord's Prayer</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.		
<b>Mini-Message</b>		Abbie Chronister
<b>Choral Anthem</b>	<i>Sine Nomine</i>	Chancel Choir by Ralph Vaughan Williams
<b>Invitation to Offertory</b>		Laurie Allbaugh

<b>Offertory</b>	Hymn Improvisation	Hudson Lourenço-Feld
<b>*Doxology</b>		#515 (Pilgrim - Red)
<b>*Prayer of Dedication</b>		Laurie Allbaugh
<b>Scripture Reading</b>		Rev. Kilgard
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>I Sing a Song of the Saints of God</i>	#481 (Pilgrim - Red)
<b>Message</b>	“Who Wants to be Acquainted with Grief?”	Rev. Kilgard
<b>The Sacrament of Holy Communion</b>		
<b>Invitation to Communion</b>		
<b>Communion Prayers</b>		
<b>Communing</b> — <i>We will commune today by intinction. Come forward, take bread, dip it in the cup, eat, and return to your seat. If coming forward is difficult, someone will serve you.</i>		
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>Come, We Who Love God’s Name</i>	#382 (NCH - Black)
<b>Benediction</b>		Rev. Kilgard
<b>Postlude</b>	Postludium - Ludwig V. Beethoven	Hudson Lourenço-Feld

\* You are invited to Stand

(Hearing assistance devices are available in the cabinet in the back of the sanctuary.)

*Childcare for students up to 3rd grade is provided after the Children’s Message and until Communion (youth will come back upstairs at this time to participate in Communion with their families). We welcome your child(ren) to follow youth staff to the childcare room (located at the bottom of the steps closest to the sanctuary) at the conclusion of the Children’s Message.*

*In remembrance of the lives of members  
of First Congregational UCC who have passed  
on in the last year, a bell is rung as their name is called:*

*Tyler Greene*  
(November 10, 2021)

*Edna Koch*  
(May 1, 2022)

*Pearl Goos*  
(December 14, 2021)

*Russ Towsley*  
(May 11, 2022)

*Connie Paul*  
(January 3, 2022)

*Bernice Garretson*  
(May 18, 2022)

*Lorraine Heinick*  
(February 18 2022)

*Joan Siglin*  
(July 25, 2022)

*Collene Peirce*  
(September 21, 2022)