

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
United Church of Christ
May 30, 2021—Trinity Sunday

Ministry of the Acolyte

Gathering Music #3 “Holy, Holy, Holy” *vs. 1, 2*

Welcome and Announcements *Emily LaFlam*

Opening Prayer

Prelude

Responsive Reading Isaiah 6:1-8

One: In the year that King Uzziah died,

**All: I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty;
and the hem of his robe filled the temple.**

One: Six-winged seraphs were in attendance above him.

They called to one another and said:

**All: ‘Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts;
the whole earth is full of his glory.’**

One: The building shook at their voices;
the house filled with smoke and I said:

**All: ‘Woe is me! I am lost, my lips are unclean,
my people’s lips are unclean;
yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!’**

One: Then one of the seraphs flew to me,
holding a live coal from the altar with a pair of tongs.

**All: The seraph touched my mouth with the coal and said:
‘Your guilt has departed; and your sin is blotted out.’**

One: Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying,
‘Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?’

All: And I said, ‘Here I am; send me!’

Hymn #589 “Here I Am, Lord”

We Lift Up Our Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer with the Lord’s Prayer

Special Music

We Dedicate our Gifts
Doxology and Offering prayer

Scripture John 3:1-17 *Emily LaFlam*

Sermon “grateful”

A Memorial Day Litany *back of bulletin*

Hymn #808 “Eternal Father, Strong to Save”

Benediction

Response #3 “Holy, Holy, Holy” *vs. 3, 4*

Postlude

TO THE MEMBERS of the FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
LITTLETON, NEW HAMPSHIRE

YOU ARE HEREBY CALLED TO ATTEND

THE 218TH ANNUAL MEETING

of the FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, U.C.C.

SUNDAY, JUNE 13, 2021 AT 10:00 A.M.

Meeting in the Sanctuary immediately following the church service

In preparation for the meeting, please read the reports and make notations if
there are questions or comments.

PLEASE BRING YOUR COPY TO THE MEETING FOR REFERENCE.

*There are some paper copies available in the sanctuary/office
if you are unable to print a copy at home.*

A quorum of 20 members is needed to conduct this meeting.

“A Litany for Memorial Day”

One: We remember our brothers and sisters who daily face the hardship and risks that are necessary if we are to be free.
All: With sad and grateful hearts, O God, we remember.

One: We remember those who fell in battle, far from home, amid the physical horror and moral suffering of war.
All: With sad and grateful hearts, O God, we remember.

One: We remember those who died in peaceful actions aimed at creating a more just world.
All: With sad and grateful hearts, O God, we remember.

One: We remember those who died protecting others in dangerous professions: firefighters, police officers, EMT’s and all who gave their lives for the safety of others.
All: With sad and grateful hearts, O God, we remember.

One: We remember those whose grief is deepest, those who raise families alone and do the work that was left behind by those who died.
All: With sad and grateful hearts, O God, we remember. Help us, O God, to honor the lives and families of all those who died in the hope of advancing the cause of justice and peace in this world. God, grant us courage, at any time, to be willing to offer ourselves—our possessions, our time, our work and our lives—in the service of peace with justice, your holy Shalom. We dedicate ourselves to your service in the spirit and love of Jesus. AMEN

Lay Worship Planner: Emily LaFlam
Musician: Dottie Morton
Camera Person: Dan Kiefer
Pastor: David Weddington

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Our Mission Statement:

As followers of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, we are called to provide a loving invitation and welcome to all, to inspire and uplift through the worship of God, to reach out to heal and enrich lives through the Holy Spirit, and to nurture people at various stages of their spiritual growth.

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