

Welcome to Worship

We believe that all people are blessed and loved equally by God. Following the teachings of Jesus we heartily welcome everyone into God's covenantal community. Whatever your race, ethnicity, age, socioeconomic or marital status, variety of thoughts and beliefs, physical or mental ability, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression--whoever you are and wherever you come from you are welcome into the full life and ministry of our church.



Barrington Congregational Church, United Church of Christ

Summer Worship at 10 a.m.

June 22nd – August 31st, 2025

We gather in worship this morning with joy and reverence in our hearts and a sincere welcome to all. Please remember that some will greet neighbors while others come quietly to prayerfully seek God.



The service is also being livestreamed for those unable to join us in person.



Large Print Bulletins and Hearing Devices are available from the Ushers.

WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

EXTENDING THE HAND OF PEACE

The Peace of Christ be always with you...

Response: And also with you...

Let us greet one another extending the hand of Christian Peace

(All are invited to greet one another by shaking hands or waving, offering the peace of Christ.)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts/debtors)

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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*GLORIA

**Glory to the Creator, the Christ, the Holy Spirit, Three-in-One;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen. Amen.**

or

**Rain down, rain down, rain down your love on your people.
Rain down, rain down, rain down your love, God of life.**

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S PRESENCE IN OUR LIVES

PRAYERS

ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

MORNING PRAYER

*HYMN

SCRIPTURE READING

GUEST SPEAKER

WE GIVE THANKS FOR GOD'S GIFTS

OFFERTORY

MUSICAL OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God all creatures here below.
Praise God above, ye heavenly host.
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost.**

*PRESENTATION AND DEDICATION

OUR COMMUNITY GOES OUT TO SERVE GOD

*HYMN

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

God Be With You

**God be with you till we meet again;
By good counsel guide, uphold you.
With a shepherd's care enfold you;
God be with you till we meet again.**

POSTLUDE

**Those who are able, please stand.*



Please freely change the wording of any part of this service to more inclusive language.
Our purpose is to worship God in wholeness.



Our Summer Bulletin: In an effort to save paper and be green, as well as cut down on staff time, we'll be using the same bulletin during each Sunday service. The hymns and any items needing citation will be shared verbally.



Today's altar flowers have been given by members and friends of the congregation
in memory of loved ones and in celebration of milestones.

Information about the donors and their dedications are included in the
Announcements Sheet with this bulletin.



Each Sunday morning, a team of ushers and greeters volunteers their time
to assist with welcoming you to worship.

In addition, a volunteer from our Worship Tech Team works the board from the back of the choir
loft to livestream the service out to our Facebook page and YouTube channel.

We thank them all for their ministries.

TO OUR VISITORS: We are excited to welcome all who have come to join in worship today. We invite you to fill out a Visitor Response Card (located in the pew rack) to help us get to know you and learn more about your experience. Please feel free to pick up a Welcome Folder (located in the racks on the stairwells to the sanctuary). We hope you'll come worship with us again soon!

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