

***Doxology**

Communion

Invitation

Hymn The Open Table on screen
 By Mark A. Miller

Words of Institution, Prayer, and Lord’s Prayer

All: 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.

Participation in Communion

Disciples Christian Church practices open communion, meaning all are welcome at the table. You may choose communion by intinction (breaking a piece of bread from the loaf and dipping it in the chalice) or by individual bread and cup. Please come forward to partake, choosing the option most meaningful to you.

***Closing Song** Wherever You Go Chalice Praise #182 all

***Benediction**

Postlude Let Us Break Bread Together
 Arranged by Donna Huff

A Note to Parents:

PRAY-ground: In the northeast corner of the sanctuary, we have an area rug and some quiet toys for young children. The PRAY-ground is designed for families who may not be ready to use the nursery or who prefer to keep their children in the sanctuary with them. Please use this area as you desire.



World Communion Sunday
October 1, 2017



Disciples Christian Church

Core Values

- Hospitality
- Spiritual Growth
- Justice through Service

**Please rise as you are able*

Chimes

Welcome

*Prelude

*We Are Walking
(Siyahamba/Caminando)*

Chalice Hymnal #442

*Call to Worship

One: We gather to worship together...

All: Different people, different lives, different histories.

One: All children of the same Parent...

All: Created by the Source of all life!

One: We gather to reconnect with one another...

All: Different people, different lives, different histories.

One: Each of us belong here...

All: Celebrating One love.

*Opening Hymn

We Cannot Own the Sunlit Sky

Chalice Hymnal #684, all

A Prayer for Our World

*Response

Gloria Patri

Chalice Hymnal #36

Children's Moment

Prayer

Preparation

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

Chalice Praise#305

Prayers of the People: Sharing Good News & Concerns

(After each thanksgiving or petition, the minister says:

"For _____, O Lord," and the congregation responds, "Hear our prayer.")

Prayer

Following the prayer, anyone wishing to do so is invited to come forward and light a candle for a personal joy or concern.

Anthem

The Thanksgiving Table
By Roger Thornhill and Brad Nix

Spirit Singers

Scripture

Mark 12: 28-34

Sermon

Who Are the People in Your Neighborhood?

Rev. Kelley Becker

Invitation

Song

*Cuando el Pobre
(When the Poor Ones)*

Chalice Hymnal #662, v1

Offering

Call to Give

The table will be wide. And the welcome will be wide.

And the arms will open wide to gather us in.

And our hearts will open wide to receive.

And we will come as children who trust there is enough.

And we will come unhindered and free.

And we will turn toward each other without fear.

And we will become bread for a hungry world.

And we will become drink for those who thirst.

And we will give with compassion, love, and joy.

And everywhere will be the feast.

(adapted from a poem by Jan Richardson)

Offertory

Break Thou the Bread of Life
Arranged by Dennis Johnson

Offertory Prayer

Holy One,

We join with Your children all over the world as we offer these gifts meant to ease suffering and proclaim Your great love for all people. Amen.