

Communion

Invitation

Hymn Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee on screens

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.

Communion Music Perfect Circle World

\*Closing Song Hymn of Grateful Praise on screen, chorus only

\*Benediction

Postlude

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.



October 15, 2017  
Be Still  
Psalm 46  
Reverend Kelley L. Becker



# Disciples Christian Church

Core Values

- Hospitality
- Spiritual Growth
- Justice through Service

*\*Please rise as you are able*

## Welcome

### Prelude

Josh Wright

### \*Opening Hymn

*Hymn of Grateful Praise*

on screens

### \*Welcoming the Spirit

**O God who is greater than the most powerful forces in this world,  
enable us to be still and know that You are God.**

**O Lord who answers out of the whirlwind of everyday life,  
breathe in us Your Holy Spirit to strengthen, comfort, and guide us in the midst of  
the storm.**

**O still, small voice, speak to us this hour  
that we might become makers of Your peace  
in our homes, in our communities, in our world.  
Amen.**

### \*Response

*Gloria Patri*

Chalice Hymnal #36

## Children's Moment

### Prayer

Preparation

*'Til You Alone Remain*

on screens

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.")*

Pastoral Prayer

Josh Linton

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

### Gift of Music

*You Will Not Let Go*

### Responsive Reading

Psalms 46, see insert

### Sermon

*Be Still*

Rev. Kelley Becker

### Invitation

Song

*This Little Light of Mine*

on screens

### Offering

Call to Give

Frederick Buechner said, "The place God calls you to is the place where your deep gladness and the world's deep hunger meet." It would be good for us to be *still* long enough to reflect on where our "deep gladness" resides. How long has it been since you thought about what truly brings you joy and ignites passion deep in your heart? The world needs our passion, and our compassion. God calls the Church to respond to the world's hunger collectively. It is our giving that enables Disciples Christian Church to be part of this work. As we reflect on our individual call and giving, let us dream about what we can do together.

Offertory

Offertory Prayer

**Holy One,  
Use our giving to remind us there is joy in generosity.  
Use this offering to bring about the world You imagined.  
Amen.**

### \*Doxology