

WYIMagine 2012

Day 1

July 10, 2012

An Imagine Moment

ABRAHAM AND SARAH'S EXTRAVAGANT WELCOME

Genesis 18:3
Mark 12:31

"My Lord, if I find favor with you, do not pass by your servant." Genesis 18:3 When Abraham and Sarah were faced with the presence of three strangers in their home, they welcomed their guests warmly. In the world we live in today, that hospitality is difficult to find. We lock our doors and windows and we protect ourselves from the world around us. This week, let us accept each other with the warmth of Abraham and Sarah. As we come from around the nation and world and from different experiences and beliefs, greet each other with the extravagant welcome we strive to extend as servants of our loving God. With acceptance and communion, let West Lafayette be our Promised Land for these four days. Imagine the possibilities...

Centering Moment

"You shall love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these." Mark 12:31

Youth In Action

As we disperse after this time of gathering, extend the extravagant welcome you find here at NYE to your home congregation. Remember—no matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here.

Casey Liston, Florida Conference
Council for Youth and Young Adult Ministries



Tuesday Worship Imagine an Extravagant Welcome

7:00 PM - 8:15 PM Opening Worship with Carissa Yinmed, MK Asante and J Kwest

Gathering Music Tribe of Judah

Call to Worship Marah Schlingensiepen

One: God is about to do a new thing!
All: We can feel it!
 One: Now it springs forth!
All: We can feel it!
 One: God will make a way in the wilderness!
All: We can feel it!
 One: God will make rivers in the desert!
All: We can feel it! We can feel it! We can feel it!

Opening Song Tribe of Judah Kenwood UCC Youth Choir

You're Welcome Here
You're welcome
You're welcome here
You're welcome Lord
Welcome in this place.

Affirmation of Faith Tyler Cochran & Jennifer Kawaguchi

One: We believe in you, O God, Eternal Spirit, God of our Savior Jesus Christ and our God, and to your deeds we testify:

One: You call the worlds into being, create persons in your own image, and set before each one the ways of life and death.

Many: Blessing, honor, and glory be on to You.

One: You seek in holy love to save all people from aimlessness and sin. You judge people and nations by your righteous will declared through prophets and apostles.

Many: Blessing, honor, and glory be on to You.

One: In Jesus Christ, the man of Nazareth, our crucified and risen Savior, you have come to us and shared our common lot, conquering sin and death and reconciling the world to yourself.

Many: Blessing, honor, and glory be on to You.

One: You bestow upon us your Holy Spirit, creating and renewing the church of Jesus Christ, binding in covenant faithful people of all ages, tongues, and races.

Many: Blessing, honor, and glory be on to You.

One: You call us into your church to accept the cost and joy of discipleship, to be your servants in the service of others, to proclaim the gospel to all the world and resist the powers of

evil, to share in Christ's baptism and eat at his table, to join him in his passion and victory.

Many: Blessing, honor, and glory be on to You.

One: You promise to all who trust your forgiveness of sins and fullness of grace, courage in the struggle for justice and peace, your presence in trial and rejoicing, and eternal life in your realm which has no end.

Many: Blessing, honor, and glory be on to You.

Choral Response Tribe of Judah

**Blessing, glory and honor
Glory and honor to your name
Glory and honor to your name**

Lift up the name of Jesus

**Lift up our hearts to you in praise
For there is power in your name
Your Name is Jesus**

**Blessing, glory and honor
Glory and honor to your name
Glory and honor to your name**

**Lift up the name of Jesus
Lift up our hearts to you in praise
For there is power in your name
Your Name is Jesus**

**Your Name is Jesus
Jesus, Jesus
Jesus My Lord**

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Waltrina Middleton

Collegium on Deck W. Mark Clark

Passing of the Peace Tyler Cochran

We have gathered from all corners of this land here for this moment in time to IMAGINE, to grow to love and be loved; to honor each other and to praise God. To have "Faith in..." In the midst of the overflowing joy of our gathering, lets us offer each other an extravagant welcome by offering that which Jesus Christ brings...PEACE!

Come Let us Sing

Come and let us sing
Come and let us sing
Come and let us sing
To the King of Kings

Come and let us shout
Come and let us shout
Come and let us shout
To the Lord our God

Come and let us dance
Come and let us dance
Come and let us dance
Lift up holy hands

Youth Keynote Carissa Yinmed

Prayer Marah Schlingensiepen

Almighty God,

We give you thanks together this evening. We gather together in unity, from all different places and walks of life, praising your name. We ask for your blessings this week as we get to know our brothers and sisters here at NYE, as we serve the world together, as we reaffirm our faith, and as we become more aware of your mercies. Let us grow together this week, and help us to worship you with everlasting song and praise. Make us stewards of your great bounty, O Lord, as we unite from all over the world this week. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns forever,

Amen

Scripture Jennifer Dennis

The book of psalms calls us to:

Make a joyful noise unto God, all the earth.

Worship the Eternal with gladness;

come into God's presence with singing.

Know that the Creator is God.

It is God that made us, and we are God's;

we are God's people, and the sheep of God's pasture.

Enter God's gates with thanksgiving,

and God's courts with praise.

Give thanks to the Eternal, bless God's name.

For the Almighty is good;

God's steadfast love endures for ever,

and God's faithfulness to all generations.

Our Judeo-Christian heritage gives us the Book of Psalms that, for countless generations, has been used to praise God. Tonight we have acknowledged our history with Psalm 100 but we also look to our "today." Our holy songs reflect the diversity of our world. In the spirit of our beautiful variations let's take a moment now to experience a little Holy...Hip Hop!

Gift of Music J Kwest: *Batman & Batman, Get Down*

Keynote MK Asante

Closing Prayer Rev. Waltrina Middleton

Divine Wisdom that surrounds us, You have brought us here to Imagine, to Serve, to be Strengthened, to see our faith Renewed. Be with us as we make ourselves open to the whimsical workings of your Spirit. Walk, run, play, sing, dance with us as we imagine a world where health is not a premium; a world where all people are honored as an image of You; a world where we know we all are one. We pray in the name of the one who came to teach us how to love and be loved.

Benediction W. Mark Clark

Sending Music J Kwest: *Crazy Streets*

Postlude Tribe of Judah: *You're Welcome Here*

Music

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Day 2

July 11, 2012

An Imagine Moment

THE SPARK OF CREATION

Luke 17:19
Isaiah 40:28

“Rise and go. Your faith has made you well.” Luke 17:19 From the Supreme Court’s recent decision on President Barack H. Obama’s health care plan to the debate over the legality of abortion, our health has been used as a token of politics like never before.

While an epidemic of obesity sweeps the nation and toxins seep into the water we drink, it may seem as if being able to take true responsibility for our health is simply a lost cause. God may not instantly make us a healthy weight or end the arguments over the government’s role in health care, but the spark of creation inside each of us has the power to make a difference and help create a healthy world. Michelle Obama’s Let’s Move campaign and the locally-grown food movement are only two examples of how we can harness God’s creation and use it to bring our bodies and our planet back to health. In addition, the UCC provides several health, wholeness, advocacy and environmental justice resources to help us build a healthier world today.

Centering Moment

“Have you not known? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. [God] does not faint or grow weary; [God’s] understanding is unsearchable. [God] gives power to the faint, and strengthens the powerless. (Isaiah 40:28)

Youth In Action

Imagine what a difference the youth here today could make if we each commit ourselves to making changes at home! We have the power to take back our bodies and planet, and to make them healthy once more. Rise and go! Our faith can make us well.

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Wednesday Plenary Imagine a Healthy World

9:45 AM - 11:00 AM Morning Plenary with Youth Keynote Zach Komes and the UCC Environmental Ministry partners Elliott Hall

Gathering Music Tribe of Judah

Call to Worship K’lla Encabo

Response *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You*

One: In wisdom you made them all, the earth is full of your creations. You made the sea, wide and deep, teeming with creatures beyond number - living things both large and small

Many: **Joyful, joyful, we adore you, God of glory, God of love; Hearts unfold like flowers before you, opening to the sun above.**

One: You put gushing springs into dry riverbeds. They flow between mountains providing water for every wild animal. By the streams the birds of the air create their homes; they sing among the branches.

Many: **Joyful, joyful, we adore you, God of glory, God of love; Hearts unfold like flowers before you, opening to the sun above.**

One: You make grass grow for cattle; You make plants for human farming in order to get food from the ground, and wine,

which cheers people’s hearts, and oil, which makes the face shine, and bread, which sustains the human heart.

Many: **Joyful, joyful, we adore you, God of glory, God of love; Hearts unfold like flowers before you, opening to the sun above.**

One: You stretch out the heavens like a tent, you make the winds your messengers, fire and flame your ministers. You established the earth on its foundations so that it will never ever fall!

Opening Hymn Tribe of Judah

In the Sanctuary SPP #103
We lift our hands in the sanctuary,
We lift our hands to give you the glory,
We lift our hands to give you praise,
And we will praise you for the rest of my days, yes,
We will praise you for the rest of our days.
We clap our hands in the sanctuary,
We clap our hands to give you the glory,
We clap our hands to give you praise,

And w will praise your for the rest of my days, yes,
We will praise you for the rest of our days.

We sing our hands in the sanctuary,
We sing our hands to give you the glory,
We sing our hands to give you praise,
And w will praise your for the rest of my days, yes,
We will praise you for the rest of our days.

Prayer Youth Speakers
Ute prayer

One: God, who created this vibrant planet we call home,
has given the Earth lessons to share with us:

Many: Earth teach me stillness

One: as the grasses are stilled with light.

Many: Earth teach me suffering

One: as old stones suffer with memory.

Many: Earth teach me humility

One: as blossoms are humble with beginning.

Many: Earth teach me caring

One: as the mother who secures her young.

Many: Earth teach me courage

One: as the tree which stands all alone.

Many: Earth teach me freedom

One: as the eagle which soars in the sky.

Many: Earth teach me resignation

One: as the leaves which die in the fall.

Many: Earth teach me regeneration

One: as the seed which rises in the spring.

Many: Earth teach me to forget myself

One: as melted snow forgets its life.

Many: Earth teach me to remember kindness

One: as dry fields weep with rain.

Many: Amen.

Virtual Candlelight Vigil

The world is not as God created it to be. As stewards of the planet, we have not lived up to our end of the promise. Today we engage in a virtual Candlelight vigil for a new Genesis...a rebirth of consciousness for the wellbeing of our world. To do so, please log on to gratefulness.org/candles...proceed by clicking "search" on the tab at the top of the page...enter NYE12 in the Group Search Box...now select a candle and you will be guided through the rest of the process...remember...our candles today are for a healthy world.

Announcements Rev. Waltrina Middleton

Collegium On Deck 2 Rev. Linda Jaramillo

Youth Keynote Zach Komes

Gift of Music Moriah Johnson:*Spoken Word*
Tribe of Judah

Ise Oluwa
Nitanju Bolade Casel
Yoruba People-Nigeria Africa
Translation: God's work will never be destroyed
Ise Oluwa, Kole Baje O
Ise Oluwa, Kole Baje O
Kole Baje O
Kole Baje O
Ise Oluwa, Kole Baje

Ecological Justice Presentation

Moderated Q&A Mari Castellanos & Jim Demming

Blessing of the Service Projects Rev. Mary Schuller Blaufuss
Rev. Linda Jaramillo

Commissioning Rev. Linda Jaramillo

Postlude Tribe of Judah
Earth Song

Music

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Wednesday Worship **Imagine a Healthy World**

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Evening Worship with Vy Higginsen/Gospel for Teens and Lolisa Gibson from the Greater Than AIDS Project Elliott Hall

Gathering Music Tribe of Judah

Call to Worship Tyler Cochran & Jennifer Dennis

Leader: Respond by repeating the gesture expressed by Tyler on center stage.

One: Tai Chi is a deliberate dance, both solitary and in tandem.

Many: [response with guided movement]

One: It is a chorus sung with body instead of voice.

Many: [response with guided movement]

One: You are rooted to the floor, yet bending in invisible wind.

Many: [response with guided movement]

One: Begun with a mind full, you end mindful:

Many: [response with guided movement]

One: self

Many: [response with gesture indicating self]

One: moment

Many: [response with gesture acknowledging moment]

One: movement

Many: [response with gesture expressing movement]

One: calm

Many: [respond by sitting]

A Time for Centering Jennifer Dennis

Be silent...Be still...Empty before your God. Say nothing. Ask nothing. Be silent. Be still. Let your God look upon you. That is all. God knows. God understands. God loves you with an enormous love, and only wants to look upon you with that love. Quiet. Still. Be. Let your God love you.

Opening Song

I Give Myself Away

I give myself away I give myself away
I give myself away I give myself away
So you can use me. So you can use me.

Scripture Tyler Cochran & Jennifer Dennis
1Cor12: 12-26

Reader 1: Our bodies have many parts, but the many parts make up only one body when they are put together.

Reader 2: Yes, the body has many parts, not just one.

Reader 1: If the foot says, "I am not part of the body because I am not a hand," that does not make it any less a part of the body.

Reader 2: And what would you think if you heard an ear say, "I am not part of the body because I am only an ear, and not an eye," would that make it any less a part of the body?

Reader 1: Suppose the whole body were an eye-

Reader 2: then how would you hear?

Reader 1: Or if you whole body were just one big ear,

Reader 2: then how could you smell anything?

Reader 1: But that isn't the way God has made us. God has made many parts for our bodies and has put each

part just where God wants it. What a strange thing a body would be if it had only one part!

Reader 2: So God has made many parts, but still there is only one body.

Reader 1: The eye can never say to the hand, "I don't need you."

Reader 2: The head can't say to the feet, "I don't need you."

Reader 1: And some of the parts that seem weakest and least important are really the most necessary.

Reader 2: Yes, we are especially glad to have some parts that seem rather odd! And we carefully protect from the eyes of others those parts that should not be seen, while of course the parts that may be seen do not require this special care.

Reader 1: So God has put the body together in such a way that extra honor and care are given to those parts that might otherwise seem less important.

Reader 2: This makes for happiness among the parts, so that the parts have the same care for each other that they do for themselves.

Reader 1: If one part suffers, all parts suffer with it, and if one part is honored, all the parts are glad.

Readers: Friends, God is still speaking!

Many: **Thanks be to God!**

Gift of Music Tribe of Judah
Vy Higginsen / Gospel for Teens

*Keeps On Making a Way
The Storm Is Passing Over
Joshua Fit The Battle Of Jericho*

Speaker Lolisa Gibson

I Am the Vision [Video]

Response: **I am the body...we are the body!
I am the vision...we are the vision!**

Benediction Rev. Elizabeth Leung

God be with you as you discover the needs of the world around you...
God be with you as you share the needs you discover...
God be with you as, together, you imagine a healthier world...
God be with you as you ...dance as if no one is watching...

Response in Movement Kathy Houston

Postlude Tribe of Judah
Heal the Land

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Day 3

July 12, 2012

An Imagine Moment

WHY DO DIFFERENCES MATTER?
Matthew 22:39

A world where differences are embraced—how nice that would be. Matthew 22:39 is one of numerous places in the bible where Jesus talks about loving your neighbor and welcoming all. It reads, "...love your neighbor as yourself." Jesus was always ministering to those that were different and those considered outsiders. He broke all the norms by welcoming all to worship. So, why can't we do the same?

Whether it is a person with a physical disability, someone of a different race, or someone of a different sexual orientation, no one should be excluded or made to feel less. All of these differences should be embraced and welcomed. So, why can't everywhere else be like this? Many times when we see someone who is different than us, we tend to shy away. Instead, we should embrace our differences.

CENTERING PRAYER

Lord, help us to treat others the way Jesus taught us, to accept those who are different and those who others cast out. Let us be a guide for others on how we should accept everyone no matter what.

YOUTH IN ACTION

Think about the places you frequent often— school, work or church. Do you welcome those who others may consider different or outcasts? Or do you keep your distance and stay in your comfort zone? The next time there is someone different than you, try to embrace those differences. What you may learn could surprise you.

Jennifer Dennis, Penn Central Conference
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Thursday Plenary Imagine a World Where Differences are Embraced

9:45 AM - 11:00 AM Morning Plenary with JR Martinez presented by the Cornerstone Fund and United Church Funds. Elliott Hall

Gathering Music Tribe of Judah

Call to Worship Katie Pickens, Missionary, Haiti

One: In the beginning,
Before time, before people,
before the world began

Many: God was.

One: Here and now
Among us, beside us,
Enlisting the people of earth
For the purposes of heaven,

Many: God is.

One: In the future,
When we have all turned to dust
And all we know has found fulfillment,

Many: God will be.

One: Not denying the world, but delighting in it,
Not condemning the world, but redeeming it,
Through Jesus Christ,
By the power of the Holy Spirit,

Many: **God was,
God is,
God will be.**

A Time for Praise and Worship Tribe of Judah

Welcome Into This Place SPP 40
Welcome into this place.
Welcome into this broken vessel.
You desire to abide in the praises of your people,
So we lift our hands and we lift our hearts
As we offer up this praise unto your name.

The Jesus in me loves the Jesus in you,
The Jesus in me loves the Jesus in you,
So easy, so easy, so easy
So easy to love.

The Jesus In Me SPP 185
The Jesus In Me
Loves the Jesus In You
The Jesus In Me
Loves the Jesus In You

Makes it Easy
Makes it Easy
Makes it Easy
To Spread the love

Community Digital Prayer Lynnea Morse, Missionary, China

Song Tribe of Judah
Be Blessed

Lord's Prayer Tom & Monica Liddle, Missionaries, East Timor

Side 1	Side 2
Our Father	Our Mother
Who art in heaven	Who are in all the earth
Hallowed be thy name	Holy is your truth
Thy kingdom come	May your wisdom come
Thy will be done, on earth	Your circle be one uniting
As it is in heaven	heaven and earth
Give us this day An Imagine Moment	Give us today a nurturing spirit
And forgive us our debts	Heal through us as we
As we forgive our debtors	ourselves are healed
Lead us not into temptation	Lead us into fullness of life
But deliver us from evil	And liberate all that is good
For thine is the kingdom	For the Wisdom, Presence
The power and the glory	and the Goodness are Yours

All: Now and Forever. Amen

Announcements Rev. Waltrina Middleton

Collegium On Deck 3 Rev. Dr. James Moos

Introduction of International Guests Rev. Dr. James Moos

Scripture Manelisi Victor Nhliziyo, Global Partner, Zimbabwe

My dear friends, don't let public opinion influence how you live out our glorious, Christ-originated faith. If a man enters your church wearing an expensive suit, and a street person wearing rags comes in right after him, and you say to the man in the suit, "Sit here, sir; this is the best seat in the house!" and either ignore the street person or say, "Better sit here in the back row," haven't you segregated God's children and proved that you are judges who can't be trusted?

Listen, dear friends. Isn't it clear by now that God operates quite differently? The Divine chose the world's down-and-out as the kingdom's first citizens, with full rights and privileges. This kingdom is promised to anyone who loves God. And here you are abusing these same citizens! Isn't it the high and mighty who exploit you, who use the courts to rob you blind? Aren't they the ones who scorn the new name—"Christian"—used in your baptisms? You do well when you complete the Royal Rule of the Scriptures: "Love others as you love yourself."

Friends God is still speaking!

Response to Scripture Tribe of Judah

Koinonia SPP 146
How can I say, that I love the Lord
Whom I've never ever, seen before
And forget to say, that I love the one
Whom I walk beside, each and every day
How can I look, upon your face
And ignore God's love, you I must embrace
You're my brother
You're my sister
And I love you with the love of my Lord
My Lord...

Keynote JR Martinez

Commissioning Rev. James Moos

Postlude Tribe of Judah
I Need You To Survive SPP 184

Music

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Scripture

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Thursday Worship **Imagine a World Where Differences are Embraced**

7:00 PM - 8:15 PM Evening Worship with Youth Keynote Diego Torres, Marcia McFee, and All Strings Jam Session Elliott Hall

Gathering Music Tribe of Judah

Call to Worship Pacific Northwest Conference Youth

Bullied: ...I wanted more than anything to sit next to you on the school bus, but because I'm smart...

Bully: ...I called you a nerd, a geek, and made you feel like an outcast...

Community: ...and we hurt.

Bullied: ...I wanted more than anything to be on your team, but because I'm heavy...

Bully: ...I called you fat, and lazy, and I humiliated you...

Community: ...and we hurt.

Bullied: ...I wanted more than anything to stand up for you, but because I'm small...

Bully: ...I called you a twerp, and pushed you around, and tripped you in the hall at school...

Community: ...and we hurt.

Bullied: ...I wanted more than anything to sit with you at lunch, but you took one look at my scarred body...

Bully: ...and I called you a monster, and a freak without understanding your battle to simply be alive...

Community: ...and we hurt.

Bullied: ...I wanted more than anything to hang out with you but because I wear the same tattered clothes to school everyday...

Bully: ...I called you a hobo, a bum without recognizing what your family is going through...

Community: ...and we hurt.

Bullied: ...I wanted more than anything to be your friend, but because I'm gay...

Bully: ...I called you queer, a sissy...butch...

Community: ...and we hurt.
We gather in the spirit of healing and compassion that calls us to love one another.

Speaker: God's spirit calls us to be set apart and be a light onto the world.
God's spirit calls us in compassionate love.
God's spirit calls us to love one another as we love ourselves.

Community: Let's celebrate the richness and diversity of life in the presence of the spirit of God.

Song Tribe of Judah

The Jesus In Me SPP 185
The Jesus in me loves the Jesus in you,
The Jesus in me loves the Jesus in you,
Makes it easy, makes it easy
Makes it easy to spread the love.

Scripture Corey Tanaka Gal 3:23-29 (adapted)

Before faith came,
we were imprisoned
guarded under the law
until faith was revealed.

The law was our guide
until Christ came so that we might be justified
By faith.

We are God's children because of our faith in Christ Jesus.

When we were baptized, we put on Christ
Like we put on new clothes.

Faith in Christ Jesus makes each of us equal with each other.
In Christ, we are no longer
Male or Female
Native or Immigrant
Gay or Straight
Rich or Poor.

Because we belong to Christ,
We are part of Abraham's family.
We will be given what God has promised.

Friends, God is still speaking...

Prayer Noah Wexler and Emily Roles-Fotso

Open My Eyes / Abre mis ojos SPP 161
One: Lets us be in the spirit of prayer...

Many: Open my eyes Lord, help me to see your face. Open my eyes Lord, help me to see.

One: Creator, with one gesture you set the universe in motion, unleashing a kaleidoscope of life...ever changing...ever varied. Make us attentive to the nuances in the creative movement in your world.

Many: Open my eyes Lord, help me to see your face. Open my eyes Lord, help me to see.

One: Divine Spirit, we pray you continue to unite our hearts, heads and hands as we work to bring about a world of justice, peace, compassion, love and inclusion.

Many: Abre mis ojos, que quiero ver como tu. Abre mis ojos ayudame a ver.

One: Mother, Father, enable us to see that your love has no borders and doesn't come with height or weight requirements, that your embrace is for all regardless of whom they love.

Many: Open my eyes Lord, help me to see your face. Open my eyes Lord, help me to see.

One: Open our eyes, God, that we may recognize the Divine in all people regardless of who they are, where they come from or where their individual dreams may take them.

Many: Abre mis ojos, que quiero ver como tu. Abre mis ojos ayudame a ver.

One: Source Of All, allow us to dare to be the people who reveal You to those who have never seen You; to dare to be the people who love all who have never felt loved. Allow us to dare to welcome all who have never felt welcome.

Many: Open my eyes Lord, help me to see your face. Open my eyes Lord, help me to see.

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You do not have to be good.
You do not have to walk on your knees
For a hundred miles through the desert, repenting.
You only have to let the soft animal of your body
love what it loves.
Meanwhile the world goes on.
Meanwhile the sun and the clear pebbles of the rain
are moving across the landscapes,
over the prairies and the deep trees,
the mountains and the rivers.
Meanwhile the wild geese, high in the clean blue air,
are heading home again.
Whoever you are, no matter how lonely,
the world offers itself to your imagination,
calls to you like the wild geese, harsh and exciting --
over and over announcing your place
in the family of things.
Go in peace. Amen

Postlude Tribe of Judah
Imagine Me

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Day 4

July 13, 2012

An Imagine Moment

ALL FOR ONE
John 17:21

One Church. In John 17:21, Jesus prays, "...that all may be one..." I'm sure all of you are familiar with this phrase as it is the United Church of Christ's bold mantra. Jesus is imagining a beloved community and unity of all persons – one in God.

We are all connected through Jesus and through the wider or universal church. We may each go to our individual churches, synagogues, mosques or sacred spaces, but we are all one body with God. Reflect on all of those who gathered at National Youth Event from all walks of life and from across the world. We are all here forming one church. We are all here for the same reason, to be one with God.

CENTERING PRAYER

Lord, help us to know you and to be a part of you. Help us to be one church in you and fulfill your imaginative hope that all may be one. Let us share this hope with others we meet and demonstrate your love toward all.

YOUTH IN ACTION

Go back to your local settings—no matter where you are from and even if you don't have a church home. Is your faith community a part of something bigger? Are you connected to more than those you see every Sunday morning or throughout the week? Don't be afraid to reach out to those who feel disconnected or if you feel disconnected as well. How can you be a part of the wider church? Take action by connecting to a larger community and world.

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Friday Plenary Imagine One Church

9:45 AM - 11:00 AM "Twitter Town Hall" with Rev. Geoffrey Black, UCC General Minister and President and Youth Keynote Miah Yager. Elliott Hall

Gathering Music Tribe of Judah

Call to Worship Marah Schlingensiepen

One: God has done a new thing!
All: We can feel it!
 One: It has sprung forth!
All: We can feel it!
 One: God has made a way in the wilderness!
All: We can feel it!
 One: God has made rivers in the desert!
All: We can feel it! We can feel it! We can feel it!

Song Tribe of Judah
Bless The Lord

Prayer Hannah Hyatt

One: Loving Creator,
 Rejoicing in the time we have spent together,
 Trusting in Your care for all of your creation without exceptions,

We bring our prayers to You.

Many: Your kin-dom come, O God, your will be done.

One: We pray for the world around us:
 For those who rebuild where things have been destroyed;
 For those who fight hunger, poverty, and disease;
 For those who have power to bring change for the better
 and renew hope.
 In the life of our world...

Many: Your kin-dom come, O God, your will be done.

One: We pray for our country:
 For those who frame our laws and shape our common life;
 For those who keep the peace and administer justice;
 For those who teach, those who heal and all who serve the
 community.
 In the life of our land...

Many: Your kin-dom come, O God, your will be done.

One: We pray for people in need:
 Those for whom life is a bitter struggle;
 Those whose lives are clouded by death or loss, by pain or
 disability,
 By discouragement or fear, by shame or rejection

In the lives of those in need...

Many: **Your kin-dom come, O God, your will be done.**

One: We pray for those in the circle of friendship and love around us: Children and parents; sisters and brothers; friends and neighbors; And for those especially in our thoughts today. In the lives of those we love...

Many: **Your kin-dom come, O God, your will be done.**

One: We pray for the church In its stand with the poor, In its love for the outcast and the ashamed, In its service to the sick and neglected, In its proclamation of the gospel, In this land, in this place. In the life of Your church...

Many: **Your kin-dom come, O God, your will be done.**

One: Almighty and everlasting God, We thank you that you have brought us safely to the beginning of this new day. Order us in all our doings and guide us to do always that is righteous in your sight. Through Jesus Christ, the embodiment of your love.

Congregational Response **AMEN!**

Friday Worship **Imagine One Church**

7:00 PM - 8:15 PM Closing Worship, Communion and Commissioning at Slayter Hill (Bring a blanket for outdoor seating)

Rain Location: Elliott Hall of Music

Gathering Music Tribe of Judah

Faith In... W. Mark Clark

Creating Sacred Space Tribe of Judah
When Jacob Awoke

Scripture Emily Roles-Fotso

**When Jacob awoke with the sky up above,
And his head on a stone he said,
“Surely the Holy One is here in this place
And I just didn’t know it till now.
This is none other than the house of God
And this is the gate of heaven, the gate of heaven.”**

Jacob left Beer-sheba and went towards Haran. He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it.

**When Jacob awoke with the sky up above,
And his head on a stone he said,
“Surely the Holy One is here in this place
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This is none other than the house of God
And this is the gate of heaven, the gate of heaven.”**

And the Lord stood beside him and said, ‘I am the Lord, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring.

When Jacob awoke with the sky up above,

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We Are One

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**And his head on a stone he said,
“Surely the Holy One is here in this place
And I just didn’t know it till now.
This is none other than the house of God
And this is the gate of heaven, the gate of heaven.”**

Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.’ Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, ‘Surely the Lord is in this place—and I did not know it!’ And he was afraid, and said, ‘How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.’

**When Jacob awoke with the sky up above,
And his head on a stone he said,
“Surely the Holy One is here in this place
And I just didn’t know it till now.
This is none other than the house of God
And this is the gate of heaven, the gate of heaven.”**

Invocation Casey Liston and Nevan Strobelt-McCann

Call to Prayer *Ezan – Muslim Call to Prayer*

Community Prayers Tribe of Judah

More than We Can Ask SPP 81
More than we can ask,
More than we can ask,
More than we can ask or imagine.

Amen.

Gift of Music *Iao UCC Youth, Wailuku, Maui*

*Ua Mau – Hosana
My Peace*

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Hymn
Dakota Odowaŋ
Come to Jesus. Calling you now
Jesus calling, come now.
Think on it, come now.
Believe his voice, come now.
He won't leave you, come now.
Jesus is able, come now.
Sing about it, come now.
Halleluya, amen.

One Drum: A Percussion & Spoken Word Cipher
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Consecration of the Elements

People: **Take, Thank, Share:**
Take, Thank, Share:
Take, Thank, Share:

Distribution of Elements Tribe of Judah
I Give Myself Away
Breathe

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Benedictions NYE Youth
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