



Peace United Church of Christ
Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 27, 2026

Welcome

Opening Hymn “God, Whose Almighty Word”

God, whose almighty word Chaos and darkness heard
And took their flight:
Hear us, we humble pray, And where the Gospel day
Sheds not its glorious ray, Let there be light!

Spirit of truth and love, Life giving, holy dove,
Speed forth your flight;
Move on the water's face, Bearing the lamp of grace,
And in earth's darkest place Let there be light!

Prayer of Invocation (praying together)

*As we gather together on this Sabbath day, God,
we are grateful for the witness of generations past
who have made your deeds and wonders known.*

*You have provided freedom and covenant,
a land in which to live,
and a law that calls for mutual love and respect.
Help us to care for one another, keeping us ever in your sight
through Jesus, the One in whom you find joy. Amen*

Scripture Readings

Philippians 2: 1-13

Matthew 21: 23-32

Meditation

Prayers of the People/The Prayer of Our Savior (debts and debtors)

Closing Hymn “Breathe On Me, Breath of God”

Breathe on me, breath of God, Fill me with life anew, That I may love what Thou dost love,
And do what Thou wouldst do.

Breathe on me, breath of God, So shall I never die, But live with Thee the perfect life Of Thine
eternity.

Benediction & Blessing