



Peace United Church of Christ
Worship Resources for the Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
Celebrating Scuba VBS
July 20 , 2025

Welcome

Opening Hymn “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee, God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee, opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away;
Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day!

All Thy works with joy surround Thee, earth and heaven reflect Thy rays,
Stars and angels sing around Thee, center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea,
Singing bird and flowing fountain call us to rejoice in Thee.

Prayer of Invocation

*God, what a wonderful week of learning and laughing
we have had, creating and deepening the ties that bind us
to each other and to Jesus! What a friend we have in Jesus;
through him, we are able to come closer to you, receiving all that you offer,
and presenting our words and works to your glory.
We are grateful for the opportunity to dive in, get our feet wet,
and make a splash in the lives of each “diver.” Amen*

Scripture Readings

Hosea 1: 2-10

Luke 11: 1-13

Meditation

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

Closing Song “Blessed Be the Tie That Binds”

Blest be the tie that binds
Our hearts in Christian love;
The fellowship of kindred minds
Is like to that above.

From sorrow, toil and pain,
And sin, we shall be free,
And perfect love and friendship reign
Through all eternity.

Benediction & Sending Forth