



**Peace United Church of Christ
Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost
August 23, 2026**

Welcome

Opening Hymn “Holy God, We Praise Thy Name”

Holy God, we praise Thy Name; Lord of all, we bow before Thee!
All on earth Thy scepter claim, All in Heaven above adore Thee;
Infinite Thy vast domain, Everlasting is Thy reign.

Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit, Three we name Thee;
While in essence only One, Undivided God we claim Thee;
And adoring bend the knee, While we own the mystery.

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

*O God of the covenant,
we are grateful for the opportunity to be in your presence.
We come to this time and place for many different reasons,
looking for many different things from the experience of worship.
Help us to celebrate your steadfastness, helping us always
to walk in your ways. Amen*

Scripture Readings

Romans 12: 1-8

Meditation

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

Closing Song “Lamp of Our Feet”

Lamp of our feet! whereby we trace
Our path, when wont to stray;
Stream from the fount of heav'nly grace!
Brook by the traveler's way!

Pillar of fire— through watches dark!
Or radiant cloud by day!
When waves would whelm our tossing bark—
Our anchor and our stay!

Benediction & Sending Forth