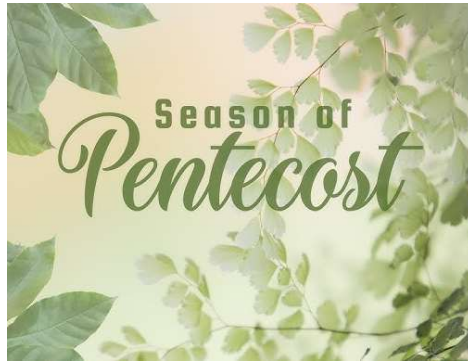


Peace United Church of Christ



Worship Resources for the Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost September 24, 2023

Welcome

Opening Hymn "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah, Pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but Thou art mighty; Hold me with Thy pow'rful hand.
Bread of Heaven, Bread of Heaven, Feed me till I want no more;
Feed me till I want no more.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of deaths, and hell's destruction, Land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises, songs of praises, I will ever give to Thee;
I will ever give to Thee.

Prayer of Invocation

*Steadfast are you, O God, for you have never left your people.
Hopeful are you, O God, for you have provided for the future of your world.
As we offer our prayers today,
may we do so mindful of all that you are,
and all that you want for us.
Keep us steadfast and hopeful as we live and serve.
In the name of Christ we pray. Amen*

Scripture Reading Exodus 16: 2-15 Matthew 20: 1-16

Meditation

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

Closing Hymn “Rock of Ages”

Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in Thee; Let the water and the blood, From Thy wounded side which flowed, Be of sin the double cure; Save from wrath and make me pure.

Not the labor of my hands Can fulfill Thy law's demands; Could my zeal no respite know, Could my tears forever flow, All for sin could not atone; Thou must save, and Thou alone.

Benediction & Sending Forth