

Peace United Church of Christ Worship Resources for the Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost October 26, 2025 Observance of Totenfest/Reformation

Welcome

Opening Hymn "For All the Saints"

For all the saints, who from their labors rest, Who Thee by faith before the world confessed, Thy Name, O Jesus, be forever blessed. Alleluia, Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast, Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host, And singing to Father, Son and Holy Ghost: Alleluia, Alleluia!

Prayer of Invocation

For the gift of life, we give you thanks, O God.
In Christ, we know the promise of eternity with you,
and the invitation to share in the work of building the Realm
around and among all your people.
Be with us as we remember today,
and daily as we seek fullness of life for all her and now. Amen

Scripture Readings Joel 2: 23-32 Luke 18: 9-14

Meditation

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

Closing Hymn "The Church's One Foundation"

The Church's one foundation Is Jesus Christ her Lord, She is His new creation By water and the Word. From heav'n He came and sought her To be His holy bride; With His own blood He bought her And for her life He died

'Mid toil and tribulation, And tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation Of peace forevermore;
Till, with the vision glorious, Her longing eyes are blest,
And the great Church victorious Shall be the Church at rest.

Benediction & Sending Forth

