The Congregational Church of Hollis, UCC

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Four Pillars of Our Mission: Welcome, Worship, Learn, Serve

Summer Service June 29, 2025, 9:30 a.m. All Members of the Church, Ministers Traci Weaver, Worship Leader (Services are being recorded)

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PRELUDE

GOD'S LIGHT AND WORD PRECEDE OUR WORSHIP

DEACON

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENT

TRACI WEAVER

Please take a moment to review the announcements in your bulletin. (Worship Leader should highlight any appropriate announcements, invite others to speak.)

CALL TO WORSHIP DEACON

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

DEACON & CONGREGATION

We come before you, O God, and wait for the kindling flame of your Holy Spirit, calling us into fuller and richer lives. You have blessed us by the night's rest and by morning's light. Open us to your claim on us. Show us your way. Let us live in the spirit of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

* HYMN

Come to me, O Weary Traveler

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* PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

TRACI WEAVER

The peace of the risen God be with you.

And also with you.

READING(S) FROM SCRIPTURE

DEACON

1 Chronicles 28:20 (Page: 336)

1 Corinthians 15:58 (Page: 937)

Hear God's word to us for today, from the ancient words of Holy Scripture. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

"Courage to be Bold"

TRACI WEAVER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

DEACON & CONGREGATION

Prayer List: Nancy Bell, Dick & Nancy Birch, Don & Ginny Brooks, Shirley Coleman, Margaret Cuddeback, Louise Demontigny, Susan Gorham, Robin Hills, Drew Mason, Don & Judy McCoy, Nancy Phillips, Dick & Doris Rafferty, Lorna Rupert, Jan Travasos, Susan Vautin, Bill & Dee Wagner.

Let us pray.

Let us pray for those who weep and for those who cause their weeping;

Hear our prayer, O God. [brief silence]

For those who are without food, clothes, and a place of shelter;

Hear our prayer, O God. [brief silence]

For those who live without hope and meaning;

Hear our prayer, O God. [brief silence]

For those who live as the objects of the whims of others;

Hear our prayer, O God. [brief silence]

For those who are fooling themselves;

Hear our prayer, O God. [brief silence]

For those who live with wars and rumours of wars;

Hear our prayer, O God. [brief silence]

For those who distort the good news of the gospel;

Hear our prayer, O God. [brief silence]

For those who make gods of things and of themselves;

Hear our prayer, O God. [brief silence]

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

INVITATION TO SHARE FROM OUR ABUNDANCE

TRACI WEAVER

OFFERINGS AND PLEDGES-SHARING GOD'S GIFTS TO STRENGTHEN OUR WORLD To initiate online giving, go to https://hollischurch.org/donations/



OFFERTORY

ORGANIST/ACCOMPANIST

DOXOLOGY

#45

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures here below.
Praise God for all that love has done;
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

TRACI WEAVER

* HYMN

Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak

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* OUR COMMON COMMISSION

Let us now go forth into the world in peace, being of good courage, holding fast to that which is good, rendering to no one evil for evil, strengthening the faint-hearted, supporting the weak, helping the afflicted, honoring all persons, loving and serving the Lord, and rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

* BENEDICTION TRACI WEAVER

* THREE-FOLD AMEN

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POSTLUDE

* Please stand if you are able.

Announcements

Rev. Tanya on Vacation

We would like to let you know that Rev. Tanya will be on vacation from June 11 through July 11, 2025. During this time, we are grateful to have the following pastors and leaders providing pastoral care and leading our worship services:

Worship Services:

Pastoral Care Coverage:

June 11 – June 26: Rev. Catherine Merrill
June 29: Traci Weaver
June 27 – July 11: Rev. Judy Bryant
July 6: John Pfiefer

Guest Preacher & Worship Leader - Traci Weaver Sunday, June 29th,

We are pleased to welcome **Traci Weaver** to the pulpit to lead our worship service and share her message titled "**Courage to Be Bold.**" Traci is a dedicated and compassionate member of our church community, as well as a dual-licensed clinician in Substance Use and Mental Health. Her professional journey spans the software industry, community recovery work, and spiritual care bringing together a rare blend of insight, empathy, and strength.

Food for Fellowship - Volunteers Needed for July & August

We are looking for volunteers to help provide food for our Sunday Fellowship Hour throughout **July and August.**

You can contribute by:

Donating prepared or baked goods

Freezing items in advance to be used on upcoming Sundays

Signing up to bring food on specific dates

Sign-up sheets are available throughout the church, or contact the office if you'd like to get involved.

Mission Trip Ministry Meeting Monday, June 3, 6:30 PM, Hardy Hall

The Mission Trip Ministry will be meeting next Monday evening to discuss upcoming plans and opportunities for service. All are welcome to attend!

Caring Cooks – Support for the Demotigny and Mason Families

We are currently seeking volunteers to join our Caring Cooks outreach as we support the Demotigny and Mason families through a challenging time.

Providing a warm meal is a simple yet powerful way to show love and care within our church family. If you're able to cook, bake, or deliver a meal, we welcome your help.

Sign-up opportunities are available now – your contribution can make a meaningful difference.

Check your emails for the sign up genius link

For more information or to get involved, please contact the church office.