



United Methodist Church of Summit

Come and celebrate God's goodness!

**LOVE
YOUR
NEIGH-
BOR**

May 30, 2021

9:30am In-Person Service

Pastor: Rev. Christina Lelache

Director of Music: JoAnne Teubner Prussak

The United Methodist Church of Summit

17 Kent Place Boulevard, Summit, NJ 07901

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MAY 30 ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Voluntary on the hymn "Materna"

GREETING

Rev. Christina Lelache

CALL TO WORSHIP

Awe-inspiring God, we gather together to praise you for your tender compassion and care of needy people.

Come, all who seek the Lord God, offer your prayers.

Listening God, we gather to revere and honor your supportive concern for people who cry to you for help.

Come, all who seek the Lord God, offer your praise.

People of every nation are called to gather together to worship God, in thankfulness for God's loving mercies.

Come, all who seek the Lord God, offer your worship. Amen.

HYMN

"How Can We Name a Love"

How can we name a Love that wakens heart
and mind.
In dwelling all we know or think or do or seek
or find?
Within our daily world, in every human face,
Love's echoes sound and God is found,
hid in the commonplace.

So in a hundred names, each day we all can
meet
a presence, sense and shown at work, at home,
or in the street.
Yet every name we see, shines in a brighter
sun:
In Christ alone is Love full grown and life and
hope begun.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Christina Lelache

SCRIPTURE

1 Corinthians 13:1-13

SERMON

Be Loving
Rev. Christina Lelache

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION

Voluntary on the hymn "Melita"

HYMN

"The Gift of Love"

Though I may speak with bravest fire,
and have the gift to all inspire,
and have no love, my words are vain,
as sounding brass and hopeless gain.

Though I may give all I possess,
and striving so my love profess,
but not be given by love within,
the profit soon turns strangely thin.

Come, Spirit, come, our hearts control,
our spirits long to be made whole.
Let inward love guide every deed;
by this we worship and are freed.

BENEDICTION

Rev. Christina Lelache

BELL CHOIR

"Go Now in Peace"

POSTLUDE

"Taps"

How Can We Name a Love
Words: Brian Wren, 1973
Music: Adapted by Franklin L. Sheppard, 1915
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The Gift of Love
Words: Hal Hopson, 1972
Music: Adapted by Hal Hopson, 1972
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PRAYER LIST

Family and friends of William Faitoute * Christopher (colon cancer) * Leah Cattano (hospice) * let the joy of the Resurrection be known and heard by all! * Johnny Doran and David (car crash) * Gonella/Erb family * family and friends of Audrey Boise * Adrian Phillips * friends and family of Ruth Saboyna * a peaceful and healthy 2021



If you have a name you would like added to the prayer list,
please contact office@umcsummit.org.



DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Celebrating 2021 Graduates

On Sunday, June 13, we will celebrate all of our 2021 graduates in worship. If you are celebrating someone who is graduating this year, including high school, college, and grad school graduates, please send their names to the church office (office@umcsummit.org) by Wednesday, June 9, including their school and any future plans as well.

In-Person Worship Moving to 10:30am

Beginning June 6, in-person worship will begin at 10:30am. Worship will also be held in the Sanctuary on June 6 and June 13 as we celebrate communion and Pastor Christina's last Sunday with us.

Loaves & Fishes Food Collection

On the first Sunday of each month, we invite you to bring nonperishable food items to worship so that we may feed others! Donations are delivered to "Loaves and Fishes," a vital ministry of care for those in need in Summit, located at St. Teresa's Roman Catholic Church. Not able to join us on the first Sunday of the month? Place your donations in our outdoor donation bin during the first week of the month instead. Thank you for helping to feed others!

Bike/Walk/Take Mass Transit to Worship June 6

In honor of World Environment Day everyone is encouraged to walk or bike or take mass transit or carpool to worship on June 6th. If the worship service is being held indoors please park your bike in the Social Hall adjacent to the wall where the folding chairs are stored. Use this time as a prayerful opportunity to appreciate the beauty of God's creation!

For more information about our ministries, please visit our website at umcsummit.org. You can also reach us at 908-277-1700 or office@umcsummit.org.