

July 23, 2021

UUCOD WEEKLY REMINDER



SERVICES

Worship Service/Sunday Together

July 25, 2021

Empty Lands: The Prequel

Worship Leader: Kevin Brandt

Worship Associate: Jane Zaun

In this sermon Kevin Brandt discusses the 11th Century Papal Encyclical "Terra Nulles," as well as other Encyclicals. The Encyclicals are the chronological predecessor to the Doctrine of Discovery. With Jane's help, he will explore their authorization to enable Christian Leaders to plunder "Empty" lands, and engage in the slave trade. Kevin will discuss the effects of the Encyclicals and their enduring legacy to this day.

COLLECTIONS BASKET

WORSHIP SERVICES MOVE TO ZOOM

**The Sunday Worship Services will be available on Zoom going forward
You can use this same link every Sunday**

Why?

- Facebook has stopped our services several times and there is no way to prevent it. The algorithm scans for any content that is copyrighted and halts the stream, even though we have licensed the material. This is an issue for churches everywhere.
- We get to see each other! In particular, Reverend Ian would love to see our faces on Sundays.

Public versus Private

- We are open and welcoming, and invite the public to attend our Worship Services. You may share the Sunday Worship link with anyone, and we will post it on

Facebook and our website.

- While we encourage you to turn on your camera, you may turn it off if you are uncomfortable.
- Note, the Sunday Together coffee hour is a separate Zoom link and will remain private.

Zoom (live)

- We have greatly restricted the controls for the public Worship Service.
- You will not be able to unmute or share your screen during the service.
- You will be able to chat and post emojis, similar to Facebook Live.

Facebook (for viewing later)

- We will post the Worship Service on Facebook around noon. If Facebook shuts it down, getting it restored can take up to a week.

CALENDAR

Meetings

Sunday Worship Service: Sunday, July 25 @ 10:00 am

Sunday Together: Sunday, July 25 @ 11:00 am - 12:00 pm **Immediately Following
Worship Service**

Super Seniors: Monday, July 26 @ 2:00 – 3:00pm

Monday Meditation: Monday, July 26 @ 5:30 – 6:30 pm **In Person**

Worship Committee: Tuesday, July 27 @ 4:30 – 6:30pm

Lifespan Book Discussion: CASTE: Wednesday, July 28 @ 10:00 – 11:30am

Staying Connected

Coffee & Conversation: Friday @ 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Social BUUterflies Happy Hour: Saturday @ 5:00 - 6:00 pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Plate Collections for July 18th, 2021:
\$520.00

AV UPDATE

We have made good progress on the AV install. The new audio system and the new big screens are ready for use. They sound and look great! Stay tuned for any possible activities during the summer.

September 12th is the target date to have our first hybrid service, including both online and in-person. For the summer, many worship leaders are guest speakers who will record remotely, as will the musicians. The summer production will look largely like it has for the past year.

The audio closet is taking shape. A separate high speed AV network is in place. Steve has pulled

nearly a half mile of cable (!). It is coming together. We will take a bit of a pause with vacations during the summer and then finish the install and start training a few weeks before September 12. We will keep the initial services simple as we practice our new craft and slowly tune the quality and add more capabilities. It's coming together!

NEWS FROM THE CARE TEAM

Friends,

I hope you have gotten your Covid shots. That doesn't mean the rules have totally changed. Wear a mask and/or keep your distance if you are unsure of your environment and continue to wash your hands to be extra safe.

PLEASE reach out if you're not well, need a meal or just want someone with a caring heart to chat with for a while. We're YOUR Care Team. So PLEASE don't be shy. Your well-being is important to us.

Contact: Ros Hoover (info in directory)

July 7-August 7-- ZOOM SCHEDULING

Between July 7 and August 7, 2021 to schedule a zoom time on the Administrator account, please send an email to Jane Zaun, contact information is in the Directory.

Office Administrator Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 10:00 am - 2:30pm

Friday: 9:30 am - 4:00 pm

There are times she may be on errands

Newsletter Deadlines: The deadline for the Newsletter is always Wednesday morning. If you are going to be late, call or email Pam asking to reserve space. The newsletter is on the website by 3 pm, Fridays.

[Newsletter Calendar](#)

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"One is wise to cultivate the tree that bears fruit in our soul." Henry David Thoreau

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