

Scripture

Acts 10:34-43

Children's time**Offering of music***"Come Christians, Join to Sing"**arr. John Carter***Scripture**

John 20:1-18

Hymn #245"The Day of Resurrection"***Sermon**

Rev. Melinda Quellhorst

Call to Prayer*"Ubi caritas"**Taize**Ubi caritas et amor, ubi caritas Deus ibi est.**Live in charity and steadfast love, live in charity; God will dwell with you.***Joys and Concerns/Prayers- both silent and spoken****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. And 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 Gratitude**Offering our Gifts****Offering Music***Pastorale on "This Joyful Eastertide"**Kris Rizzotto****Doxology***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;**Praise Christ all creatures here below;**Praise Holy Spirit, Comforter**One God, Triune, whom we adore. Amen***Communion**

(Gluten free option is the wafer. As the tray is passed to you, please hold it for the person next to you as they take the bread/cup, then pass it to the next person. Please assist your neighbor, if they need help. When you receive the bread and then the juice, please hold it until the Minister indicates to eat and/or drink it, so that we commune together.)

Communion Song #349"I Come with Joy"*

Prayer of dedication

Sharing the elements

***Prayer after Communion**

All: O God, we thank you for uniting us by baptism in the body of Christ and by this meal filling us with joy and hope. Grant that in the days ahead our lips which have sung your praises may speak the truth, our eyes which have seen your love may look with compassion on the needs of the world, our hands which have held this bread and cup may be active in your service. We ask in the name of Jesus Christ, our Risen Savior. Amen

Hymn #230

"Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain"

***Benediction**

Postlude

"Festival Toccata"

Percy Fletcher

Serving You in Church Today

Pastor: Rev. Melinda Quellhorst

Music Director: Jamie Kunselman

Liturgist: Mike English

Media: Dave MacKeigan

Organist: Nichole Fehrman

Stream Events at Dover

~The **worship service** will be live on Sundays at 10:00 a.m. on the Dover Congregational UCC website (<https://www.doverucc.org>) and Facebook page and the recording will be posted immediately after the service.

~Monday thru Friday, the office will be open from 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Please call the office to ensure someone is in to assist you.

~If you have a care or concern you need to discuss, please contact Rev. Quellhorst at revmql@gmail.com or call her on her cell, 330-717-5357.

~During the 10:00 AM service, child care is available for children five years and younger in room 104, on the lower level, Faith Formation for older children.

Large print bulletins and hearing amplifications are available in the back.

SENIOR RECOGNITION

Those graduating from high school, college, post-grad, or a vocational/technical training program will be celebrated on Sunday, June 7th, after the 10:00 AM worship service. Please let Martha Vivona know if you have or know of someone who should be celebrated at this time.

*******COFFEE HOUR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!*******

We are in need of people to sign up to host Coffee Hour after the 10:00 AM worship each Sunday. Dawn Smith is available to answer questions or help out.

~ **Contributions**~ At the home page click on the **"Give"** button and follow the directions



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Open and Affirming Statement

Dover Congregational United Church of Christ is an Open and Affirming congregation. We affirm that God's grace is available to all. We welcome people of all ages, genders, races, views, abilities, sexual orientations, expressions and identities, ethnic educational and economic backgrounds into the full life and ministry of our church. We declare this in the name of God, whose Son, Jesus Christ, welcomed all people into God's circle of grace.

Approved by the congregation September 21, 2008
Additions approved by the congregation April 13, 2014

Just Peace Covenant

As a Just Peace church continuing the work of Jesus, we commit to work toward a world where all persons are treated with dignity and equality, where societies are structured in ways that promote the well-being of all people, and where conflicts are resolved through communication and negotiations, without resorting to exploitation or violence. We strive to embody these principles in our lives and witness as individuals and as a congregation. Our specific focus is: Just Peace in the community- so that all may live free from fear. Just Peace with the Earth – so that life is sustained. Just Peace in the marketplace- so that all may live with dignity. Just Peace among nations- so that human lives are protected. Through our worship, programs, and outreach we seek to be a community of reconciliation, hope, and courage as we work for peace and justice in our world.

Adopted and approved by congregation September 14, 2025