

COMMUNION

The Passing of the Peace

The children and youth will return from Sunday School and sit with their families.

All may turn to a neighbor to share a sign or a greeting of peace, such as "Peace be with you," "Namaste," or "Christ's peace."

Invitation to Holy Communion

In Remembrance of Me

Prayer of Consecration.

Let Us Be Bread

see music on reverse of insert

Let us be bread, blessed by the Lord

Broken and shared, life for the world

Let us be wine, love freely poured

Let us be one in the Lord!

(Repeat)

Sharing Communion

Blest Are They

Francis Vogt, *soloist*

All are invited to come forward by the center aisle. As Jesus ate with all manner of people, there are no restrictions on this holy meal.

Take bread or a rice wafer; dip it in the common cup of wine, or sip juice from individual cups. If you do not wish to receive the elements, fold your hands to ask for a blessing instead.

Communion elements will be brought to those who raise a hand in the pews.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Ruth Duck

Because the broken bread has meant our healing, because the outpoured cup has meant our life, because our common sharing has meant the communion of our souls, and because we have here been graced by your presence, God, we give you thanks and pray that our lives may be renewed in the life and the love of Christ. Amen.

* The Parting Hymn

I Come with Joy

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The Benediction

* The Congregational Benediction *(unison)*

**Tender God, Give us this day and always, a bread of freedom to share,
a cup of hope to pour upon the earth. Amen.**

Please stay after worship!

Have a cup of coffee and return to the Sanctuary for a special #11:45 session with John Bear Mitchell,

Associate Director of the Wabanaki Center at the University of Maine.

This is the first part of several indigenous education sessions to be offered at CUF.

Let Us Be Bread

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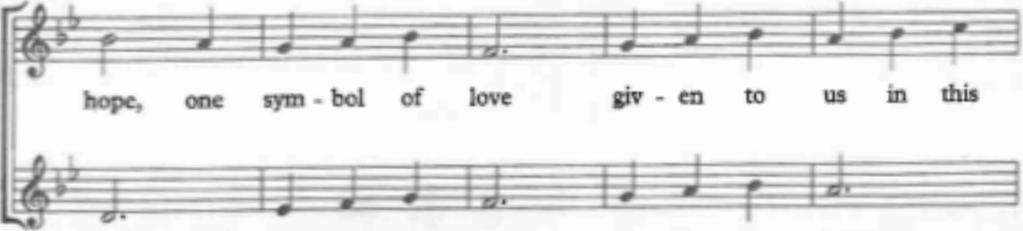


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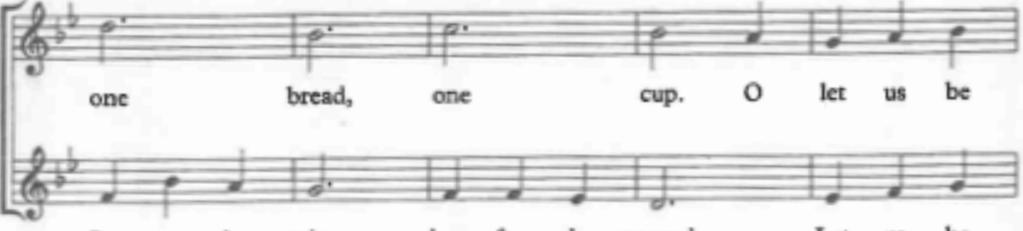


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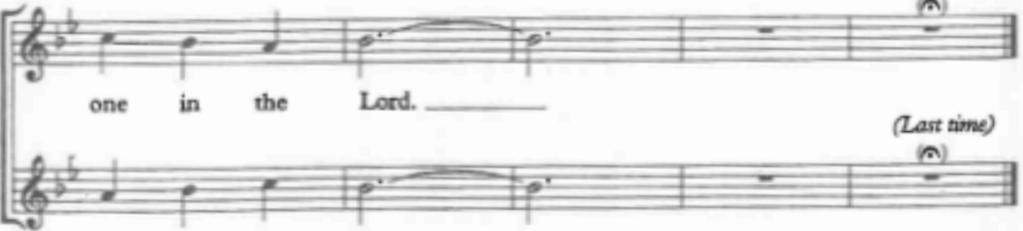
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one bread, one cup. O let us be

Let us be wine, love free - ly poured. Let us be

(Last time)



one in the Lord. _____

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WORDS: Thomas Porter (Matt. 14:15-21; 15:32-38; Mark 6:35-44; 8:1-9; Luke 9:12-17; John 6:35; 15:9-17)

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