



**HYMN DURING DISTRIBUTION UMH No. 632** Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether

UNION SEMINARY

**PRAYER FOLLOWING COMMUNION**

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your spirit to give ourselves for others. In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

**BLESSING OF STUDENT PASTORS**

Almighty and everlasting God, upon your Son Jesus Christ you built your Church. We give you thanks for these persons who are called to serve in your name as student pastors. Prepare them in body, mind, and spirit for their tasks, and continue them in your grace, that they may increase and bless your Church through their labors; Preserve them, that they may not grow weary in doing good, and go with them in the peace and power of your Holy Spirit, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

**\*CLOSING HYMN UMH No. 634** Now Let Us from This Table Rise DEUS TUORUM MILITUM

**\*BENEDICTION**

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

*\*\* The elements today are bread and grape juice.*

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**WORSHIP LEADERS**

*Preacher* Rev Jeremy Troxler, Director of Thriving Rural Communities Initiative

*Lector* Brock Meyer, Middler MDiv

*Liturgist:* Nate Hester, Middler MDiv

*Divinity School Praise Team.* Bryant Manning, Middler MDiv,  
and Megan Pardue, Senior MDiv, co-coordinators

*Celebrant.* Rev Sally Bates, Chaplain

*Blessers.* Rev Sally Bates, Chaplain, Rev Susan Pendleton Jones, Director of Field Education,

Rev Rhonda Parker, Associate Director of Field Education,

Rev Jeremy Troxler, Director of Thriving Rural Communities Initiative

*Organist* Dr David Arcus, Divinity School Organist

*Chaplain's Office Interns.* Kiki Barnes, Ron Beaton, Sarah Howell,

Ray Speller, and Julia Trantham

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**THIS WEEK IN GOODSON CHAPEL**

**Thursday, September 8, Service of the Word:** Rev Dr Joy Moore, Associate Dean for Black Church Studies and Church Relations; Visiting Assistant Professor, Homiletics and the Practice of Ministry, preaching.