

THE PEOPLE GATHER

GATHERING MUSIC & THE RINGING OF THE BELL

WELCOME Beth Hayes, Greeting Elder
Please Stand And Greet Your Neighbors!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT Dr. Anthony Eversole, Director of Music
Kathleen Crecco, Pianist

*** CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)**

One: O human tongues, sing praise to God!

Many: O mountains, clap your hands!

One: O human souls, soar high with joy!

Many: O rivers, rumble down!

All: Worship, O world! Our God has bid us come!

*** PRAYER OF INVOCATION FOR THE INDWELLING OF THE SPIRIT**

*** SACRED MUSIC** #65 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" NPH

*** PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (Unison)

O God, so often after we have come to accept Your gifts of love, we then begin to believe You have given us salvation because we actually are better than others and our way of doing things is more correct than the ways of others. Forgive us, God, and help us see the personal suffering our being judgmental has caused for others. In Christ we pray. Amen.

*** ASSURANCE OF GRACE**

*** PROFESSION OF FAITH** (Unison) **Apostles' Creed**
(Inside Cover of the Hymnal)

*** GLORIA PATRI** (Unison)

*** THE PEACE** (Response: "And also with you.")

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 18:21-35 Pg. 20 NT

TIME WITH THE YOUNG AND YOUNG AT HEART

ANTHEM

SERMON Christian Remick

*** SACRED MUSIC** #438 "Rock Of Ages" NPH

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

(Wave to your neighbors, and those joining via the live-stream.)

OFFERING

(Offerings may be placed in the collection basket at the top of the stairs as you exit the sanctuary following the worship.)

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER, PRAYER OF DEDICATION & LORD'S PRAYER
(Debts & Debtors; Inside Cover of the Hymnal)

*** DOXOLOGY** (Unison, Inside Cover of the Hymnal)

*** SACRED MUSIC** #300 "They'll Know We Are Christians" NPH

*** CHARGE & BENEDICTION**

CHORAL BENEDICTION & POSTLUDE (Seated)

*** Congregation standing; as each person desires.**

Masks are welcome but not required, distance as you are comfortable.

Virtual fellowship via Zoom will take place at 11:30 a.m.

Following the worship service everyone is invited to Fellowship Hall for conversation and a light repast.

PRAYER REMEMBRANCES

We remember in prayer Galen Fletcher and Helen, Judy Gibson, Bob Fraser, PFC Hunter Montgomery, Vern Aldous and Arvilla, Bill Webb, Marilyn Coir, Christa Lyon, Nick Scelzi, Bill and Karen Parker, Mark Erickson, Rich Denison, Jorge Nsundidi, Anne Goetze, Nancy and Mark Brown, Basford/Rodee Family, Josh Holbrook, Colleen Grant, Janet Favro, Jody Upton and all who are ill in hospitals, nursing homes or at home; and those serving our nation and their families who support them.

Director of Music & Pianist: Kathleen Crecco
Assistant Choir Director: Bob Duda
Church School Director: Andrea Montgomery
Office Coordinator: Lynne HunterBeach

The password for our church wifi network is: Lakew00d4331a
Password for the Zoom fellowship call at 11:30 a.m. is 3862570

AT OUR CHURCH THIS WEEK

Today 09/17/23 - In-Person and Live-Stream Worship (10 a.m.)
- Noisy Can Sunday/Name Tag Sunday
Monday 09/18/23 - Rummage Sale Set Up/FH
Thursday 09/21/23 - Deacon's Meeting (6 p.m.)
- Sneak Peak Rummage Sale/FH (6 p.m.)
- Choir Practice (7p.m.)
Friday 09/22/23 - Fall Rummage Sale/FH
Saturday 09/23/23 - Fall Rummage Sale/FH
Sunday 09/24/23 - In-Person and Live-Stream Worship (10 a.m.)

Birthdays: Britt Gordon, Carolyn Zanta (Thursday)
Carl Colton (Friday)

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