

“O Lord, [we] will exalt you, [we] will praise your name” (Isaiah 25:1, NRSV).

Welcome friends, as we gather to exalt and praise God.

This worship service can be watched live on YouTube, as it happens, anywhere you have an internet connection. Additionally, past services will be archived so you can stay up-to-date or relive your favorite Sunday morning moments. You can find the link on our website or check it out at <https://bit.ly/FPClive>

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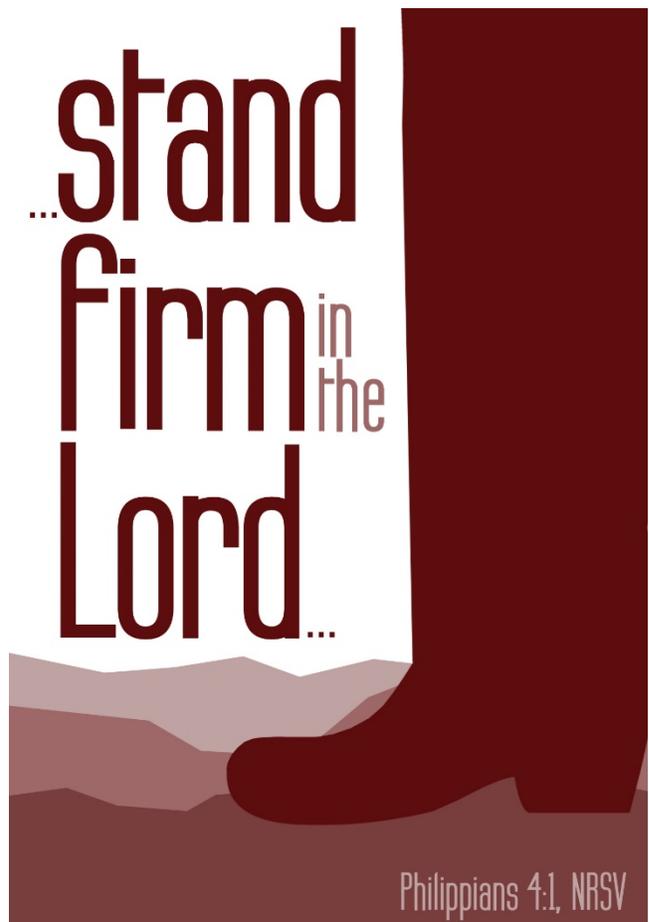
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**NOTE: Sheet music for hymns can be found at the end of this document.**



***Order of Worship***  
***October 11, 2020***

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**THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP  
NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**10:00 AM**

**OCTOBER 11, 2020**

THE FIRST NOTE OF THE PRELUDE begins our worship.

Please use the prelude time to turn your attention to God's presence and help. Nurturing our relationships and friendships in fellowship is essential to our life as a congregation, so please continue to do so following our time of worship.

*\*Those who are able are invited to stand.*

**FOCUSING UPON GOD'S PRESENCE AND VOICE**

PRELUDE

Handbell Choir

*"A Simple Prayer"  
(Soliloquy)*

LINDA R. LAMB  
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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The Lord is good! All the time.

**People: And all the time, the Lord is good.**

Leader: God's steadfast love endures forever.

**People: Let us worship God.**

\*OPENING PRAYER

\*HYMN #734

*"Hope of the World"*

DONNE SECOURS

*(The soloists will sing the hymn. You are invited to follow along in the hymnal and reflect on the words. May this be a time of prayer for you!)* CCL11695793

LITANY OF AFFIRMATION

Leader: Let us come before the throne of God, the mercy seat, with all of our humanity, open to the peace of promised forgiveness.

**People: Almighty God, you invite us to your feast and we do not come. You be us to give thanks for life, and we fail in our thanksgiving. You have made for us a wonderful earth, and we neglect the gift. Forgive us for what we have done and for abandoning the pathway you desire for us. Be our guide and conscience. Turn our feet and hands to your will, that all we do might give glory to you. Amen.**

*(A moment is given for silent confession to God.)*

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

**\*SHARING THE PEACE**

Leader: Since God has forgiven us, let us also forgive one another.

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Let us share our forgiven joy with one another.

**\*HYMN OF ASSURANCE #581**

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father,  
and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen, Amen.

**THE WORD OF GOD TO THE CHURCH**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON**

PSALM 106:1-5

<sup>1</sup>Praise the LORD! O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever.

<sup>2</sup>Who can utter the mighty doings of the LORD, or declare all his praise?

<sup>3</sup>Happy are those who observe justice, who do righteousness at all times.

<sup>4</sup>Remember me, O LORD, when you show favor to your people; help me when you deliver them;

<sup>5</sup>that I may see the prosperity of your chosen ones, that I may rejoice in the gladness of your nation, that I may glory in your heritage.

## SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON

PHILIPPIANS 4:1-9

<sup>4</sup>Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved. <sup>2</sup>I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. <sup>3</sup>Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life. <sup>4</sup>Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. <sup>5</sup>Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. <sup>6</sup>Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. <sup>7</sup>And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. <sup>8</sup>Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. <sup>9</sup>Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

SERMON

*“Rejoice, Request, Relax, Repeat”*

REV. REBECCA MALLOZZI

ANTHEM

Handbell Choir

*“Fanfare for a Celebration”*

DOUGLAS E. WAGNER

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SHARING JOYS & CONCERNS

INTERCESSIONS AND PETITIONS

THE LORD’S PRAYER

*(Please use “debts & debtors”.)*

GLORY TO GOD HYMNAL – PG. 35

**OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD**

CALL FOR OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY

*"Andantino"*

CESAR FRANCK  
PUBLIC DOMAIN

\*DEDICATION HYMN #606

DOXOLOGY

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL SENDING

*"Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"*

TEXT BY JOHN FAWCETT  
SET TO A SICILIAN MELODY  
PUBLIC DOMAIN

\*POSTLUDE

*"Quasi Allegro"*

CESAR FRANCK  
PUBLIC DOMAIN

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# Hope of the World 734



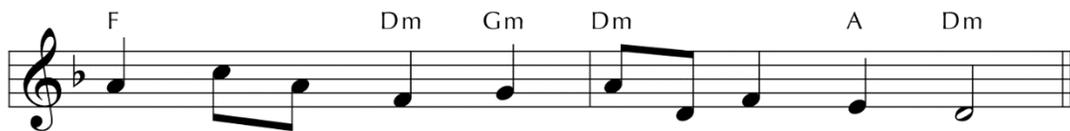
1 Hope of the world, thou Christ of great com - pas - sion:  
 2 Hope of the world, God's gift from high - est heav - en,  
 3 Hope of the world, a - foot on dust - y high - ways,  
 4 Hope of the world, who by thy cross didst save us  
 5 Hope of the world, O Christ, o'er death vic - to - rious,



speak to our fear - ful hearts by con - flict rent;  
 bring - ing to hun - gry souls the bread of life:  
 show - ing to wan - dering souls the path of light:  
 from death and deep de - spair, from sin and guilt:  
 who by this sign didst con - quer grief and pain:



save us, thy peo - ple, from con - sum - ing pas - sion,  
 still let thy Spir - it un - to us be giv - en  
 walk thou be - side us lest the tempt - ing by - ways  
 we ren - der back the love thy mer - cy gave us;  
 we would be faith - ful to thy gos - pel glo - rious;



who by our own false hopes and aims are spent.  
 to heal earth's wounds and end our bit - ter strife.  
 lure us a - way from thee to end - less night.  
 take thou our lives and use them as thou wilt.  
 thou art our Lord! Thou dost for - ev - er reign!

This winning entry by a groundbreaking woman theologian was selected from over five hundred others in a search for a hymn to be used at the Second Assembly of the World Council of Churches in Evanston, Illinois, in October 1954. The theme of the assembly was "Jesus Christ, Hope of the World."

# ***Faith Life***

## ***SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2020***

### **SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP**

Please join us on Zoom for Fellowship on Sunday Mornings following Worship. The link for Sunday Morning Fellowship can be found in the Thursday email blast. If you would like to be added to the list to receive these emails, please contact the office.



*In a spirit of love and care, we are increasing our sanctuary worship limit to 50 people. This decision is in light of recent improvements to our ventilation system, and changes to state guidelines.*

### **MORE OUTDOOR WORSHIP!**

**By popular demand!** Weather permitting, we will worship outside again by the gathering space on the following dates\*

- October 18                      **MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

As before, please bring your own chairs. In the event of inclement weather, an email alert and website homepage notice will indicate a change to indoor worship.

### **WORSHIP ASSISTANTS NEEDED!**

We need volunteers! Please consider volunteering via Signup Genius on the church website under 'Volunteer Opportunities. It's really easy. You may participate in person, or via video recording. *And all God's people said, "Thanks, y'all!"*

### **PRE-K-5 ONLINE SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Inviting all Preschool through 5th graders to join us for online Sunday school the last Sunday of each month at 9:00 AM. It will be great to see each other's faces again as we catch up and learn about being a friend in God's way. We will finish up in time for those who are going to church in person to get in the car or for the rest of us to tune into worship online. Hope to see you there! Any questions contact Cathy at [cathyzwiese@gmail.com](mailto:cathyzwiese@gmail.com) or 248-622-1672.

Oct 25, 2020 ..... 9:00 AM

The link for these Sunday school classes can be found in the Thursday email blast. If you would like to be added to the list to receive these emails, please contact the office.

### **COLLEGE STUDENT GOODIE BOXES**

Starting in October, the deacons will be collecting items to send "goodie boxes" to our Faith college students. Please look for the collection boxes in Fellowship Hall. Examples of items: protein, granola, or breakfast bars, pretzels, cracker packs, hot cocoa mix, gum, cookie packs, tea. (The last day will be Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>.)

We will be mailing the goodie boxes in time for their fall semester final exams. Our hope is that their arrival will bring a smile to each young person's face, help reduce their stress level during this important time in their college careers, and know that Faith Church is thinking of them and wishing them well.

**If you have a current college student in your family, or are one**, please make sure your deacon or Lynda (our office administrator) has a current college address or the correct home address if you are attending college virtually.

Thank you. Any questions, see Elaine Smits or Donna Call.

### **CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**

The office has returned to *new normal* hours. Those hours are **Mondays and Thursdays only from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM**. If office work has been completed, she may leave early.

For now, Lynda will continue to work from her home on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Keep the following in mind, if you need her to provide you with reports or materials that can be found only on the church computer, you need to contact her on Tuesdays until September 14, and then on Mondays.

### **READING GROUP**

Michael Davis is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.  
Topic: Reading Group  
Time: Nov 11, 2020 07:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)  
The link for this meeting can be found in the Thursday email blast.

**Scrip Orders are due October 11.**

### **ARE YOU NEW TO FAITH CHURCH?**

If this is your first time in worship with us here at Faith Church, **welcome!** We want to get to know you, so be sure to sign the friendship registry, which can be found at one end of the pew.



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## *TWO WEEKS OF FAITH*

This calendar is prepared a few days prior to distribution. Please see the church [website](#) for the most up-to-date information.

### *THIS WEEK*

#### **Sunday, October 11**

10:00 AM— Worship Service  
5:00 PM— Youth Group

*Scrip Orders Due*

#### **Monday, October 12**

Noon— Meditation (Facebook Live)

#### **Tuesday, October 13**

7:00 PM— Session (Zoom)

*Church Office Closed*

#### **Wednesday, October 14**

6:00 PM— Bell Choir Rehearsal (S)  
7:00 PM— EPNHN (P)

*Church Office Closed*

#### **Thursday, October 15**

9:45 AM— Women's Spiritual Study Group (Zoom)  
7:00 PM— Narcotics Anonymous (FH)

#### **Friday, October 16**

*Church Office Closed*

#### **Saturday, October 17**

10:00 AM— Crazy Quilters (FH)

### *NEXT WEEK*

#### **Sunday, October 18**

10:00 AM— Worship Service  
5:00 PM— Youth Group (Outside)

*Scrip Orders Due*

#### **Monday, October 19**

Noon— Meditation (Facebook Live)  
5:30 PM— Communications Committee (Z)  
7:00 PM— Mission Committee (Z)

#### **Tuesday, October 20**

10:00 AM— Emmaus Garden Club Board (FH)

*Church Office Closed*

#### **Wednesday, October 21**

6:00 PM— Bell Choir Rehearsal (S)

*Church Office Closed*

#### **Thursday, October 22**

9:45 AM— Women's Spiritual Study Group (Zoom)  
7:00 PM— Narcotics Anonymous (FH)

#### **Friday, October 23**

*Church Office Closed*  
*Pastor's Study Leave*

#### **Saturday, October 24**



10/11 Doug Boyd

10/13 Scott Smickley

10/16 Don Piper

10/17 Cindy Stull

## *LOOKING AHEAD...*

\*No Sunday School

Oct. 25 ..... Stewardship Sunday  
Nov. 1 ..... Daylight Savings Time Ends  
Nov. 3 ..... Election Day  
Nov. 8 ..... Pastor's Vacation  
Nov. 15 ..... Winter Flyer Deadline  
Nov. 17 ..... Presbytery Meeting (Zoom)  
Nov. 22 ..... ADVENT[ure]  
Nov. 26 ..... Thanksgiving: Church Office closed  
Dec. 24 ..... Christmas Eve  
Dec. 25 ..... Christmas  
Jan. 1 ..... Happy New Year 2021!  
Jan. 8 ..... MLK Day, Church Office Closed  
Jan. 15 ..... Presidents' Day, Church Office Closed  
Jan. 17 ..... Ash Wednesday  
Jan. 21 ..... Lent Begins  
Feb. 14 ..... Spring Flyer Deadline  
Mar. 28 ..... Palm Sunday  
Apr. 1 ..... Maundy Thursday  
Apr. 2 ..... Good Friday  
Apr. 4 ..... Easter  
May 16 ..... Summer Flyer Deadline  
Aug. 15 ..... Fall Flyer Deadline  
Nov. 14 ..... Winter Flyer Deadline