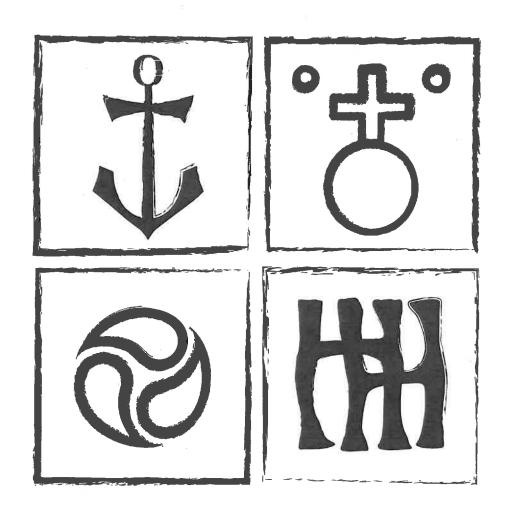
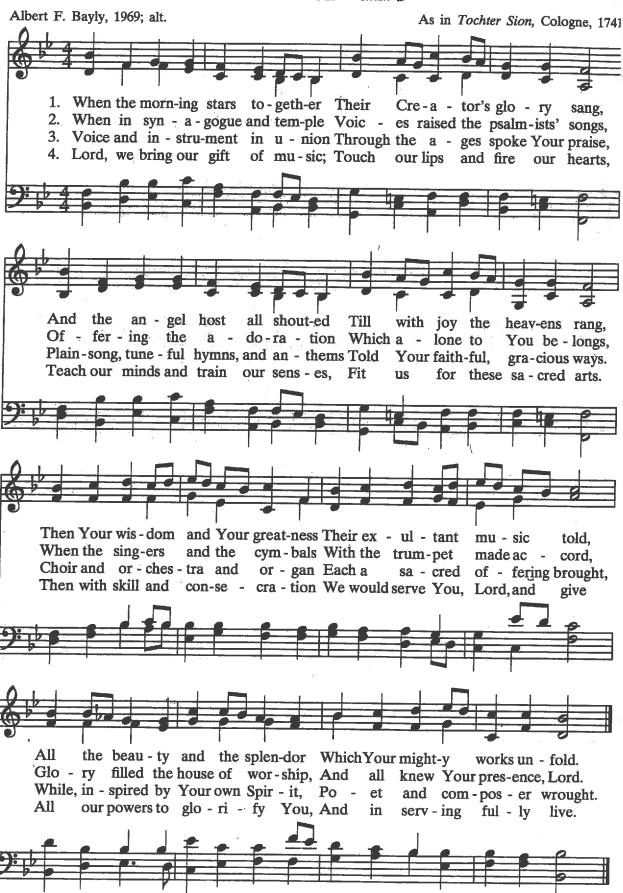
THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 9, 2017 10 A.M.

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Sunday, July 9, 2017 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Morning Worship

Ten o' Clock

THE APPROACH TO GOD

PRELUDE

Andante and Jubilate Aaron David Miller, organist William Walton

INTROIT

Make me a Clean Heart

George Thalben-Ball

The Motet Choir

Matthew Culloton, choirmaster

*°PROCESSIONAL HYMN 486 When the Morning Stars Together

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CALL TO CONFESSION (The Congregation sitting)

Julia A. Carlson

Minister: People:

The Lord is with you.

And also with you.









PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Almighty God, you love us, but we have not loved you. You call, but we have not listened. We walk away from neighbors in need, wrapped in our own concerns. We condone evil, prejudice, warfare, and greed. God of grace, help us to admit our sin, so that as you come to us in mercy, we may repent, turn to you, and receive forgiveness through Jesus Christ our redeemer.

(The prayer will continue with our silent confessions...)

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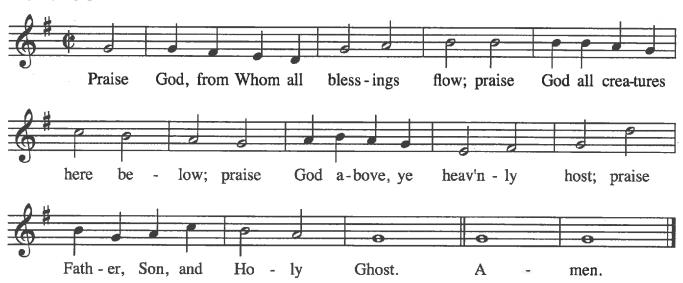


ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Minister: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

*°DOXOLOGY



WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOD AND LIFE EMBLEM PRESENTATION FOR VINCENT WOODWARD

ANTHEM

O Be Joyful in the Lord

Benjamin Britten

O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands: Serve the Lord with gladness, And come before his presence with a song. Be ye sure that the Lord he is God: It is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; We are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving,

And into his courts with praise;

Be thankful unto him and speak good of his name.

For the Lord is gracious, His mercy is everlasting:

And his truth endureth from generation to generation.

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.

THE WORD OF GOD

FIRST LESSON

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30 (NT, pp. 11-12 in pew Bible)

Ann Geery

Minister:

The Word of the Lord.

People:

Thanks be to God.

TIME FOR CHILDREN

Kiera Stegall

Children have the option of staying in the Sunday worship service or exiting after the Time for Children to Room 11 where they connect to the Bible in a creative way.

SECOND LESSON

Romans 7:15-25a

Minister:

The Word of the Lord.

People:

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

The Stubbornness of Shortcomings

Jeffrey T. Foels

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

°HYMN 360

Hope of the World

Donne Secours

°AFFIRMATION OF FAITH. Taken from A Brief Statement of Faith PC(USA)

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!" With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE 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.

A Reading from the Gospel According to Matthew

"But to what will I compare this generation? It is like children sitting in the marketplaces and calling to one another, 'We played the flute for you, and you did not dance; we wailed, and you did not mourn.' For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, 'He has a demon'; the Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, 'Look, a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners!' Yet wisdom is vindicated by her deeds."

At that time Jesus said, "I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him. "Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

The Word of the Lord.

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Romans

I do not understand my own actions. For I do not do what I want, but I do the very thing I hate. Now if I do what I do not want, I agree that the law is good. But in fact it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me. For I know that nothing good dwells within me, that is, in my flesh. I can will what is right, but I cannot do it. For I do not do the good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I do. Now if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me. So I find it to be a law that when I want to do what is good, evil lies close at hand. For I delight in the law of God in my inmost self, but I see in my members another law at war with the law of my mind, making me captive to the law of sin that dwells in my members. Wretched man that I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord!

The Word of the Lord.

Hope of the World



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OFFERTORY ANTHEM

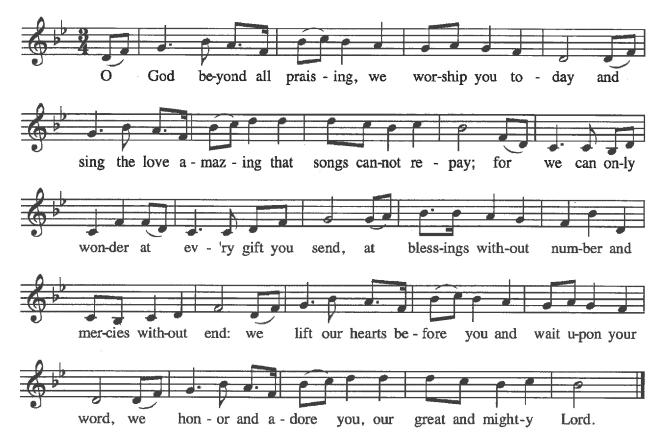
Is Any Afflicted?

William Billings

Is any afflicted, let him pray.
Is any of you merry, let him sing psalms:
Singing and making melody in your hearts to the Lord.

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, Teaching and admonishing one another In psalms and hymns and spiritual songs.

°OFFERTORY RESPONSE



°PRAYER OF DEDICATION

°RECESSIONAL HYMN 281

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CWM Rhondda

°BENEDICTION

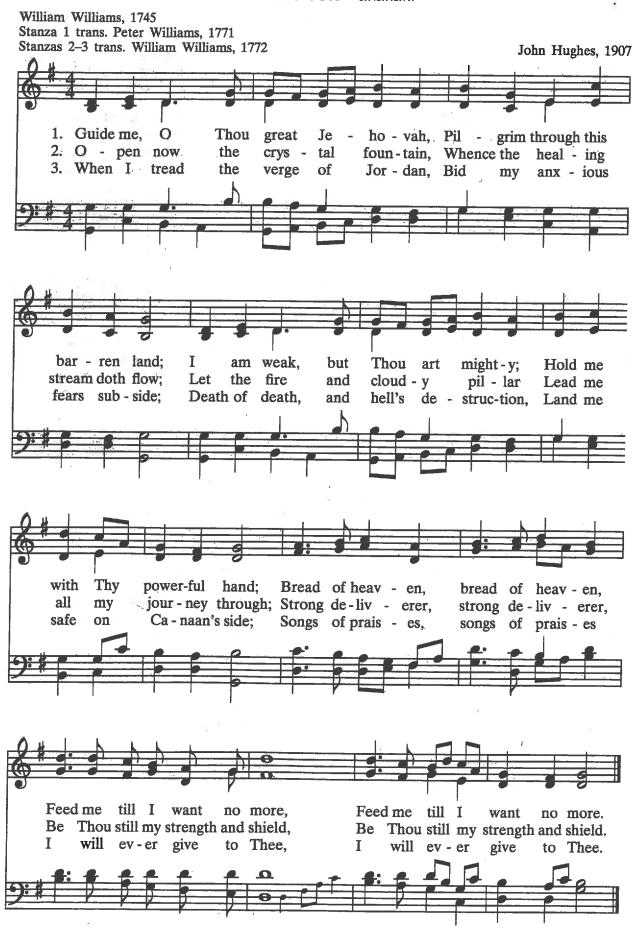
POSTLUDE

Trumpet Tune

David Johnson

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CWM RHONDDA 8.7.8.7.8.7.7



Carillon Postlude

David W. Johnson

*Late entrants may be seated.

°Stand as you are able

THE HOUSE OF HOPE WELCOMES ALL WHO WORSHIP HERE TODAY. Refreshments, including fair trade Peace Coffee, are served in the Kirk Parlour following the service.

PEACE CANDLE. The single candle near the pulpit is our Peace Candle, lighted each day as a reminder of the ongoing need for our prayers for peace in the world.

Hearing devices, large print bulletins, and large print hymnals are available. Please ask one of the ushers if you would like these. Hearing devices are located at a table in the Narthex where they can be signed out. Please return the hearing devices to the table after the worship service.

-Today-

GREETERS TODAY are: Silvey and Jim Barge, James Brooks, Pam and Jeff Patterson, Marilyn and Gus Bjorklund.

CHILDCARE. Modeling Jesus and his words in Mark 10:14 to "let the children come," The House of Hope welcomes children of all ages and their joyful sounds. We also provide sacred spaces each Sunday with professional childcare givers in the following locations: •Infants through 18 months are cared for in the Nursery Room (Room 8). •Toddlers age 18 months through age 3 are cared for in the Toddler Room (Room 2).

TODAY'S SCHEDULE FOR CHILDREN: SUMMER STUDIO continues through the month of August. Children have the option of staying in the Sunday worship service or exiting after the Time for Children to Room 11 to connect to the Bible in a creative way. For more information or to volunteer your time and talents, please contact Kiera at KieraS@hohchurch.org.

EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT THANK YOU. This spring, House of Hope member Vincent Woodward repainted the Youth Room as his Eagle project for the Boy Scouts of America. Following the service today, we will be holding a reception in the Kirk Parlour to thank Vincent and all of the volunteers who assisted him in his project. All are invited to come and say thank you!

CARILLON RECITAL today at 4 p.m. will feature Julianne Vanden Wyngaard and George Gregory.

The House of Hope offers **VALET PARKING** on Sunday mornings. Drive up to the *porte cochère* on Portland Avenue and a deacon will park your car. When you are ready to leave, return to the same door and a deacon will retrieve your car.

Please notice the yellow **PASTORAL CONCERNS** cards in the pew racks. These cards can provide a way to alert the staff to the pastoral care needs of the congregation. Please use them, and place them in the offering plate or give them to a minister. This is another good way of keeping us informed about the life of our congregation.

PASTORAL VISITS. If you would like a pastor to call on you in the hospital, or if you are ill at home and would like a visit, please call the church office, 651-227-6311, to let us know. If you know someone else in the congregation who is ill or hospitalized and has indicated a desire for a pastoral visit, please contact the church office or fill out one of the yellow pastoral concerns cards which can be found in the pew racks. Hospitals no longer notify the church when members of our congregation are admitted.

FRIENDSHIP REGISTRATION PADS are in the pews. Please sign your name each Sunday, providing the requested information. We especially encourage you personally to welcome visitors following the service, and ask them to join you for fellowship in the Kirk Parlour. Visitors: please include your complete address and phone number if you would like to be contacted. Use as many lines as needed.

LIVE STREAMING OF SUNDAY WORSHIP is available through the website; go to www.hohchurch.org and click on the "Live Service" link under the photo of the Sanctuary. You can print THE BULLETIN WITH PRAYERS AND MUSIC TEXTS so that you can follow along at home while watching the live broadcast. To print these worship aids, go to the website, click on the "Worship & Music" link at the top of the page, and select "Bulletins" from the drop-down menu.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR HOPE'S CLOSET AT PRIOR CROSSING. Hope's Closet is in need of some items for young people moving into their new homes at Prior Crossing, the new housing for homeless St. Paul youth. Prior Crossing was made possible through the generous donations of House of Hope members, in cooperation with Beacon Interfaith Housing and the Wilder Foundation. Hope's Closet needs: 3 large fry pans, 5 can openers, 4 sharp knives, 3 large cooking pots and 12 or more salad-sized plates. (These are the needs as of June 1.) Please bring items to the church office.

The icons on our **BULLETIN COVER** are inspired by the great collection of House of Hope symbols and icons found throughout the church, most notably in the chancel tiles and the decorative medallions of the chapel. House of Hope has a long tradition of drawing on these visual symbols: the Anchor newsletter takes its name from the symbol, and the trinity triskelion became the symbol for the "Our Hope for Years to Come" campaign.

	
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THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH EVENTS: SUNDAY, JULY 9 — JULY 16, 2017

Visitors

THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING TO WORSHIP AT THE HOUSE OF HOPE. This church welcomes and extends the hospitality of Christ to all people who gather here. The House of Hope is a member of the Presbyterian Church (USA) and is affiliated with the Covenant Network of Presbyterians... "Toward a church as generous and just as God's grace." Visitors are invited to sign the friendship registration pad during worship. Please look for hospitality greeters who wear the "Welcome" tag for information and assistance. Gold foil seals may be found in the pew racks; all visitors are encouraged to wear one so that you can be identified as a visitor and receive a personal welcome.

THINKING ABOUT MEMBERSHIP? We offer many opportunities for fellowship, worship, learning, and service—for adults, children, and youth. To learn more about the life of this church, come to our new member class on August 20. Lunch and childcare will be provided. The next class will take place on September 17. Those interested in membership need attend only one class. Please make lunch and child care reservations for future classes with Deb Tschida in the church office: (651) 223-7557 or debt@hohchurch.org.

— THE WEEK AHEAD —

Monday, July 10

CENTERING PRAYER at the House of Hope takes place on Mondays at 11:00 a.m. in the Kirk Parlour. Centering is a form of contemplative prayer. Some might call it meditation. It is a practice of focusing on God, or resting in God, and when thoughts distract us from that intent, it becomes the practice of noticing and returning our focus to God through the use of a sacred word. Many practitioners say that it helps bring more calm even in the most stressful situations and others have noted lower blood pressure among its health benefits. Those in attendance vary each week; all are invited to attend as your schedule allows. Beginners as well as long time practitioners are welcome; there is an introduction to the practice at the beginning of each gathering.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at 6 p.m. each Monday in the Great Hall.

AL-ANON meets at 6 p.m. in the Youth Room

Tuesday, July 11

The TUESDAY MEN'S BREAKFAST GROUP (Bible Study and Fellowship) meets weekly at 7:00 a.m. at the St. Clair Broiler in Saint Paul. Contact for the Tuesday Men's Breakfast Group: Leo Sawicki, (651) 481-9589, lbsawicki@comcast.net.

GREAT DECISIONS. On **Tuesday**, **July 11**, the topic will be "The Rise of Nationalism and Populism, the Causes and Aftermath." The presenter will be Tom Hanson, retired U.S. foreign service officer with continuing involvement in foreign policy issues. This talk is a follow-up to his annual review of issues facing U.S. policy which he gave in late January, 2017. We will meet in the Kirk Parlour at 4 p.m.

Wednesday, July 12

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY at 10 a.m. in the church library. For information, call the church office, 651-227-6311.

Thursday, July 13

THURSDAY MEN'S BREAKFAST (Discussion and Fellowship) meets at the St. Clair Broiler in Saint Paul at 7 a.m. Contact Bill Liike, wlliike@aol.com or (651) 224-0361.

CAPITAL CITY GRIEF COALITION support goups are meeting at Nativity of Our Lord Catholic Church at 1900 Wellesley Avenue in Saint Paul, June through July at 5:30 p.m. These groups provide education and support for those grieving the death of a loved one. For further information, please contact Lois Knutson at (651) 227-4430.

Friday, July 14

The WOMEN'S BREAKFAST BOOK GROUP meets Fridays from 7 to 8 a.m. to enjoy breakfast, camaraderie, and lively discussion of scheduled books. We meet in the Kirk Parlour. Guests and newcomers are always welcome. Contacts: Jan Dickinson, (651) 647-1786, or Elly Verhagen, (651) 293-1924. July 14: *Misty of Chincoteague*, Marguerite Henry.

Sunday, July 16

WORSHIP SERVICE at 10 a.m. in the sanctuary.

The **SENIOR HIGH YOUTH** are headed to Detroit for their Mission Trip this year! They are staying at Grosse Pointe Memorial Church and are helping with a different charitable organization each day of the week. They will return on July 22. We will be preparing a video to share with the congregation after the trip. Watch for the presentation date!

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	2017 Summer Carillon Recitals July 16 - August 13, 4 p.m.
Sunday, July 16	Jonathan Lehrer, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
Sunday, July 23	Timothy Short and Keiran Cantilina, Saint Paul, Minnesota
Sunday, July 30	Tin-shi Tam, Ames, Iowa
Sunday, August 6	Kipp Cortez, Athens, West Virginia
Sunday, August 13	David Johnson, The House of Hope Presbyterian Church
Enjoy the carillon recitals from the church lawn. Bring a blanket, folding chairs, picnic basket, and enjoy the music of the bells.	

- UPCOMING -

Join us in the CLOISTER ART GALLERY on Sunday, July 23, at 11:15 a.m. as church and art committee member, Emily Brenengen, enlightens us on John Doyle's "The Great Human Race" stone lithographs and monochrome images. These works are on display in the gallery and were given to House of Hope by church member, Harlan Boss.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY SUMMER PROJECT: It's time to sign up for the Faith Builders summer work camp taking place July 24 through August 4. We will be working with four other neighboring congregations building a new house at 1105 3rd Street in the older part of Saint Paul Park. Volunteers are welcome to work one day or all ten and there is always plenty of work for all skill levels from beginner to expert. Please call or send an email to Dave Olsen to get the instructions to sign up or if you have any questions. (davewolsen@yahoo.com) or (651) 253-8444

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT — TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2017. Planning for the 11th annual National Night Out for the neighborhood is just getting started and volunteers are needed to plan, organize and recruit community sponsors. Volunteers are also needed on August 1 starting at 4 p.m. to set up and throughout the evening until it's time to clean up at 8:30 p.m. We need your help to make NNO a success again this year! Questions or more information can be directed to Mary Cardinal Peterson at PeteCardFive@outlook.com or (651) 341-7173.

It's gardening time again! THE HOUSE OF HOPE COMMUNITY GARDEN is beginning its 7th year of providing fresh fruits and vegetables to families in Saint Paul. Last year, our group of volunteers delivered 2400 pounds of fresh produce to the Neighborhood House food shelf! This incredible service would not be possible without the help of our dedicated volunteers, and we need your help! No experience is necessary. Work at your own pace and on your own schedule. Families are welcome! What a great way to teach your children about helping their community. For further information, contact garden manager Terri Mattila (matt0547@umn.edu) or call/text at (651) 307-9919 or assistant manager Angela Penniman (angelapenniman@gmail.com) or call/text at (720) 840-6252. Also be sure to Like House of Hope Community Garden on Facebook!

During the fall of 2017, **JOY DAVIS' FIRST THURSDAY SEMINAR** will be discussing *The Collected Short Stories of Guy de Maupassant*. Joy will bring the books to the church library at 10 a.m. on **Thursday**, **September 7** for distribution. The cost of the book is \$15. This will be a social gathering prior to the first discussion session on October 5.

We are beginning another HOUSE OF HOPE STEPHEN MINISTRY TRAINING the week of September 10, 2017. Take advantage of this opportunity to share the love that God has given you. You will find that being a Stephen Minister not only will be helpful to others, but it will be one of the most fulfilling and joyful experiences that you have ever had. If you are interested in this ministry, contact Pastor Julia Carlson (JuliaC@hohchurch.org or (651) 223-7553) for more information and an application.

The House of Hope **PEACE AND JUSTICE COMMITTEE** is engaging with the following issues over the next year:

- mass incarceration/discrimination of communities of color
- income disparity
- gun violence prevention
- LGBTQ rights
- climate change
- child abuse
- promoting peace on a global scale

The committee encourages participation from the congregation on these topics and is creating a task force for each one. If you are interested in one or more of these issues, please contact Lee Jamison at (651) 278-8962 or Mike Nord at (612) 384-7675.

WEEK BEGINNING JULY 9, 2017		
Sunday, July 9, 2017		
9:00 a.m.		
9:30 a.m.	Child Care, Rooms 2 and 8	
10:00 a.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary	
10:20 a.m.	Summer Studio, Room 11	
11:15 a.m.	Fellowship, Kirk Parlour	
4:00 p.m.	Carillon Recital	
Monday, July 10, 2017		
9:00 a.m.	Bulletin deadline	
11:00 a.m.	Centering Prayer, Room 1	
6:00 p.m.	AA, Great Hall	
6:00 p.m.	Al-Anon, Youth Room	
Tuesday, July 11, 2017		
7:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast, St. Clair Broiler	
4:00 p.m.	Great Decisions, Kirk Parlour	
4:00 p.m.	House and Property Committee	
•	Meeting, Kirby Lounge	

Thursday, July 13, 2017		
7:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast, St. Clair Broiler	
9:00 a.m.	Hard Hats, Maintenance Shop	
5:30 p.m.	Capital City Grief Support Groups, Nativity of Our Lord Catholic	
•	Nativity of Our Lord Catholic	
	Church	
Friday, July 14, 2017		
7:00 a.m.	Women's Breakfast Book Group,	
	Kirk Parlour	
9:15 a.m.	Bulletin Volunteers, Library	
12:30 p.m.	Yoga, Meeting House	
Sunday, July 16, 2017 7:00 a.m. Mission Trip Departure 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary Julia A. Carlson, preaching		
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10:00 a.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary	
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4:00 p.m.	Carillon Recital 1	

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Summer Office Hours

Monday: 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday: 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Friday: 9 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Saturday: Closed. Sunday: 9 a.m. to 12 noon