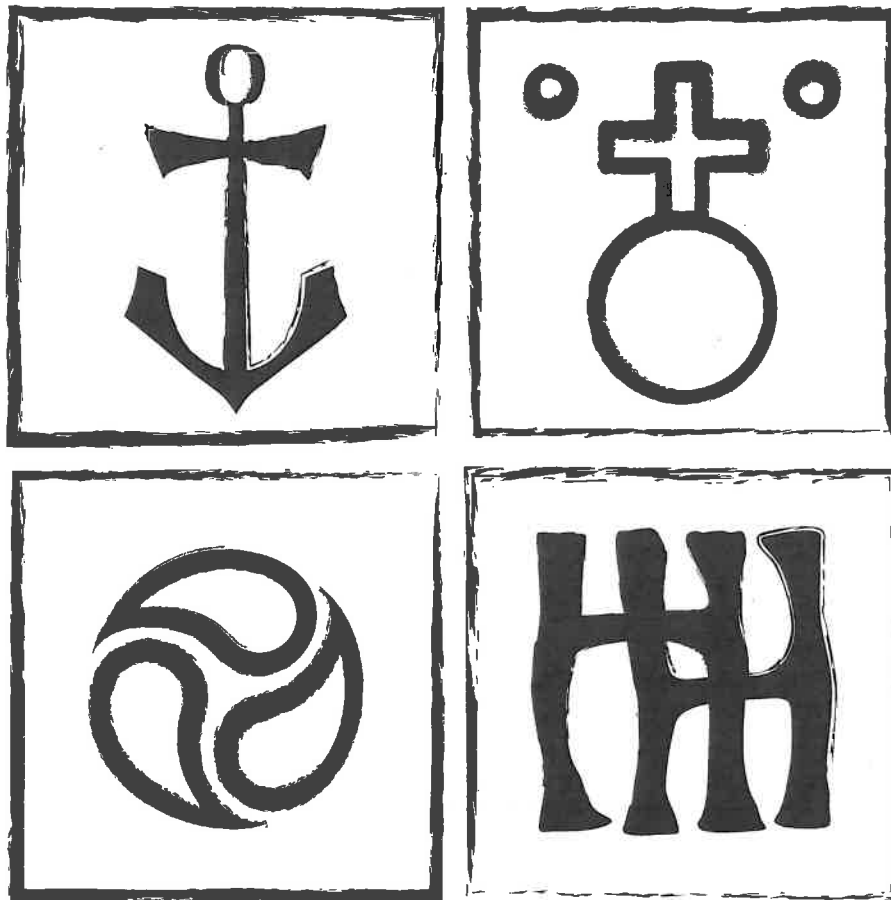


THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
AUGUST 6, 2017 10 A.M.

Descant

5. Let ev - ery crea - ture rise and bring Hon - ors pe -

1. Je - sus shall reign where - e'er the sun Does its suc -
 2. To Him shall end - less prayer be made, And prais - es
 3. Peo - ple and realms of ev - ery tongue Dwell on His
 4. Bless - ings a - bound wher - e'er He reigns; The pris - oners

cu - liar to our King; An - gels de - scend with

ces - sive jour - neys run, His king - dom stretch from
 throng to crown His head; His name, like sweet per -
 love with sweet - est song, And in - fant voic - es
 leap to lose their chains, The wea - ry find e -

songs a - gain, And earth re - peat the loud A - men!

shore to shore, Till moons shall wax and wane no more.
 fume, shall rise With ev - ery morn - ing sac - ri - fice.
 shall pro - claim Their ear - ly bless - ings on His name.
 ter - nal rest, And all who suf - fer want are blest.

5. Let every creature rise and bring
 Honors peculiar to our King;

Angels descend with songs again,
 And earth repeat the loud Amen!

Sunday, August 6, 2017
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Morning Worship

Ten o' Clock

THE APPROACH TO GOD

PRELUDE

Toccata del 9 tono
Sarah Garner, organist

Andrea Gabrieli

CALL TO WORSHIP

Julia A. Carlson

Minister: Come into the presence of God to be fed. Come to call on God, who is eager to answer.

People: We gather to seek God's face. Let our eyes see all that is right and true.

Minister: Incline your ears to hear all God would teach. Seek to experience God's steadfast love.

People: We are here to receive God's blessing. God is our refuge in a frightening world.

Minister: God is near to all who call and seek. Come to praise God and receive a blessing.

People: Open all our senses to pay close attention, O God. We want to renew our covenant with the living God.

*°OPENING HYMN 423

Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun

Duke Street

CALL TO CONFESSION (The Congregation sitting)

Minister: Holy God, Maker of all,

People: Have mercy on us.

Minister: Jesus Christ, Servant of the poor

People: Have mercy on us.

Minister: Holy Spirit, Breath of life

People: Have mercy on us.

Minister: Let us confess together.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

God of compassion, we confess our reluctance to lean fully into the lavishness of your grace. We limit the boundaries of your love and therefore, place false limits on our own capacity to love, give and serve you and others fully. Forgive us for our inclination to see the glass as half empty. Open us to expanded visions and dreams based on the many and varied resources you have entrusted to each of us.

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

KYRIE



Lord, have mer-cy u-pon us; Christ, have mer-cy u-pon us;



Lord, have mer-cy u-pon us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Minister: Before God, with the people of God, I confess to my brokenness: to the ways I wound my life, the lives of others, and the life of the world.

People: May God forgive you, Christ renew you, and the Spirit enable you to grow in love.

Minister: Amen.

People: Before God, with the people of God, we confess to our brokenness: to the ways we wound our lives, the lives of others, and the life of the world.

Minister: May God forgive you, Christ renew you, and the Spirit enable you to grow in love.

People: Amen.

*°DOXOLOGY



Praise God, from Whom all bless - ings flow; praise God all crea-tures



here be - low; praise God a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host; praise



Fath - er, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

A Reading from the Gospel According to Matthew

Now when Jesus heard this, he withdrew from there in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. When he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them and cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a deserted place, and the hour is now late; send the crowds away so that they may go into the villages and buy food for themselves." Jesus said to them, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat." They replied, "We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish." And he said, "Bring them here to me." Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. And all ate and were filled; and they took up what was left over of the broken pieces, twelve baskets full. And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

The Word of the Lord.

LORD'S SUPPER

508 For the Bread Which You Have Broken

KINGDOM 8.7.8.7

Louis FitzGerald Benson, 1924; alt.

V. Earle Copes, 1959



1. For the bread which You have bro - ken, For the wine which You have poured,
2. By this prom - ise that You love us, By Your gift of peace re - stored,
3. With the saints who now a - dore You Seat-ed at the heaven-ly board,
4. In Your ser - vice, Lord, de - fend us; In our hearts keep watch and ward;



For the words which You have spo-ken, Now we give You thanks, O Lord.
By Your call to heaven a - bove us, Hal - low all our lives, O Lord.
May the church still wait - ing for You Keep love's tie un - bro - ken, Lord.
In the world to which You send us Let Your king-dom come, O Lord.



WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SOLO *A Song of Freedom*, Psalm 126 and Hymn C. V. Stanford
Timothy Bruett, Baritone

THE WORD OF 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.

SCRIPTURE LESSON Matthew 14:13—21 (NT, p. 16 in pew Bible)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON *The Myth of Scarcity* David A. Van Dyke
"We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish."

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

°HYMN 508 *For the Bread Which You have Broken* Kingdom

°AFFIRMATION OF FAITH. The Apostles' Creed Jeffrey T. Foels

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERING (Online giving is possible through your smart phone. See p. 8)

OFFERTORY *Ave Verum* Louis Vierne

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Minister: The Lord is with you.

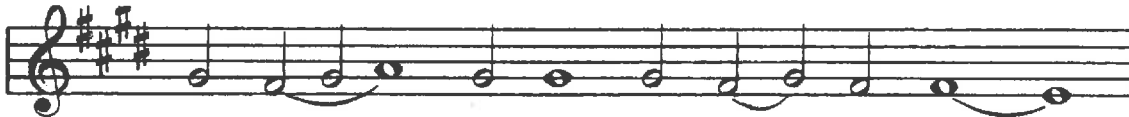
People:



And with thy spir - it.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.


People:



We lift them up un-to the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.


People:



It is meet and right so to do.

Minister: We offer you praise, dear God . . . who forever sing to the glory of your name:

Sanctus (congregation)



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of Hosts,



Heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry:



Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord Most High. A - men.

Minister: You are holy, O God of majesty, and blessed is Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord... Continue to hear us, O God, as we pray together the prayer Christ taught us, saying:

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.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

(Communion is celebrated by intinction this morning. Following the Words of Institution, ushers will dismiss the congregation from the back. Please come forward in two lines up the center aisle and receive the elements. Dip your bread into the cup and partake of them prior to returning to your pew along the side aisles. Those unable to come forward will be served in the pew. If you prefer a gluten-free wafer, please inform the server.)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Minister: Bless the Lord, O my soul;

People: **And all that is within me, bless God's holy name!**

Minister: Bless the Lord, O my soul;

People: **And forget not all God's benefits.**

Minister and people:

We thank you, God, for our daily bread, for the food which delights and nourishes us and for companionship that sustains us. We thank you, too, for clean, cool water to quench our thirst, and for the Living Water with which you surprise and enrich and transform our lives. Amen.

°CLOSING HYMN 281

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CWM Rhondda

°BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Johann Gottfried Walther

Carillon Postlude

David W. Johnson

*Late entrants may be seated.

°Stand as you are able

281 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CWM RHONDDA 8.7.8.7.8.7.7

William Williams, 1745

Stanza 1 trans. Peter Williams, 1771

Stanzas 2-3 trans. William Williams, 1772

John Hughes, 1907

1. Guide me, O Thou great Je - ho - vah, Pil - grim through this
 2. O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain, Whence the heal - ing
 3. When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, Bid my anx - ious

bar - ren land; I am weak, but Thou art might - y; Hold me
 stream doth flow; Let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar Lead me
 fears sub - side; Death of death, and hell's de - struc - tion, Land me

with Thy power - ful hand; Bread of heav - en, bread of heav - en,
 all my jour - ney through; Strong de - liv - erer, strong de - liv - erer,
 safe on Ca - naan's side; Songs of prais - es, songs of prais - es

Feed me till I want no more, Feed me till I want no more.
 Be Thou still my strength and shield, Be Thou still my strength and shield.
 I will ev - er give to Thee, I will ev - er give to Thee.

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 —

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION is celebrated today. All who put their faith and trust in Jesus Christ are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Elements served are bread and grape juice. Gluten-free wafers are available. Request one from your server.

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.

GREETERS TODAY are: Jan and Paul Anderson, Bill and Joan Frank, Kathe and Phil Bolinder, Larry Nelson, Patrick Boylan.

CARILLON RECITAL today at 4 p.m. will feature Kipp Cortez.

Come to a **NEIGHBORHOOD PUPPET SHOW** tonight at 7 p.m.! The Open Eye Figure Theatre's Driveway Tour will set up on House of Hope's front lawn to perform *Tucker's Robot* - a show that is entertaining for all ages! The event is free and open to the public, so invite friends, family members, and neighbors. The actors will "pass the hat" after the performance to request a donation (suggested donation of \$10-20 per family). Bring a chair or a blanket to sit on and join us for this fun event. Refreshments will be served! Contact Jill Winter at (612) 702-2978 for more information.

2017 PLEDGE REVENUE SHORTFALL UPDATE: Budgets are never an easy thing to write or talk about. But the reality of the current situation of the \$115,000 shortfall in pledge revenue needs to be addressed. Pastor Van Dyke and Stewardship Chair Sherwood Pomeroy shared the information with the congregation in a recent letter and asked for your support to close the budget gap. To date we received a positive responses from 58 families or individuals for a total of \$52,395 in increased pledges or gifts. Which means we still have \$62,605 to go to make our 2017 income goal. Please prayerfully consider an additional gift to help close this budget gap to support the ongoing needs of our church.

Edward D. Clapp joined The House of Hope Presbyterian Church on June 25, 1948. He entered the Church Triumphant on July 26, 2017. A memorial service will be held at The House of Hope. Arrangements are pending and a notice will be forthcoming.

Douglas C. Anderson, a friend of The House of Hope Presbyterian Church, entered the Church Triumphant on July 27, 2017. A memorial service will be held at House of Hope at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, August 9, 2017. A reception will follow in the Kirk Parlour.

"If we live, we live to the Lord and if we die, we die to the Lord; so then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord's." Romans 14:8

Former House of Hope Associate Pastor **Darlene Stensby** is undergoing cancer treatment. You can find her story and communicate with Darlene and her family via CaringBridge at www.caringbridge.org.

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THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
EVENTS: SUNDAY, AUGUST 6 — AUGUST 13, 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, August 7

CENTERING PRAYER is not meeting in August and will resume on September 11, 2017.

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, August 8

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 will take place in the Kirk Parlour at 4 p.m. Richard Leitch will speak on *The Conflict in the South China Sea*. The South China Sea has been a focus of competing territorial claims for many years with increasing military pressure from China. Our guest speaker Richard Leitch has been a member of the Gustavus Adolphus Political Science Department since 1996. He teaches courses on International Relations, Asian Politics, and Comparative Politics. Great Decisions is a non-partisan U.S. Foreign Policy discussion group established by the U.S. Foreign Policy Association and sponsored by Global Minnesota. Register in the office or call (651) 227-6311.

Thursday, August 10

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.

Thursday, August 10 (Continued)

On **Thursday August 10**, at 9:45 a.m., the **ORGAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY** will be presenting a concert at House of Hope featuring organist Aaron David Miller. This event is part of the Organ Historical Society's convention being held in the Twin Cities this year. The convention attracts organ builders and organists from all over the world. House of Hope is one of 38 locations convention goers are touring around the Twin Cities. Aaron is one of the few local organists being featured as part of the convention. The concert at House of Hope will include works of Bach, Paulus, Reger, and Vierne. The concert is free and open to public. Please join us!

Friday, August 11

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. **August 11: *Only Time Will Tell***, Jeffrey Archer.

Sunday, August 13

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

**Final 2017 Summer Carillon Recital
August 13, 4 p.m.**

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.

During the summer months, the **CLOISTER ART GALLERY** will feature "The Great Human Race" lithographs by John L. Doyle. The original thirty lithographs are ordinarily displayed in the Great Hall. By the end of summer, we will display 9 monochrome stone prints, paired with their corresponding lithographs as well as other lithographs. "The Great Human Race" portrays the legends, the warriors, the culture, the youth, and the religions of humankind. The collection was given to The House of Hope by our late member Harlan D. Boss, in memory of Gene Dawley, who supported the arts and artists throughout his life.

— UPCOMING —

Do you know a child who loves to sing? All children ages 4-18 are welcome to make a joyful noise in **THE HOUSE OF HOPE CHOIR SCHOOL!** Musical skills are taught through choral music in rehearsal, worship, and performance. Previous musical training is not required and you do not need to be a House of Hope member to join. See our website www.hohchurch.org/choir-school for more information and contact Choir School Director Sofia Ardalan at SofiaA@hohchurch.org to set up an audition appointment. **Next registration is available August 27-30, by appointment.**

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS will take place on **Sunday, August 20.** A canopy will be provided outdoors where you may sit with your pets and listen to the 10 a.m. worship service. The blessing will take place under the canopy right after worship. All pets and their people are welcome!

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 \$5. 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.

CONFIRMATION AT THE HOUSE OF HOPE is a one-year program that begins and ends in ninth grade. This year's class begins with a Confirmation Retreat from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. on **Saturday, September 16,** starting with a combined students-and-parents informational meeting at 10 a.m. in the Kirby Lounge. If you or someone you know is entering ninth grade, and would like to join our class, please contact Jeff at jfoels@hohchurch.org.

The **INTERCESSORS GUILD** at The House of Hope has been in prayer for the church, its members and missions, for nearly one hundred years! If you have a joy or concern for which you would like confidential and consistent prayer to be added to the intercessor prayer list, call or email David Goudzwaard-Vaught (DavidGV@hohchurch.org, (651) 223-7540) or Pastor Julia Carlson (juliac@hohchurch.org, (651) 223-7553).

INTERGENERATIONAL OPPORTUNITY: Have you ever worked with children or youth, considered working with children or youth, or just thought that they're great? If so, this could be the perfect gig for you! We invite you to join our Sunday school leadership team for the 2017-2018 school year. No experience necessary. We will provide you with training on the curriculum and teach you how to manage children and youth in a group setting. You will have the full support of a teaching partner as well as the staff. Will you partner with us as we witness the faith journey of our children and youth this year? For more information or to join the team, please contact Kiera Stegall at KieraS@hohchurch.org or (651) 223-7547 or Doug Snaza at DougS@hohchurch.org or (651) 223-7549.

WEEK BEGINNING AUGUST 6, 2017

Sunday, August 6, 2017

- 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
- 5:30 p.m. Peace and Justice Committee Meeting, Library
- 7:00 p.m. Neighborhood Puppet Show, Summit Lawn

Monday, August 7, 2017

- 9:00 a.m. Bulletin deadline

- 6:00 p.m. AA, Great Hall

- 6:00 p.m. Al-Anon, Youth Room

Tuesday, August 8, 2017

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast, St. Clair Broiler

Wednesday, August 9, 2017

- 10:30 a.m. Didier Committee Meeting, Room 1

Thursday, August 10, 2017

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast, St. Clair Broiler

- 9:45 a.m. Organ Historical Society

- Convention, Sanctuary
- 1:00 p.m. Library Committee, Library

Friday, August 11, 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, August 13, 2017

- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary
- David A. Van Dyke, preaching

- 4:00 p.m. Carillon Recital

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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