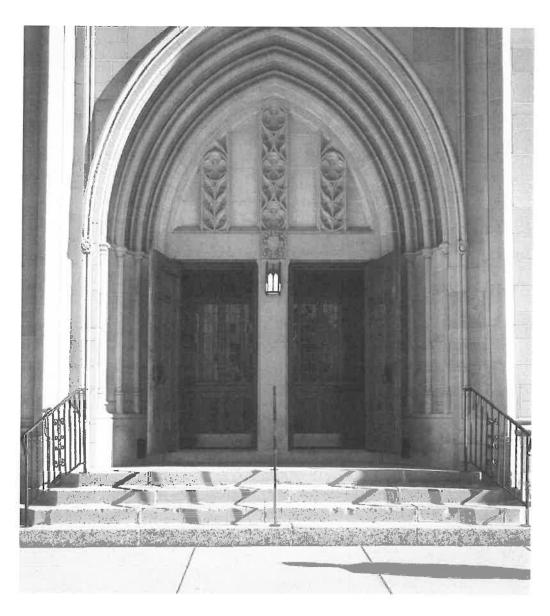
THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



"Well I came home, Like a stone
And I fell heavy into your arms
These days of dust, Which we've known
Will blow away with this new sun
But I'll kneel down, Wait for now
And I'll kneel down, Know my ground
And I will wait, I will wait for you."

-- Mumford & Sons, lyrics "I Will Wait"

Seventh Sunday of Easter | May 13, 2018 10 a.m.

Welcome

House of Hope welcomes all who worship here today. Our caring and active community welcomes you. We extend the hospitality of Christ to all who gather here.

Today's Worship

Our regular Sunday Worship time is 10 a.m., followed by refreshments, fellowship, and educational opportunities. If you have any questions, our greeters or ushers will be glad to help you. **We invite you to join us for refreshments**, including fair trade coffee, served in the Kirk Parlour following the service.

Professional childcare is provided for infants through age 3 from 9:30 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. in the East wing.

- Infants to 18 months | Room 8
- Toddlers 19 months to 3 years | Room 2
- PreK through 4th grade are invited to the East Wing after the Time for Children.
- 5th-6th grade are invited to Room 17 for Tween Transitions following the sermon.

Large print hymnals and bulletins are available from ushers. Hearing devices can be signed out from the table in the Narthex. Ushers are available for assistance. Please return the hearing device after worship.

Live broadcasts and audio versions of worship services are available at **hohchurch.org**. Copies of past sermons are available at the church's Welcome Centers and in the rack across from the Assembly Room.

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.

The yellow Pastoral Concerns cards 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 a way to keep us informed about the life of our members.

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 at (651) 227-6311, to let us know. If you know someone else in the congregation who could benefit from a visit, please contact the church.

Are you visiting?

Thank you for choosing to worship at House of Hope. Guests are invited to sign the Friendship registration pad. Please include an email or street address so we can tell you about worship, mission, and events at The House of Hope. Please look for hospitality greeters who wear the "Welcome" tag for information.

THE APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude

Preludium in G minor Dietrich Buxtehude Aaron David Miller, organist

Introit

Take Up Your Cross Dietrich Buxtehude
The Motet Choir, Matthew Culloton, choirmaster

* * Processional Hymn 487

When Morning Gilds the SkiesLaudes Domini

*Eastertide Call to Worship — Psalm 1 — Jeffrey T. Foels

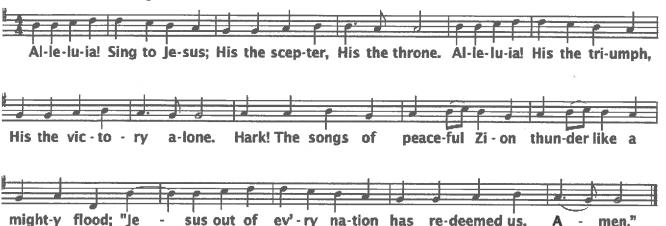
(Congregation reads the text in bold)

Blessed are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked Who do not stand on the road of sinners, Who do not sit with the disrespectful.

Blessed are those who love the Lord's Instruction, Who recite God's word day and night!
They are like a tree planted by streams of water,
Which bears fruit at just the right time,
And whose leaves do not fade.

The Lord watches over the way of the righteous.

* + Eastertide Response



Anthem

Exsultate Justi

Ludovico Viadana

Rejoice in the Lord, O ye just; praise befits the upright.

Give praise to the Lord on the harp; sing to him with the psaltery, the instrument of ten strings.

Sing to him a new canticle, sing well unto him with a loud noise.

Rejoice in the Lord, O ye just; praise befits the upright.

Welcome and Announcements

Recognition of Graduating Seniors

THE WORD OF GOD -

Choral Ascription

Let thy word abide is us, O Lord.

First Lesson

Exodus 16: 1–4 (OT, pp. 62-63 in pew Bible)Stephen Brachlow

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Anthem

St Cecilia and St Nicholas Choirs, Sofia Ardalan, conductor, Marilyn Ampe, pianist

The Lord bless you and keep you: the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up the light of his countenance upon you and give you peace. Amen.

-Numbers 6:24

Time for Children — Doug Snaza

(PreK-4th grade have the option of staying in the Sunday worship service or exiting after the Time for Children to the East Wing.)

Second Lesson

Acts 1: 1-11 (NT, p. 118 in pew Bible)

Minister: The Word of the Lord. **People:** Thanks be to God.

Sermon — Andrew L. McDonald

The Book of Action: "Wait For It!"

(5th-6th graders may exit after the sermon for Tween Transitions in Room 17.)

THE RESPONSE TO GOD ———

†Hymn	363
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I Want Jesus to Walk with Me......Sojourner

*Affirmation of Faith — The Barmen Confession (Congregation reads the text in bold)

Christ Jesus is the one whom God made our wisdom, our righteousness, our sanctification and our redemption.

Jesus Christ is God's assurance of the forgiveness of all our sins.

Jesus is also God's mighty claim upon our whole life. Through him we are graced with a joyful deliverance from the godless chains of this world, and for a free, grateful service to his creatures.

We reject as false doctrine the idea that there are areas of our life in which we would not belong to Jesus Christ, but to other lords—areas in which we would not need justification and sanctification through Christ.

Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body is joined and knit together.

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.

Offering (Online giving is available. See back cover.)

Offertory Anthem

The Lord is the Everlasting God Kenneth Jennings

The Lord is the everlasting God,

The Creator of the ends of the earth,

Who does not faint or grow weary;

Whose understanding is unsearchable.

God gives power to the faint, and strengthens the powerless.

Even youths will faint and be weary;

And the young will fall exhausted;

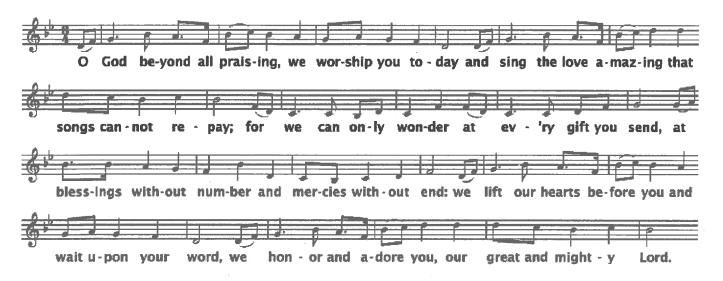
But those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength,

They shall mount up with wings like eagles,

They shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.

Have you not heard? Have you not known?

⁺Offertory Response



*Prayer of Dedication

*Recessional Hymn 485

To God Be the Glory To God Be the Glory

+Benediction

Postlude

Carillon Postlude

David W. Johnson, carillonneur

Today's Greeters

Jim and Silvey Barge, Evelyn Sunness, Kit Burch, James Brooks, Pam and Jeff Patterson, Marilyn and Gus Bjorklund

The Session has called a **Meeting of the Congregation** for next Sunday, May 20, immediately following the 10:00 a.m. worship service in the sanctuary, for the purpose of voting on adopting the recommendations contained in the Trustee Property Work Group's document for the proposed sale of the Manse, Meeting House, and the lot between.

The **Ordination and Installation of Officers** will be held during worship on Sunday, May 20.

All newly elected officers are required to attend.

Graduating High School Senior Recognition. Today we are congratulating our graduationg high school seniors! Join us in worship as we recognize them and wish them well on their next steps. There will be a table in the Kirk Parlour to write notes of congratulations to the graduates. Please join us after worship. Our graduates are: Elizabeth Bedingham, Roland Berg, Juan Burleigh, Terry Cheney, Thomas Daigle, Robert Dean, Ana Essig, Dominic Favorito, Ellie Findell, Lauren Pike, Sonja Quimby, Kathryn van der Merwe, Shiferaw Williamson, Vincent Woodward.

Upcoming Events:

The Didier Seminar

May 18, 2018 | 6:30 p.m.
Dr. J. Andrew Overman, speaker
Macalester College Professor
Topic: When Stones Speak: Digging Deeper
into Jesus Movements, Formative Judaism,
and the Rise and Expansion of Islam
(Didier registration at www.hohchurch.org
or outside the Kirk Parlour on Sundays May 6 and 13)

Sunday Series

May 20, 2018 | 2:00 p.m.
Dr. Michael Eric Dyson, speaker
Georgetown University Professor
and New York Times Best Selling Author of
Tears We Cannot Stop: A Sermon to White America
(No registration required.)
A book signing will follow in the Kirk Parlour, and books are available for purchase onsite.

Both events are free and all are welcome. Visit www.hohchurch.org for more information.

Text Giving

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The House of Hope Presbyterian Church is a Stephen Ministry Church.



News & Opportunities

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

May 13 - 20, 2018

Choir School Spring Concert. Today at 2 p.m. in the Sanctuary, The House of Hope Choir School presents *We Are The Music Makers*, an exciting program of music spanning from 16th century sacred anthems to 19th century opera to Broadway. Come hear the beautiful voices of our choristers celebrating music and singing. Free and open to the public.

Mother's Day Flowers. Please stop by the East Wing entrance after the service today if you would like a flower to give to a mother on Mother's Day – every mother deserves one! The youth will be helping plant the flowers.

Cloister Gallery Children's Art Exhibit: May 1-June 4, 2018. Children Artists (up through High School). Creative Expressions made art will also be exhibited.

Upcoming

Centering Prayer at the House of Hope takes place on Mondays at 11:00 a.m. in the Kirk Parlour. To learn more about Centering Prayer and enhance our practice, we are reading *Manifesting God* by Thomas Keating at 10:15 a.m. Our practice of Centering Prayer still begins at 11:00.

Ice Cream Social. Enjoy the unofficial start of summer on May 20 following worship, featuring special music from the carillon.

Adult Enrichment. Sunday May 20 at 11:15 a.m. in the Assembly Room will feature former House of Hope Associate Pastor Josh Heikkila on Ministry in Ghana. Josh serves West Africa as a PCUSA Mission Co-worker. He will share stories and pictures from his work in West Africa.

Garden Volunteers are needed. Interest and queries: houseofhopegarden@gmail.com or see Elizabeth Karre.

Choir School Registration.

Sunday, May 20, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.Choir School offers outstanding music education and choral training to all children PreK-grade 12. No prior experience necessary and the Choir School is open to both members and non-members of the HOH. For more information, visit hohchurch.org/choir-school or contact Choir School Director Sofia Ardalan at SofiaA@hohchurch.org.

A Property Work Group Information

Session will be held on Wednesday, May 16 at 4:00 p.m. in the Kirk Parlour. Trustees will be available to answer questions about the Property Work Group recommendations for the proposed sale of the The Manse, The Meeting House, and the lot between.

Summer Camp Registration. Summer is on its way! Stop by the summer camp registration table in the east wing to learn more about Clearwater Forest Family Camp on June 8 - 10 and Summer Camp in the City on June 18 - 21.

Volunteer Opportunities at Prior Crossing in May. Prior Crossing, in partnership with an organization called Build Wealth will offer mentoring, financial and stress management classes to residents. Prior Crossing plans to feed attendees at every event and requests HOH Members to volunteer to set up, serve food and clean up dinner. Staff will be present to support the event. The event dates are as follows: May 15, 16,22, 23, 29, and 30 at 5 p.m. Please email Caroline Stone at chws@mac. com if you are interested in volunteering at one or more of these evenings.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

Volunteers are still needed for the two week Faith Builders, Habitat for Humanity project. Dates are May 21-25 and June 4-8. We'll be doing new construction at 864 Margaret Street on St. Paul's east side. All skill levels are needed and you can work any number of days. Contact Dave Olsen davewolsen@yahoo.com or Jenny Stevens jnn.stevens@gmail.com to learn more or sign up.

Week Beginning May 13, 2018

Sunday,	May 13, 2018	Thursday	, May 17, 2018	
9:00 a.m.	Anchor Deadline	7:00 a.m.	Thursday Men's Breakfast, Joseph's	
9:30 a.m.	Child Care, Rooms 2 and 8	9:00 a.m.	Bulletin Deadline (for May 27)	
10:00 a.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary	9:15 a.m.	Bible Study, Library	
10:15 a.m.	Sunday Studio, Room 4	10:00 a.m.	Storytime at Red Balloon Book Shop	
10:15 a.m.	Godly Play, Rooms 5 and 7	1:00 p.m.	Library Committee, Library	
10:45 a.m.	Tween Transitions, Room 17	5:30 p.m.	Grief Support Groups, St John Evangelis	
11:15 a.m.	Fellowship in the Kirk Parlour	6:00 p.m.	Third Thursday Group,	
2:00 p.m.	Choir School Concert, Sanctuary	·	Women's Advocates	
Monday, May 14, 2018		Friday, M	Friday, May 18, 2018	
10:15 a.m.	Centering Prayer Book Discussion, Kirk	7:00 a.m.	Women's Breakfast Book Group,	
11:00 a.m.	Centering Prayer, Kirk Parlour		Kirk Parlour	
Tuesday, May 15, 2018		9:15 a.m.	Bulletin Volunteers, Library	
7:00 a.m.	Tuesday Men's Breakfast,	12:30 p.m.	Yoga, Meeting House	
	Louisiana Café	6:00 p.m.	Didier Seminar, Kirk Parlour/Sanctuary	
6:00 p.m.	Session Meeting, Kirk Parlour	Sunday, May 20, 2018		
Wednesday, May 16, 2018		10:00 a.m.	•	
9:30 a.m.	Bible Study, Library	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary Rev. Andrew L. McDonald, preaching	
10:00 a.m.	Story-Time Drop-in, Steppingstone		Ordination and Installation of Officers	
1:30 p.m.	Stephen Ministry Supervision, Room 6	11:00 a.m.	Congregational Meeting, Sanctuary	
4:00 p.m.	Property Work Group Info Session, Kirk	11:15 a.m.	Ice Cream Social	
5:45 p.m.	Yoga, Meeting House 3rd Floor	11:15 a.m.	Adult Enrichment, Assembly Room	
6:30 p.m.	Stephen Min. Supervision Grp 2, Room 1	2:00 p.m.	Sunday Series, Sanctuary	
		3:00 p.m.	Michael Eric Dyson book signing, Kirk Parlour	

For a full listing of events and activities, see our calendar on the homepage of our website www.hohchurch.org

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