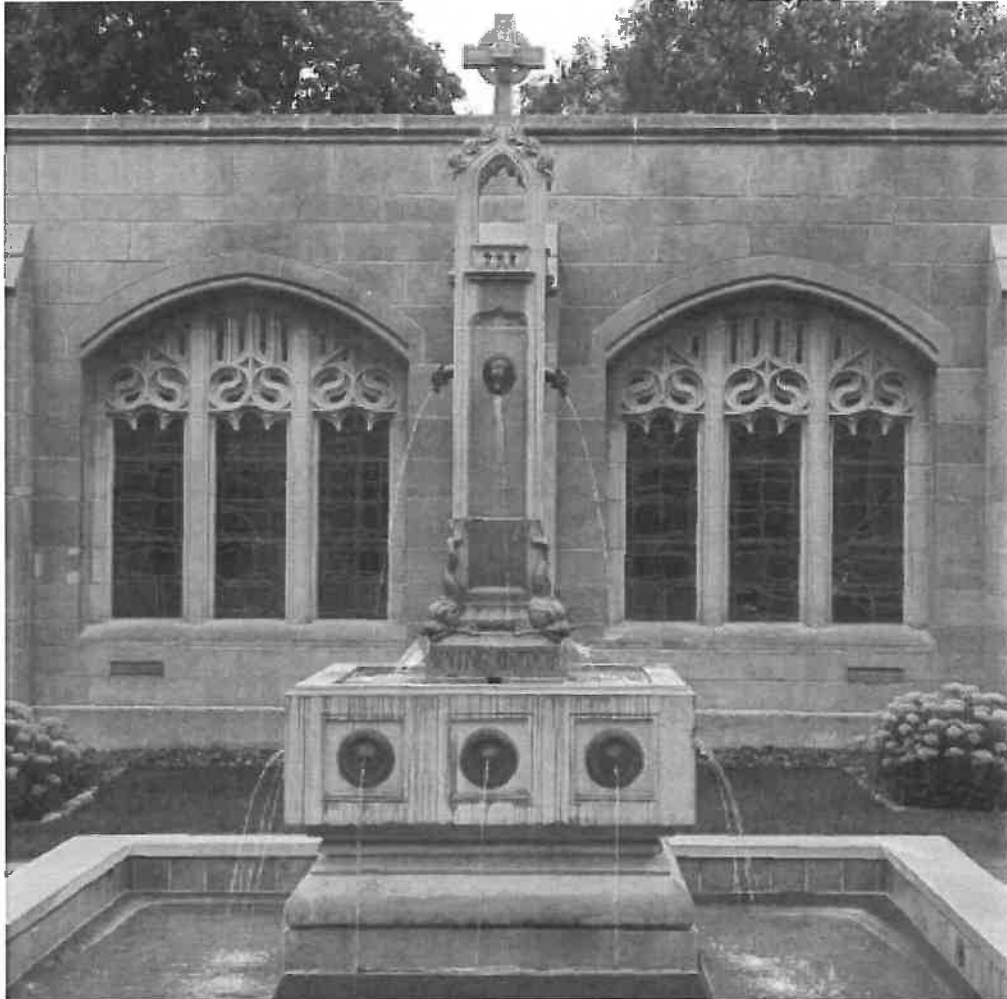


# THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



"Jesus said to his disciples, 'Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat, or about your body, what you will wear. For life is more than food, and the body more than clothing. Consider the ravens: they neither sow nor reap, they have neither storehouse nor barn, and yet God feeds them. Of how much more value are you than the birds! And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? If then you are not able to do so small a thing as that, why do you worry about the rest? Consider the lilies, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin; yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these.'" - Luke 12: 22-27

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time | July 8, 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.– 11:15 a.m. in the East wing.

- Infants to 18 months | Room 8
- Toddlers 19 months to 3 years | Room 2
- PreK through Rising 6th graders are invited to the East Wing after the Time for Children.

**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](http://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 our 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

*Psalm 150* ..... Benedetto Marcello  
Aaron David Miller, organist

## Introit

*With Gladness We Worship* ..... George Elvey  
The Motet Choir; Matthew Culloton, Choirmaster

## Call to Worship — Jeffrey T. Foels

*(Congregation reads the text in bold)*

God is mighty in word and deed.

**God's mercy is everlasting.**

Blessed be the one holy and living God.

**Glory to God forever.**

## \* + Processional Hymn 486

*When the Morning Stars Together* ..... Weisse Flaggen

## Call to Confession *(congregation seated)* — Julia A. Carlson

Minister: The Lord is with you.

People: And also with you.

*Cantor:*



*Congregation:*



## Prayer of Confession (unison)

Loving God,  
we confess that we do not believe  
that you have overcome sin and death.  
We are more in touch with the pangs of our weakness  
than we are with the power of your love.  
In fear, we worship idols;  
in despair, we collapse in hopelessness;  
in rage, we seek to dominate others.  
O God, forgive us.  
O God, have mercy on us and grant us peace.  
*(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: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.  
People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

## \* + 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.

## Welcome and Announcements

### Anthem

Kyrie (from Mass in C) .....Ludwig van Beethoven

Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison. *Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.*

## ———— THE WORD OF GOD ————

### First Lesson

Ezekiel 17:22-24 (OT, p. 784 in pew Bible) ..... Phil Bolinder

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

### Time for Children — Kiera Stegall

*(PreK–Rising 6th graders have the option of staying in the Sunday worship service or exiting after the Time for Children to the East Wing.)*

### Second Lesson

2 Kings 5:1-14 (OT, p. 336 in pew Bible)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

### Sermon — Jeffrey T. Foels

*Along the Journey*

## ———— THE RESPONSE TO GOD ————

### + Hymn 421

*The Church of Christ in Every Age* ..... Wareham

+ **Affirmation of Faith** — from A Brief Statement of Faith

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.  
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

**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**

*O Sing Joyfully* ..... Adrian Batten

O sing joyfully unto God our strength:  
Make a cheerful noise unto the God of Jacob.  
Take the song, bring hither the tabret:  
The merry harp with the lute.

Blow up the trumpet in the new moon:  
Even in the time appointed,  
and upon our solemn feast day.  
For this was made a statute for Israel:  
And a law of the God of Jacob.

## + Offertory Response



O God be-yond all prais-ing, we wor-ship you to - day and sing the love a-maz-ing that  
songs can - not re - pay; for we can on-ly won-der at ev - 'ry gift you send, at  
bless-ings with-out num-ber and mer-cies with-out end: we lift our hearts be-fore you and  
wait u-pon your word, we hon - or and a-dore you, our great and might - y Lord.

## + Prayer of Dedication

## + Recessional Hymn 430

*Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!* ..... Darwall's 148th

## + Benediction

## Postlude

*Psalm 19* ..... Benedetto Marcello

## Carillon Postlude

David W. Johnson, carillonneur

## Today's Greeters

Jim and Silvey Barge, Bill and Lola Christianson, Kit Burch, James Brooks,  
Pam and Jeff Patterson, Marilyn and Gus Bjorklund

**The Communion Table Flowers** are given in loving memory of William Burch.

**The Pulpit Flowers** are given in loving memory of Bruce Sanson.

**The Lectern Flowers** are given in loving memory of Marjorie J. Bowers.

The Session has called a **Meeting of the Congregation** for Sunday, July 15, immediately following the 10:00 a.m. worship service in the Sanctuary, for the purpose of concurring with Jeffrey T. Foels' request to the Presbytery of the Twin Cities Area that the pastoral relation between Jeffrey T. Foels and The House of Hope Presbyterian Church be dissolved, effective July 31, 2018.

## On the Cover

Water fountain in the Garth. Dedicated November 26, 1972 in memory of Harry C. Lundquist. Designed by Harlan Boss and executed by Amerigo J. Brioschi of the St. Paul Statuary Company. An inscription wraps around the base of the fountain that reads: *He shall lead them to fountains of living water.* Several stained glass windows are visible behind the the fountain. Dedicated August 5, 1990, the windows were designed by Peter Mollica and fabricated by Dieter Goldkuhle. Photo credit: Dick Crone.

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# News & Opportunities

July 8 - 15, 2018

**Summer Studio.** PreK (4 years old) – rising sixth grade are invited to join for Summer Studio in Room 4 after the Time for Children. We will explore Jesus' teachings, as we engage in a time of Bible readings and devotions.

We will also spend some time outside on the playground (weather permitting) and will enjoy Creative Expressions inspired art. Dress for the weather and wear sunscreen.

**Cloister Gallery.** June 5-July 30- Join us in the art gallery as we feature "The Life of Christ in Art" - Selections from the Westminster Collection by Dr. Rodney Allen Schwartz, Director, The Westminster Gallery and Archive. The exhibition features a broad spectrum of artists representing multi-cultural and multi-ethnic viewpoints depicting the events of Christ's life. **On Sunday, July 22, please join us in the gallery after church for a reception to meet the Westminster Curator, Dr. Rodney A. Schwartz.**

**Summer Carillon Recital Series.** Today, at 4:00 p.m. will feature Carillonneur Sue Bergren from the Naperville Millennium Carillon, Naperville, IL. Bring a blanket, folding chairs, or a picnic, and enjoy the music of the bells.

## 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.

**Great Decisions** meets on Tuesday, July 10, at 4 p.m. in the Kirk Parlour. Jeffrey Anderson, an Associate Professor in the Peace Studies Department at St. John's University and the College of St. Benedict, will speak on the topic: *Global Health Issues*. Inequities in health and wellbeing persist. The world faces old and new health challenges, including the rising rates of non-communicable diseases - cancer, heart disease, and diabetes. How can we turn the tide of these conditions? All are welcome to attend Great Decisions.

**Kirk Club.** For couples and singles who are fifty-five or better. Our next program will be **July 22 at 12:15 p.m. in Room 1.** Speaker: Dr. Rodney Allen Schwartz. Topic: Discussion on Art Exhibit, "The Life of Christ in Art" Selections from the Westminster's Collection. The cost for the meal is \$10 per person. To help with planning, please call the church office at 651-227-6311 by July 16 to make your reservation and payment for lunch.

**Celebrate the Ministry of Reverend Jeffrey Foels.** On Sunday, July 22, we will be celebrating Jeff's seven years in ministry with us at The House of Hope with recognition and thanksgiving during worship, and with a reception following in the Kirk Parlour.

**Popsicles in the Park.** Join us for Popsicles in the Park on Monday, July 23, from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. at the House of Hope Community Playground. Enjoy popsicles, music, bubbles, chalk, and play-time. Wear sunscreen. Bring a water bottle and favorite outdoor ball or activity. Parents are responsible for participating children. If it rains, we will postpone this event until August.

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**National Night Out 2018 (NNO) – Tuesday, August 7.** Planning for the 12th annual National Night Out for the neighborhood has begun and volunteers are needed to plan, organize and recruit community sponsors. Volunteers are also needed on August 7 starting at 4:00 p.m. to set-up and throughout the evening until it's time to clean up at 8:30 p.m. Are you a local business owner or know one, or have contacts in agencies that focus on making our community safer? Sponsors provide a great touch to NNO by providing information related to community building/improvement/crime prevention, children's, youth and/or adult activity, or donating food, canned/bottled beverages, door prize items, cash, etc. **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](mailto:PeteCardFive@outlook.com) or 651-341-7173.

## Week Beginning July 8, 2018

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### Sunday, July 8, 2018

- 9:30 a.m. Child Care, Rooms 2 and 8
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary
- 10:15 a.m. Summer Studio, Room 4
- 11:15 a.m. Fellowship in the Kirk Parlour
- 4:00 p.m. Carillon Recital, church grounds

### Monday, July 9, 2018

- 10:15 a.m. Prayer Book Discussion, Kirk Parlour
- 11:00 a.m. Centering Prayer, Kirk Parlour
- 5:30 p.m. Peace & Justice Committee Meeting, Kirby Lounge

### Tuesday, July 10, 2018

- 7:00 a.m. Tuesday Men's Breakfast, Louisiana Café
- 1:00 p.m. Didier Seminar Meeting, Room 1
- 4:00 p.m. Great Decisions, Kirk Parlour

### Wednesday, July 11, 2018

- 5:45 p.m. Yoga, Meeting House

### Thursday, July 12, 2018

- 7:00 a.m. Thursday Men's Breakfast, Joseph's
- 9:00 a.m. Bulletin Deadline (for July 22)
- 5:30 p.m. Grief Support Groups, St. John Evangelist

### Friday, July 13, 2018

- 7:00 a.m. Women's Breakfast Book Group, Kirk Parlour
- 9:15 a.m. Bulletin Volunteers, Library
- 11:00 a.m. Memorial Service for Clyde Reedy, Sanctuary
- 12:30 p.m. Yoga, Meeting House

### Sunday, July 15, 2018

- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary  
Julia A. Carlson, preaching
- 11:00 a.m. Congregational Meeting, Sanctuary
- 4:00 p.m. Carillon Recital, church grounds

For a full listing of events and activities, see our calendar on the homepage of our website [www.hohchurch.org](http://www.hohchurch.org)

Albert F. Bayly, 1969; alt.

As in *Tochter Sion*, Cologne, 1741

1. When the morn-ing stars to-geth-er Their Cre-a - tor's glo - ry sang,  
 2. When in syn - a - gogue and tem-ple Voic - es raised the psalm-ists' songs,  
 3. Voice and in - stru-ment in u - nion Through the a - ges spoke Your praise,  
 4. Lord, we bring our gift of mu - sic; Touch our lips and fire our hearts,

And the an - gel host all shout-ed Till with joy the heav-ens rang,  
 Of - fer - ing the a - do-ra - tion Which a - lone to You be - longs,  
 Plain-song, tune - ful hymns, and an - thems Told Your faith-ful, gra-cious ways.  
 Teach our minds and train our sens - es, Fit us for these sa - cred arts.

Then Your wis - dom and Your great-ness Their ex - ul - tant mu - sic told,  
 When the sing-ers and the cym-bals With the trum-pet made ac - cord,  
 Choir and or - ches - tra and or - gan Each a sa - cred of - fer-ing brought,  
 Then with skill and con-se - cra - tion We would serve You, Lord, and give

All the beau - ty and the splen-dor Which Your might-y works un - fold.  
 Glo - ry filled the house of wor - ship, And all knew Your pres-ence, Lord.  
 While, in - spired by Your own Spir - it, Po - et and com - pos - er wrought.  
 All our powers to glo - ri - fy You, And in serv - ing ful - ly live.

# The Church of Christ in Every Age

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WAREHAM LM

Fred Pratt Green, 1969

William Knapp, 1738

1. The church of Christ in every age, Be - set by  
2. A - cross the world, a - cross the street, The vic - tims  
3. Then let the ser - vant church a - rise, A car - ing  
4. For Christ a - lone, whose blood was shed, Can cure the

change but Spir - it led, Must claim and test its  
of in - jus - tice cry For shel - ter and for  
church that longs to be A part - ner in Christ's  
fe - ver in our blood, And teach us how to

her - i - tage And keep on ris - ing from the dead.  
bread to eat, And nev - er live un - til they die.  
sac - ri - fice, And clothed in Christ's hu - man - i - ty.  
share our bread And feed the starv - ing mul - ti - tude.

5. We have no mission but to serve  
In full obedience to our Lord:

To care for all, without reserve,  
And spread Christ's liberating word.

Another harmonization of this tune, 265

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# Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!

430

Brian Dill, 1988

DARWALL'S 148TH 6.6.6.8.8

John Darwall, 1770

1. Come sing, O church, in joy! Come join, O church, in song!  
2. Long years have come and gone, And still God reigns su - preme,  
3. Let cour-age be our friend, Let wis-dom be our guide,  
4. Come sing, O church, in joy! Come join, O church, in song!

For Christ the Lord has led us through the a - ges long!  
Em - power-ing us to catch the vi - sion, dream the dream!  
As we in mis-sion mag - ni - fy the Cru - ci - fied!  
For Christ the Lord has tri-umphed o'er the a - ges long!

In bold ac - cord, come cel-e-brate the jour-ney now and praise the Lord!

This tune in a lower key, 155

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