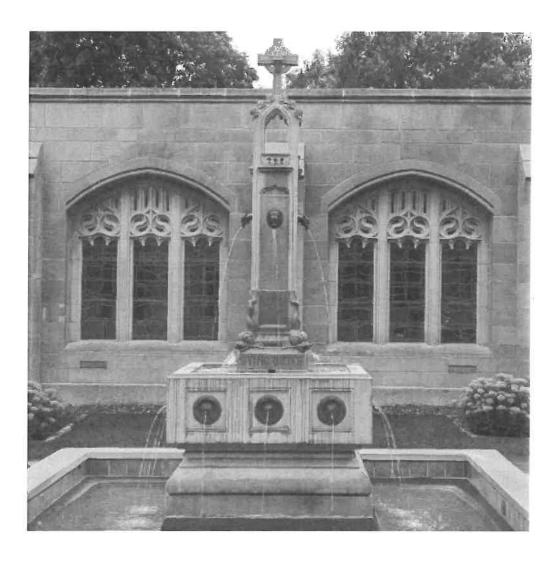
THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



The commandment to observe the Sabbath day is tied to the experience of a people newly released from bondage. Slaves cannot take a day off; free people can. The people remember that the Lord brought them out of slavery, and they will see to it that no one within their own dominion, not even animals, will work without respite. Sabbath rest is a recurring testimony against the drudgery of slavery.

Dorothy Bass

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time | August 19, 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.

Interested in Membership? You are welcome to attend a New Member Class today in the Library at 11:15 a.m. for brief time to hear more about The House of Hope and how you can become involved. A light lunch will be provided, and childcare is available.

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**. 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

Windows Aaron David Miller, organist

Emily Jones

Call to Worship

Rev. Julia A. Carlson

(Congregation reads the text in bold)

Holy God, Creator of the universe, you fashioned the world in love, and pronounced it good.

We gather before you in awe and wonder. You govern the world in grace and peace. In the greatest joy, we give you our thanks and praise!

* + Opening Hymn 138

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

Nicaea

Call to Confession (congregation seated)

Rev. Dr. Andrew L. McDonald

Minister: The Lord is with you.

People: And also with you.

Prayer of Confession (unison)

God of grace and truth,
to whose greatness our worship adds nothing,
but without whose worship we diminish everything,
we open our lives to you.
Our eyes have been closed to the wonder of your creation;
open us to see your loving hand.

Our ears have been closed to listening to you and to each other; help us to hear your voice speaking words of life.
Our priorities have been distorted by false pride; surprise us with your presence, that we may see, hear and live in the light of Jesus Christ.

(The prayer will continue with our silent confessions.)

Kyrie



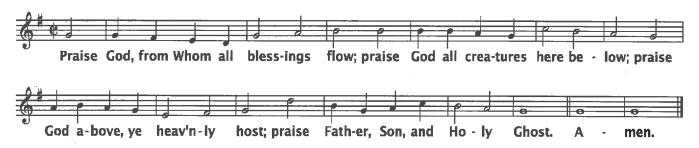
Lord, have mer-cy u-pon us; Christ, have mer-cy u-pon us; Lord, have mer-cy u-pon us.

Assurance of Pardon

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

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

* + Doxology



Welcome and Announcements

Solo

Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God Tor Johnson, Baritone

Carl Mueller

THE WORD OF GOD

First Lesson

Genesis 1:29–2:3 (OT, p. 2 in pew Bible)

Ann Geery

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

Time for Children — Doug Snaza

(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

Matthew 6:22-33 (NT, p. 6 in pew Bible)

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

Sermon

An Anchor and a Sail

Rev. Dr. Andrew L. McDonald

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

†Hymn 288

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Ellacombe

*Affirmation of Faith — The Heidelberg Catechism

(Congregation reads the text in bold)

What is the Law of God?
The Fourth Commandment
is to remember the Sabbath day,
to keep it holy.

Six days shall you labor, and do all your work;
but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God;
in it you shall not do any work,
you, or your son, or your daughter,
your manservant, or your maidservant, or your cattle,
or the sojourner who is within your gates;
for in six days the Lord made heaven and earth,
the sea and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day;
therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it.
In this, I cease from my evil works all the days of my life,
allow the Lord to work in me through the Holy Spirit,
and thus begin in this life the eternal Sabbath.

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.

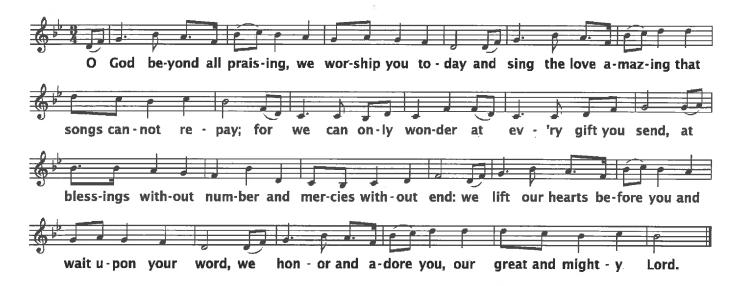
Offering (Online giving is available. See back cover.)

Offertory Solo

Lord, I Want to Be A Christian

American Spiritual

*Offertory Response



- *Prayer of Dedication
- ⁺Closing Hymn 467

How Great Thou Art

O Store Gud

*Benediction

Postlude

Carillon Postlude

David W. Johnson, carillonneur

Today's Greeters

Darrel Gubrud, Joyce Nelson, Sue Browne, Margaret Miller, Helen and Bob Mairs, Susie Williamson, Marilyn Eklund

Text Giving

The House of Hope offers text giving. Text HOH to 73256 and click the link to complete your gift. It's that easy.

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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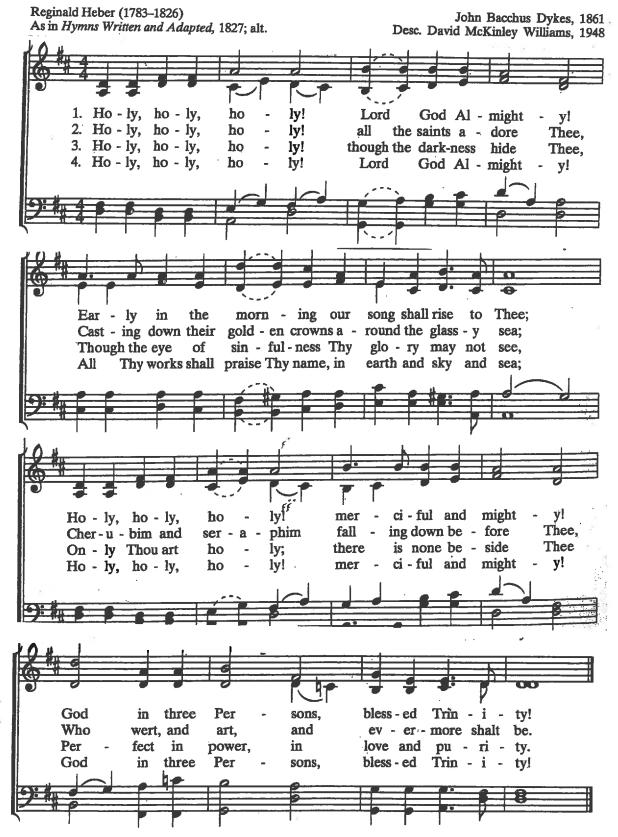


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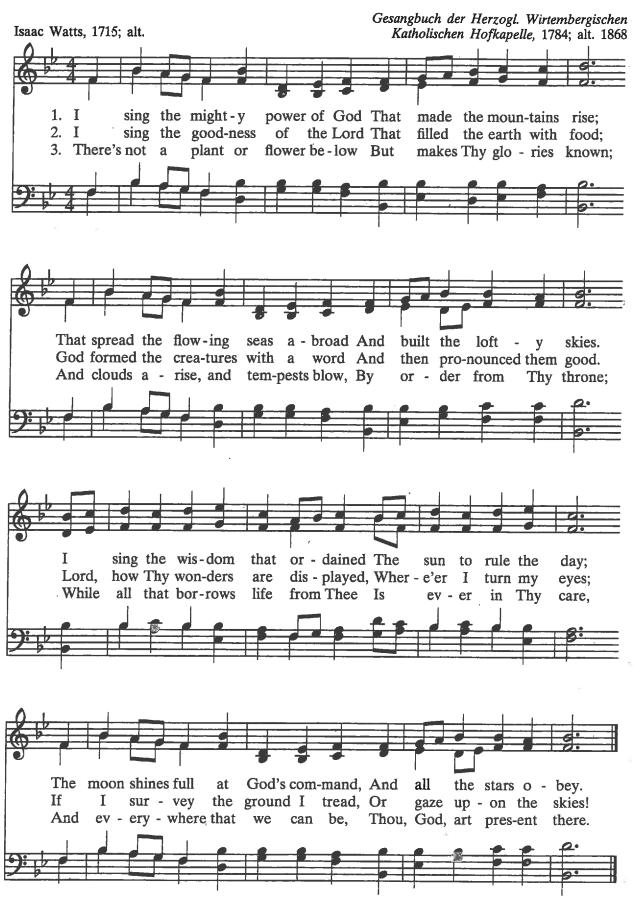
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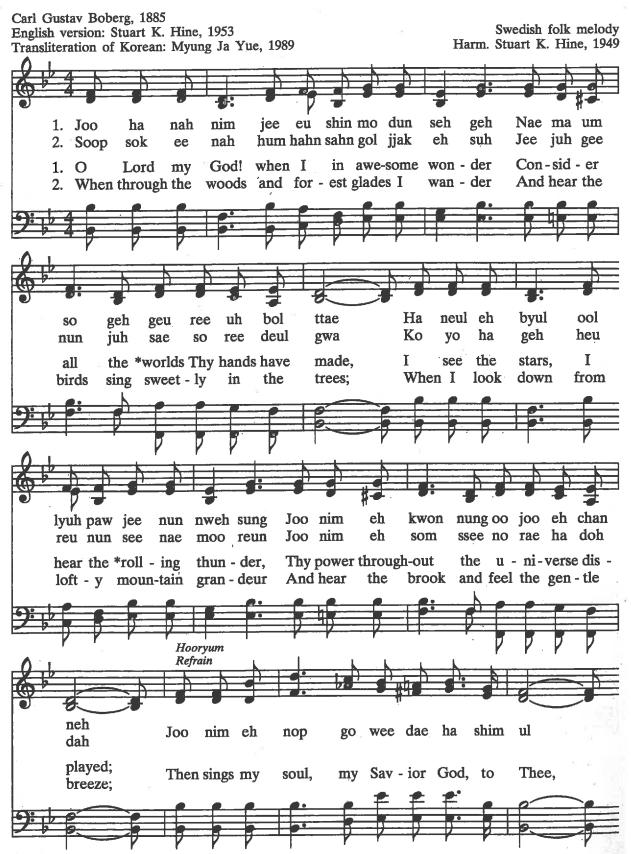
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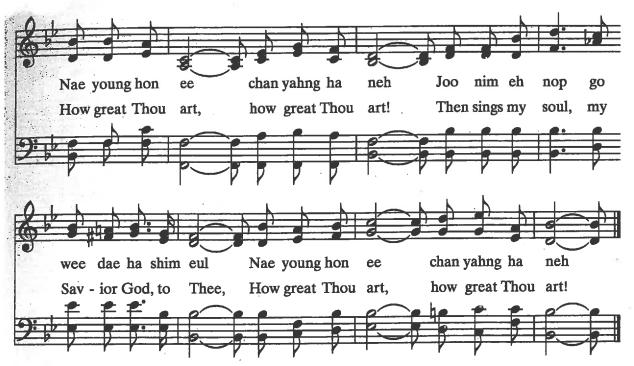
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How Great Thou Art

O STORE GUD 11.10.11.10 with refrain



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3. Joo ha nah nim tok seng ja ak kim up see Oo ree rul wee hae ddang eh bo nae uh Seep ja ga eh pee heul lyuh juk keh ha

Nae mo dun chway rul goo sok ha shun neh

Hooryum

3. And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,

Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in; That on the cross, my burden gladly

He bled and died to take away my sin; Refrain

4. Nae joo Ye su seh sahng eh dah see ol 4. When Christ shall come with shout ttae

Juh chun goo geu ro nal in doh ha ree Na kyum son hee up deu ryuh kyung bae ha myuh

Young won hee joo rul chan yahng ha ree rah

Hooryum

of acclamation

And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!

Then I shall bow in humble adoration,

And there proclaim, my God,

how great Thou art!

Refrain

^{*}Original English words were "works" and "mighty."



News & Opportunities

August 19 - 26, 2018

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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 Exhibit. July 31 through September 24. In anticipation of this year's Minnesota State Fair, the Cloister Art Gallery is pleased to feature award winning crop-art artist Darlene Thorud. Mrs. Thorud's medium is Minnesota grown crop seeds that meet the Minnesota State Fair requirements, and she relies mostly on using seeds in their natural colors.

Blessing of the Animals will take place today, August 19. A canopy is provided where you may sit with your pets and listen to the 10:00 a.m. service. The blessing will take place under the canopy right after worship. All pets and people are welcome!

New Member Class. There is a New Member Class today at 11:15 p.m. in the Library. Anyone interested in membership or for more information about The House of Hope is welcome to attend, even if you haven't RSVP'd. A light lunch will be served, and childcare is available.

Upcoming

Centering Prayer at the House of Hope takes place on Mondays at 11:00 a.m. in the Kirk Parlour. We are reading *Manifesting God* by Thomas Keating at 10:15 a.m. Our practice of Centering Prayer still begins at 11:00.

Prior Crossing: Hope's Closet. Our next "collection mission" for Prior Crossing is food. When residents feel hungry and need food support, we want to help Prior Crossing have a food supply with "no questions asked". We are starting a collection for the Hope's Food Pantry at Prior Crossing. Please bring the following items to the white bin in the Assembly Room whenever you can and feel moved to do so. Packages of ramen noodles, peanut butter, jelly, macaroni and cheese, canned foods or any non-perishable foods.

High Schoolers are hanging out at the State Fair on Sunday, August 26! We will meet at 1:00 p.m. at Doug Snaza's house. Please get dropped off, as parking is not easy! We will join with the Westminster Presbyterian youth and frolic at the fair in small groups until 4:00 p.m., where you may either get picked up or stay with parents' permission. Contact: Doug Snaza (651) 223-7549 or DougS@hohchurch.org.

Rally Sunday is September 9! It's the day our church community comes together for worship after many of us have been on a summer vacation at the lake, visiting family, or traveling in the U.S. and many parts of the world. The choirs return, education programs resume, we gather for fellowship. It is a family reunion! After 10:00 a.m. worship, we will enjoy an all-church picnic with burgers and hot dogs and all the trimmings. (The suggested donation to offset the cost of the meal is \$10 per person or max. \$30 per family.) See you at the reunion!

Make a Joyful Noise! The HOH Choir School offers outstanding choral training and music education for all children PreK-Grade 12. Registration is August 26-29. Contact Sofia Ardalan, Choir School Director, at SofiaA@hohchurch.org to make an audition appointment or for more information.

Rally Sunday Free Book Exchange. How do you pass on a good read? On Rally Sunday, HOH will have our version of "A Little Free Library"; if you have a good read you are ready to pass on, be it gardening, sci-fi, cookbook, mystery, theology, or something for young people and children, please drop it off at the church office between now and September 5. There will be a Book Swap table at our Rally Sunday Picnic where you or one of our neighbors might pick up something new to read.

Back to School Supplies for Community of Peace Academy. The students come from families with limited resources and who have no formal or limited education. These students are overcoming these obstacles as 90% of the students graduate and are accepted into college. Your support through donations of supplies and cash is most appreciated. Drop off items in the Assembly Room cloak room or mark your envelope/check to the House of Hope, memo: school supplies.

Week Beginning August 19, 2018

Sunday, August 19, 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

11:00 a.m. Blessing of the Animals, Summit Lawn

11:15 a.m. Fellowship in the Kirk Parlour

11:15 a.m. New Member Class, Library

Monday, August 20, 2018

10:15 a.m. Prayer Book Discussion, Kirk Parlour

11:00 a.m. Centering Prayer, Kirk Parlour

2:30 p.m. Loaves & Fishes, St. Matthews Church

6:00 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous, Great Hall

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

Tuesday, August 21, 2018

7:00 a.m. Tuesday Men's Breakfast,

Louisiana Café

Wednesday, August 22, 2018

No scheduled events.

Thursday, August 23, 2018

7:00 a.m. Thursday Men's Breakfast, Joseph's

9:00 a.m. Bulletin Deadline (for September 2)

Friday, August 24, 2018

7:00 a.m. Women's Breakfast Book Group,

Kirk Parlour

9:15 a.m. Bulletin Volunteers, Library

10:00 a.m. Pew Volunteers, Sanctuary

Sunday, August 26, 2018

10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary

Andrew L. McDonald, preaching

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