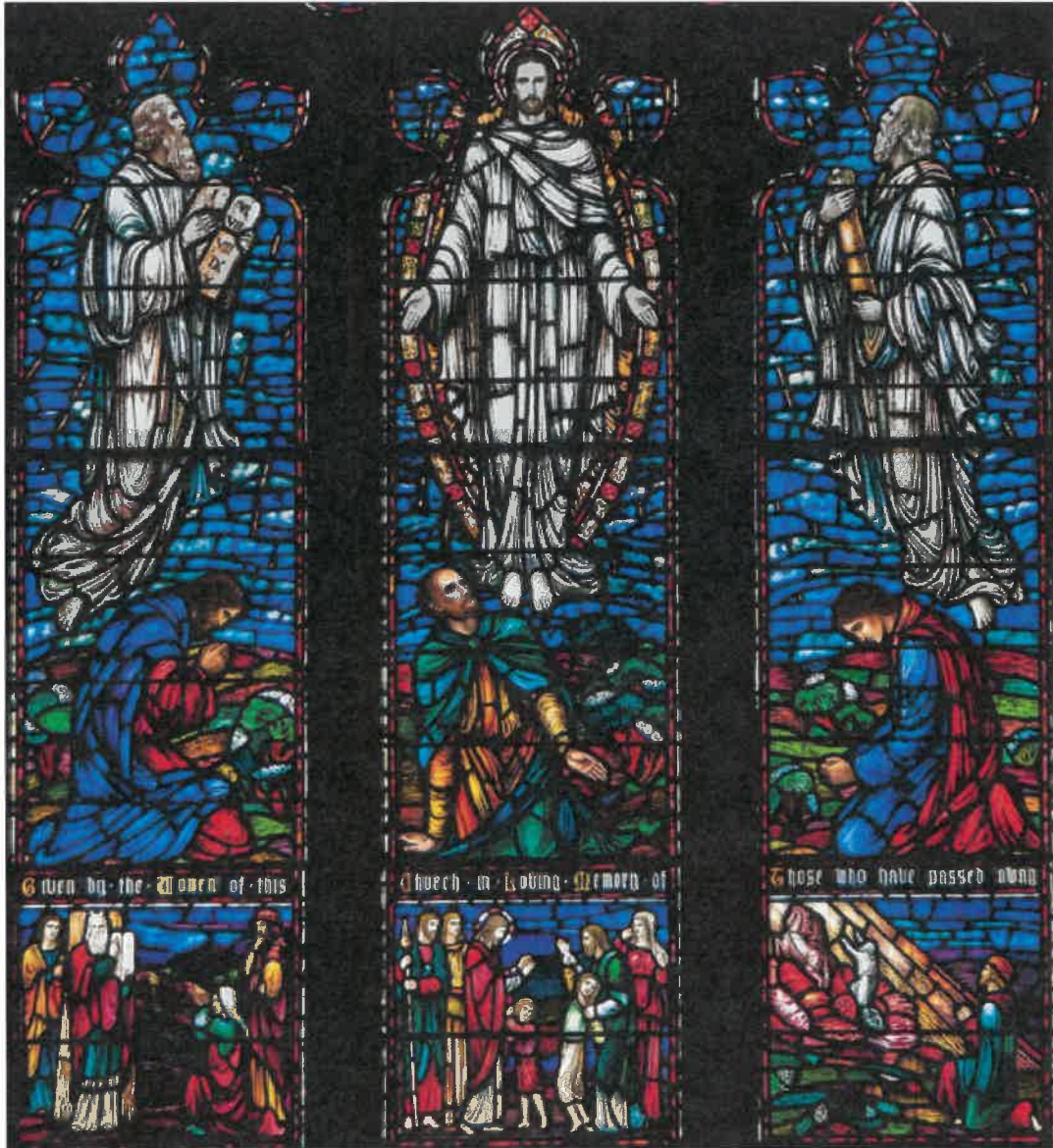


THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



If all the Seven Deadly sins are loveless, Envy's eyes are peculiarly so. They seem to find nothing to love in the world, not in the whole of creation, not in anyone else, not even when they are turned up to what is lovely. The other sins have been celebrated, however perversely, in popular song down the ages, but Envy has no song."

- Henry Fairlie

Transfiguration of the Lord | March 3, 2019 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 PreK from 9:45 a.m.–12:00 p.m. in the East Wing.

- Infants and Toddlers | Room 8
- Preschool and PreK | Room 2
- Kindergarten through 6th grade are invited to the East Wing following the Time for Children.

Children's Bibles for infants through 2nd grade are available in the pews; and children's bulletins and crayons are available at all sanctuary doors. Please return the crayons.

Large print hymnals and bulletins are available. Hearing devices can be signed out from the table in the Narthex. Ushers are available for assistance. Please return the hearing device to the table 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 Connect @ HoH 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. Visitors 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 greeters who wear the "Welcome" tag for information. **The next New Member Class will take place on Sunday, March 17 at 11:15 a.m. in the Library.** A light lunch will be served, and childcare is available. Please RSVP in the church office.

Prayer of Confession (unison)

In sovereign love God created the world good
and makes everyone equally in God's image,
male and female, of every race and people
to live as one community.

But we rebel against God; we hide from our Creator,
ignoring God's commandments,
we violate the image of God in others and ourselves,
accept lies as truth,
exploit neighbor and nature,
and threaten death to the planet entrusted to our care.
We deserve God's condemnation.
In faith, we confess our sins, and seek your renewing love
in 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



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.

Anthem

Call to Remembrance

Richard Farrant

Call to remembrance, O Lord,
Thy tender mercies and Thy loving kindness,
which hath been ever of old,
O remember not the sins and offences of my youth:
but according to Thy mercy
think Thou on me, O Lord, for Thy goodness.

Welcome and Announcements

Mission Opportunity - Earth Care

Elly Verhagen

————— THE WORD OF GOD —————

Choral Ascription

Let thy word abide in us, O Lord.

First Lesson

Genesis 4:1-7 (OT, p. 3-4 in pew Bible)

Evelyn Sunness

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

Anthem

I'm Goin' Up A Yonder

Walter Hawkins

St Nicholas Choir, Sofia Ardalan, conductor; Timothy Short, pianist

If anybody asks you where I'm goin' soon,
So if you wanna know where I'm goin' real soon,
I'm goin' up a yonder to be with my Lord.

If I can take the pain,
The heartache that it brings,
There's comfort that in knowing,
I'll soon be home.

If God gives me grace,
To run this race,
And soon I'll see my Savior,
Face to face.

Time for Children

Phil Bolinder

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

Second Lesson

Luke 9:28–36 (NT, p. 69-70 in pew Bible)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Andrew McDonald

The Seven Deadly Sins Today: Envy

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

+ Hymn 324

Open My Eyes That I May See

Open My Eyes

+ Affirmation of Faith — from The Larger Catechism

Rev. Zachary O. Wilson

(Congregation reads the text in bold)

What is the Tenth Commandment?

**You shall not covet, including discontentment with our own estate;
envying, and grieving at the good of our neighbor.**

What are the duties required in the Tenth Commandment?

**Such a full contentment with our own condition,
and such a charitable frame of the whole soul
towards our neighbor,
as that all our inward motions and affections
tend to further all that is good
related to our neighbor.**

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

This is My Beloved Son

David Evan Thomas

This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.
Take heed, as unto a light that shineth in a dark place,
until the day dawn, and the day star arise in your hearts.
This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.
Hear ye Him.

+ 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 73

Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory

Geneva

+ Benediction

Postlude

Rondo

John Bull

Carillon Postlude

David W. Johnson, carillonneur

Today's Greeters

Liz Sanson, Marilyn and Erv Lentz, Bill and Joan Frank, Kathe and Phil Bolinder, Larry Nelson, Patrick Boylan, and Linda Tuohy

Today's Flowers are given in loving memory of Calvin C. Randolph.

Today's Cover Art is a photograph of the Transfiguration Window located on the East side of the sanctuary, near the East Transept. Photo credit: Dick Crone.

In Memoriam

Carolyn Hansen joined The House of Hope Presbyterian Church on January 24, 1960. She entered the Church Triumphant on February 14, 2019.

"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

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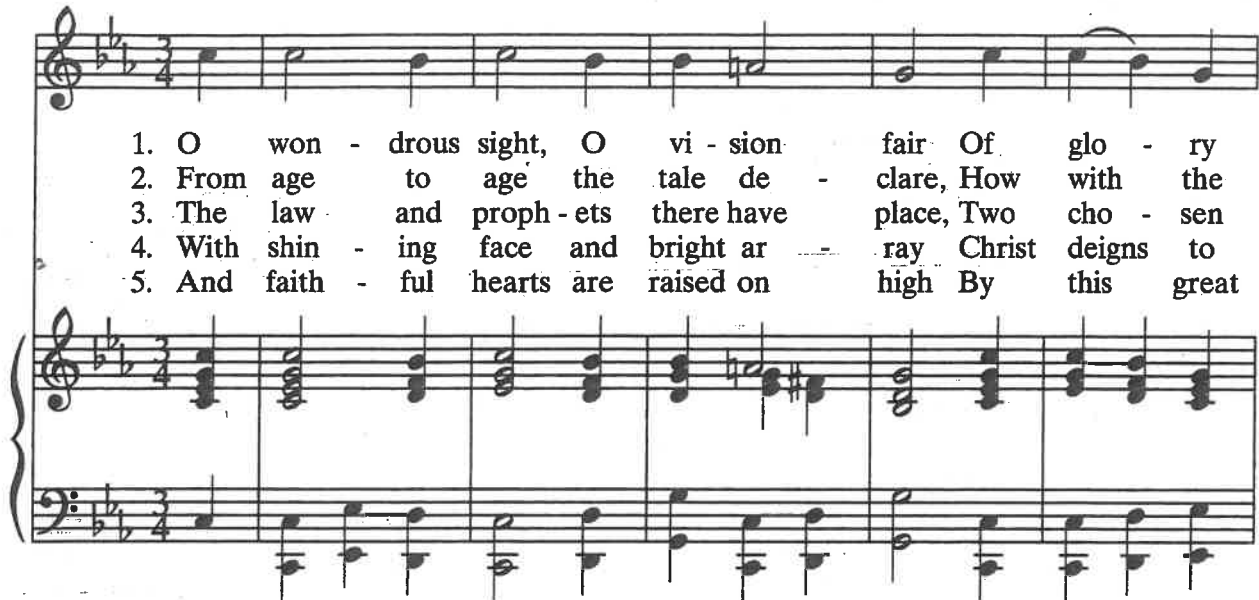
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O Wondrous Sight, O Vision Fair

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Trans. John Mason Neale, 1851; alt. 1861

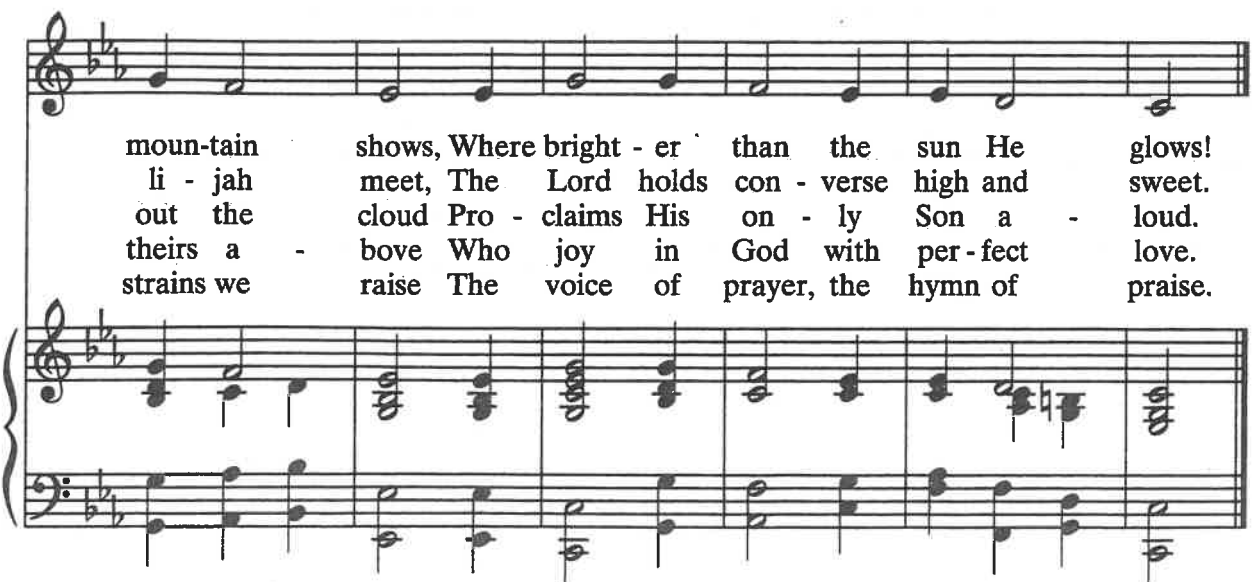
"The Agincourt Song," England, c. 1415



1. O won - drous sight, O vi - sion fair Of glo - ry
 2. From age to age the tale de - clare, How with the
 3. The law and proph - ets there have place, Two cho - sen
 4. With shin - ing face and bright ar - ray Christ deigns to
 5. And faith - ful hearts are raised on high By this great



that the church shall share, Which Christ up - on the
 three dis - ci - ples there, Where Mo - ses and E -
 wit - ness - es of grace; The Fa - ther's voice from
 man - i - fest to - day What glo - ry shall be
 vi - sion's mys - ter - y, For which in joy - ful



moun-tain shows, Where bright - er than the sun He glows!
 li - jah meet, The Lord holds con - verse high and sweet.
 out the cloud Pro - claims His on - ly Son a - loud.
 theirs a - bove Who joy in God with per - fect love.
 strains we raise The voice of prayer, the hymn of praise.

Clara H. Scott, 1895

OPEN MY EYES 8.8.9.8 with refrain

Clara H. Scott, 1895



1. O - pen my eyes, that I may see Glimps - es of truth Thou hast for me;
2. O - pen my ears, that I may hear Voic - es of truth Thou send - est clear;
3. O - pen my mouth, and let me bear Glad - ly the warm truth ev - ery - where;



Place in my hands the won - der - ful key That shall un - clasp and set me free.
 And while the wave notes fall on my ear, Ev - ery - thing false will dis - ap - pear.
 O - pen my heart, and let me pre - pare Love with Thy chil - dren thus to share.



Si - lent - ly now I wait for Thee, Read - y, my God, Thy will to see;



eyes,
 O - pen my ears, il - lu - mine me, Spir - it di - vine!
 heart,



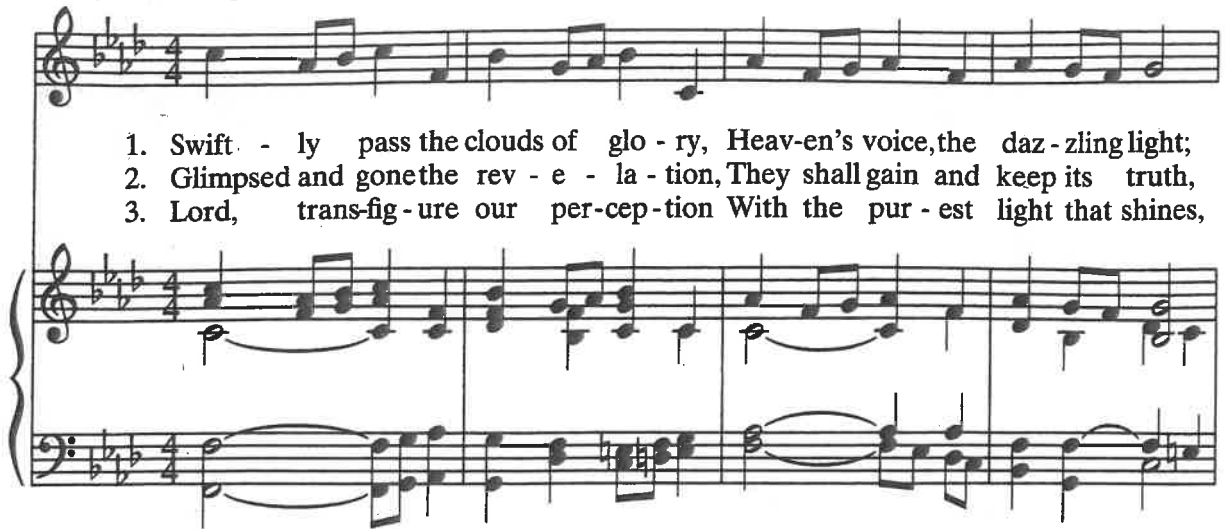
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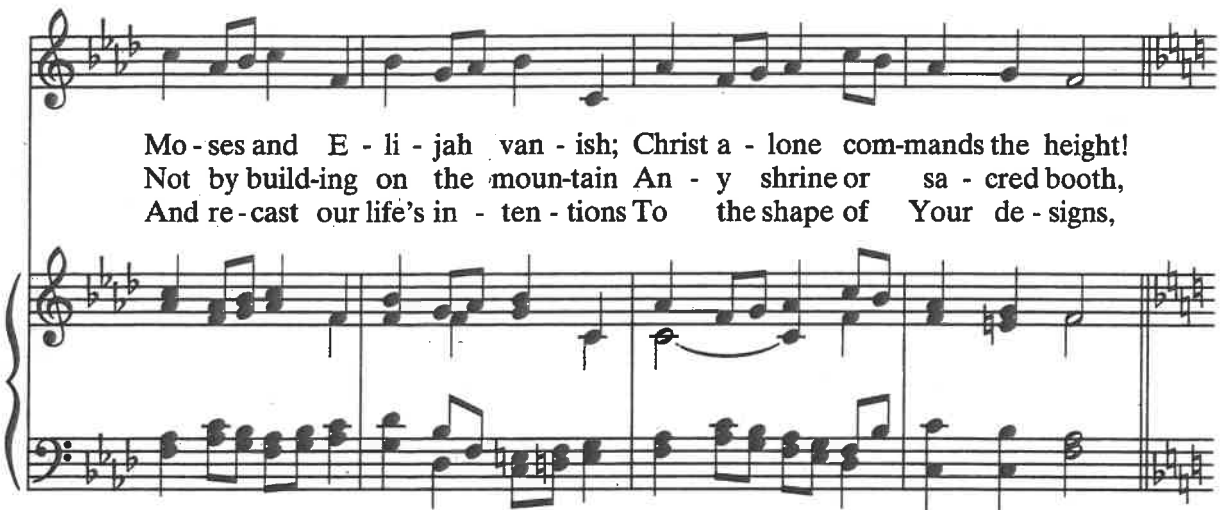
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Thomas H. Troeger, 1985

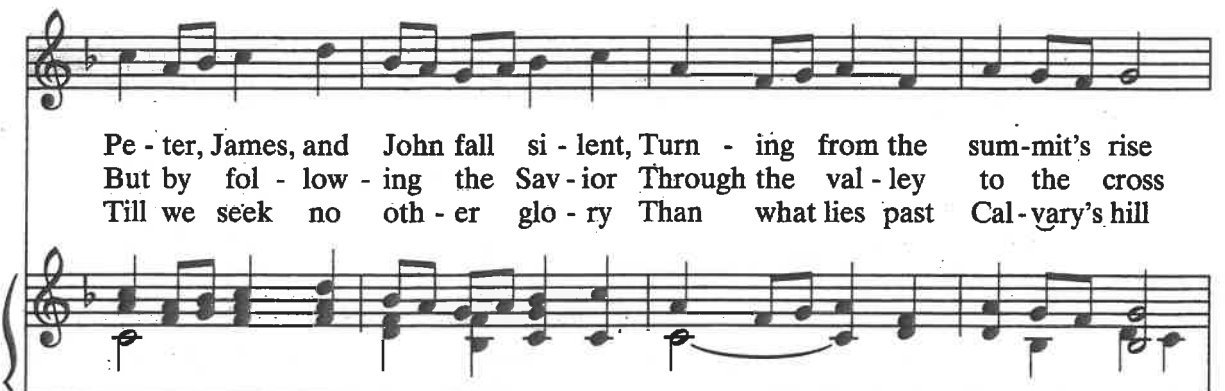
George Henry Day, 1940



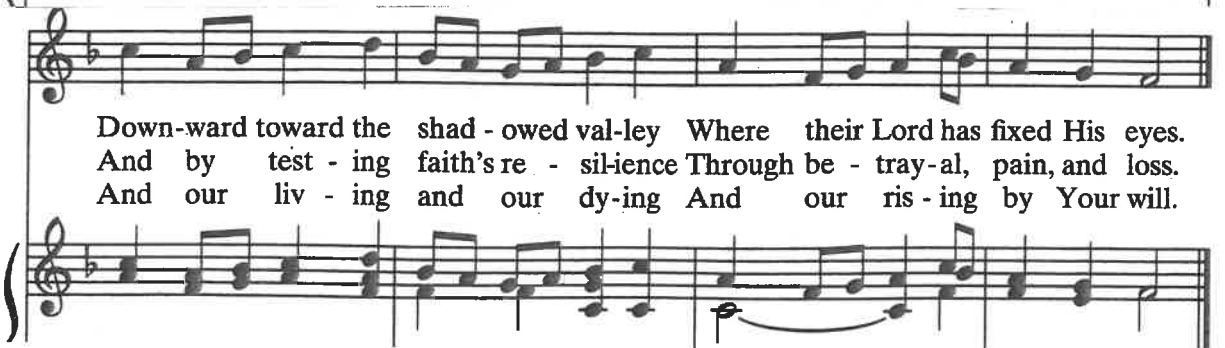
1. Swift - ly pass the clouds of glo - ry, Heav-en's voice, the daz - zling light;
 2. Glimpsed and gone the rev - e - la - tion, They shall gain and keep its truth,
 3. Lord, trans-fig - ure our per-cep - tion With the pur - est light that shines,



Mo - ses and E - li - jah van - ish; Christ a - lone com-mands the height!
 Not by build - ing on the moun-tain An - y shrine or sa - cred booth,
 And re - cast our life's in - ten - tions To the shape of Your de - signs,



Pe - ter, James, and John fall si - lent, Turn - ing from the sum-mit's rise
 But by fol - low - ing the Sav - ior Through the val - ley to the cross
 Till we seek no oth - er glo - ry Than what lies past Cal - vary's hill



Down - ward toward the shad - owed val - ley Where their Lord has fixed His eyes.
 And by test - ing faith's re - sil - ience Through be - tray - al, pain, and loss.
 And our liv - ing and our dy - ing And our ris - ing by Your will.



PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

News & Opportunities

March 3 - 10, 2019

Sunday School. Children are invited to join us for a morning of spiritually enriching stories, S.T.E.A.M. activities, group games, and more. We will explore our faith as we learn more about God's love, Jesus' life, and the faith of others. Sunday school for K - 6th grade will be in Rooms 4,5, and 7.

Families with infants through PreK children are invited to join us on Sunday mornings from 9:15 - 9:45 a.m. for family **story time** in Room 8.

Cloister Gallery Exhibit: February 8-March 3. *Linda Snouffer: Winter Nights/Summer Light.* Artist Reception in the gallery today at 11:15 a.m.

Sunday Series: The Photo Ark with Joel Sartore, Today at 2 p.m. in the sanctuary. As part of our environmental emphasis this spring, Joel Sartore, a National Geographic Photographer and Fellow, speaker, author, teacher, and conservationist will present a lecture and visual media. His hallmarks are a sense of humor and a Midwestern work ethic. Doors open one hour prior to the event.

Chili Cook-off Fundraiser. Today at 11:15 a.m., Assembly Room. See reverse side for information.

Upcoming

Ash Wednesday. Lent at House of Hope begins with the Ash Wednesday worship this Wednesday, March 6 at 7 p.m. It will include Holy Communion, the imposition of ashes, and music by The Motet Choir and Choir School.

Centering Prayer meets on Mondays at the House of Hope at 11:00 a.m. in the Kirk Parlour. Beginners as well as long time practitioners are welcome; there is an introduction to the practice at the beginning of each gathering.

Adult Enrichment. Sunday, March 10 at 11:15 a.m. in the Assembly Room. Speaker: Dr. Joel Light, Assistant Professor of Biology at the University of Northwestern. He specializes in the intersection of the church and environmental issues. Particularly, his research focuses on how evangelicals view climate change and what impedes their climate change literacy.

March Food Drive. Hunger in our neighborhood is very real. 1 in 6 children in Ramsey County struggle with being hungry. This is where local food shelves like Neighborhood House and Hallie Q. Brown are crucial. They can multiply cash gifts through buying in bulk. Give *often* this month. Use the white pew envelopes and indicate March Food Drive. Bring food to the shopping carts near the sanctuary doors whenever you come to church.

March All-Church Book Read. Buy your copy of *Spiritual Defiance* by progressive pastor, best selling author, and April 6-7 Didier Seminar speaker Rev. Robin Meyers, Ph.D. (\$12 outside Kirk Parlour or in the office.) We'll discuss the book's three sections on three Wednesdays, March 13, 20 and 27 at 7 p.m.

Items Needed: Prior Crossing is experiencing a transition of residents and with that change, comes a need to re-stock Hope's Closet. Stop by the table outside of Kirk Parlour and learn how you can help. Item lists are also available at the kiosks and food shelf carts. *All items can be placed in the Assembly Room collection cart.*

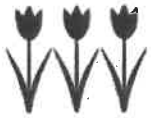
Children and Youth Art Exhibit. Children and youth are encouraged to submit artwork to display in the Cloister Gallery throughout the month of March. Label all artwork with child's name and grade. Artwork can be dropped off in Room 7 or in the Bridal Room by March 3. Artist reception will take place after worship on March 10.

FMSC Tweens Event. Friday, March 8, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. Fourth through sixth graders are invited to join us for a night of service and fun at Feed My Starving Children in Eagan. Help us pack meals for hungry children around the world. Adult chaperones are needed. Families are responsible for their own transportation or coordinating carpools. R.S.V.P. to Kiera Stegall at KieraS@hohchurch.org by Wednesday, March 6.

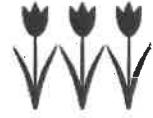
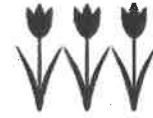
Joy Davis' Second Thursday Literature Seminar will meet in the Library at 10 a.m. on March 14. We return to the Middle Ages to discuss Chaucer's springtime "Prologue" to the *Canterbury Tales* along with Reed Whittemore's Minnesota winter's parody of Chaucer's "swete" month of March. Texts are provided. All are welcome.

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Mardi Gras Chili Cook-off Fundraiser. TODAY, 11:15 a.m.–12 p.m. You are invited to a church-wide Mardi Gras celebration in the Assembly Room. Enjoy activities, fellowship, and a variety of delicious chili recipes for only \$5 per person. All proceeds support scholarships for the HOH Community Retreat.



Choir School Spring Flower Sale



Looking forward to spring? Look no further than the Choir School Spring Flower Sale! We have a lovely selection of Easter lilies, colorful flowers, luscious potted plants, and gift cards from Gertens available for order on Sundays March 3, 10, 17 and 24. All sales go to support the Choir School Tour to Latvia this June. Orders are available for pick up on April 14 (Palm Sunday). Stop by the table near the Kirk Parlour to place your order TODAY!

Week Beginning March 3, 2019

Sunday, March 3, 2019

- 9:15 a.m. Story Time, Room 8
- 9:30 a.m. Child Care, Rooms 2 & 8
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary
- 10:15 a.m. Sunday School; Room 4, 5, 7
- 11:15 a.m. Fellowship in Kirk Parlour
- 11:15 a.m. Mardi Gras Chili Cook-off, Assembly Room
- 11:15 a.m. Tour Choir Rehearsal, Choir School Room
- 11:15 a.m. Artist Reception, Cloister Gallery
- 11:15 a.m. Stephen Ministry Continuing Ed, Room 1
- 2:00 p.m. Sunday Series, Sanctuary

- 4:30 p.m. Choir School, East Wing
- 6:00 p.m. Stephen Min. Supervision Grp 2, Room 1
- 7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service, Sanctuary
Rev. Julia Carlson, preaching
Holy Communion & Imposition of Ashes

Thursday, March 7, 2019

- 7:00 a.m. Thursday Men's Breakfast, Joseph's
- 9:00 a.m. Bulletin Deadline (for March 17)
- 9:15 a.m. Bible Study, Room 1
- 9:30 a.m. Mission Sewing, Dining A&B
- 5:30 p.m. Grief Support Groups, Kirk Parlour

Monday, March 4, 2019

- 11:00 a.m. Centering Prayer, Kirk Parlour
- 5:30 p.m. Peace & Justice Committee, Library
- 6:00 p.m. AA, Great Hall
- 6:00 p.m. Al-Anon, Assembly Room

Friday, March 8, 2019

- 7:00 a.m. Women's Breakfast Book Group, Kirk Parlour
- 8:15 a.m. Board of Trustees, Kirby Lounge
- 9:15 a.m. Bulletin Volunteers, Library
- 12:00 p.m. Yoga, Room 11
- 6:00 p.m. Tweens Event at Feed My Starving Children, Eagan
- 7:30 p.m. Middle School Lock-in, Youth Room

Tuesday, March 5, 2019

- 7:00 a.m. Tuesday Men's Breakfast, Louisiana Café
- 4:00 p.m. House, Property & Insurance, Kirby Lounge

Sunday, March 10, 2019

- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary
Rev. Dr. Andrew McDonald, preaching
- 11:15 a.m. Adult Enrichment, Assembly Room
- 11:15 a.m. Youth Artists Reception, Cloister Gallery

Wednesday, March 6, 2019

- 9:30 a.m. Bible Study, Library
- 1:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision, Room 6

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