THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



"Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff—they comfort me."

- Psalm 23:4

Youth Sunday | May 8, 2022 10 a.m.

Welcome

We are delighted you have joined House of Hope for worship.

House of Hope extends the hospitality of Christ to all who gather here. Our church uses traditional worship, progressive values, and intellectual growth to enable people to better serve the neighborhood, community, and the world. Our caring active community welcomes people of all ages and backgrounds.

Our regular Sunday Worship time is 10 a.m., followed by refreshments, social hour, and educational opportunities. If you have any questions, our 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.

Welcome to Youth Sunday. The HOH Youth have worked hard over many weeks to plan and lead us in worship today. The anthems for today were chosen by the Choir School senior choristers, and the hymns selected by choristers of the St Nicholas Choir.

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated today for John Horst, child of Palmer and Lucy Horst.

Youth Elder assisting is Nora Bolsoni. We respectfully request that photographs not be taken during the celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism. Please help us honor the sacrament and the prayerful attention of the congregation. Photographs may be taken in the sanctuary following the service.

Mother's Day Flower Event | TODAY at 11:15 a.m.

Following worship, flowers will be available at the Portland Ave. East Door (outside the education wing) for children to gift to loved ones.

Adult Enrichment Today | May 8 at 11:15 a.m. in the Assembly Room

Holly Brod Farber: Judaism On One Foot - Living Religious Pluralism

Holly Brod Farber joins us to discuss the beliefs, values, and religious traditions upon which the Jewish faith is based. The conversation will foster understanding and religious tolerance in which she will discuss the common roots of the three Abrahamic Faiths and Jewish beliefs and way of life. Holly grew up in St. Paul and is a graduate of the University of MN Law School.

Today's Cover Art was created by Leah Shipp.

THE APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude

Prelude in C Major, BWV 933 Arthur Scott, Piano

J.S. Bach

The Medieval Piper Jeffrey Stone, Piano

Nancy Faber

Allemande from Partita No. 2, BWV 1004 Julian Simpson, Violin

J.S. Bach

Introit

Jubilate Deo

Michael Praetorius

St Cecilia and St Nicholas Choirs; Sofia Ardalan, Director

*Processional Hymn 83

O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High Aaron David Miller, Organist

DEO GRACIAS

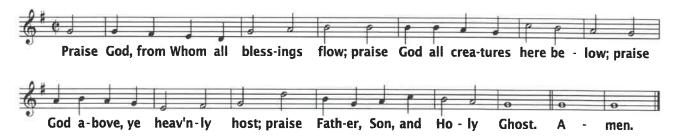
+Eastertide Affirmation (unison)

Zora Vorhes

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, the Lord's mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

"The Lord is my portion," says my soul, "therefore I will hope in the Lord."

⁺ Doxology



Welcome and Announcements

Dan Miglets-Nelson

Anthem

Tree Song
St Cecilia and St Nicholas Choirs; Timothy Short, piano

Ken Medema

I saw a tree by the riverside one day as I walked along,
Straight as an arrow and pointing to the sky, growing tall and strong.
"How do you grow so tall and strong?" I said to the riverside tree.
This is the song that my tree friend sang to me:
I've got roots growing down to the water,
I've got leaves growing up to the sunshine,
And the fruit that I bear is the sign of the life in me.
I am shade from the hot summer sundown,
I am nest for the birds of the heaven.
I'm becoming what the Lord of Trees has meant me to be:
A strong young tree.

I saw a tree in the city streets where building blocked the sun, Green and lovely I could see it gave joy to everyone. "How do you grow in the city streets?" I said to the downtown tree. This is the song that my tree friend sang to me: I've got roots growing down to the water, I've got leaves growing up to the sunshine, And the fruit that I bear is the sign of the life in me. I am shade from the hot summer sundown, I am nest for the birds of the heaven.

I'm becoming what the Lord of Trees has meant me to be: A strong young tree. -Ken Medema

The Sacrament of Baptism — John Horst

Nora Bolsoni, Rev. Michael Anderson

Congregational Response: Hymn 496

Lord Jesus Christ, Our Lord Most Dear

VON HIMMEL HOCH

THE WORD OF GOD

Psalm 23 (OT, p. 501 in pew Bible)

Quinn Nelson

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Th

Thanks be to God.

Meditation

First Lesson

Merete Nelson

Anthem

Built on the Rock the Church doth Stand
St Nicholas Choir

arr. Jan Bender

Built on the Rock the Church doth stand, Even when steeples are falling; Crumbled have spires in every land, Bells still are chiming and calling, Calling the young and old to rest, But above all the soul distrest, Longing for rest everlasting.

Now we may gather with our King Even in the lowliest dwelling; Praises to Him we there may bring, His wondrous mercy forthtelling. Jesus His grace to us accords; Spirit and life are all His words; His truth doth hallow the temple.

Second Lesson William Stone

Acts 9:36-43 (NT, p. 128 in pew Bible)

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

Meditation Evan Bergstrom

+**Hymn 473**

For the Beauty of the Earth

DIX

Third Lesson Christopher Stone

John 10:22-30 (NT, p. 104 in pew Bible)

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

Meditation Christa Feldbrugge

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

Anthem

Cantar! Jay Althouse

St Andrew Choir

Cantar una canción alegre. Alleluia! Cantar con una voz.

-Jay Althouse

Sing a happy song. Sing Alleluia! Sing with one voice.

*Affirmation of Faith — Apostles' Creed

Lily Bergstrom

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.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Leo Mayer, Jeffrey Stone

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 — There are four ways to give an offering:

- **In-Person.** Offering plates will be available at the sanctuary doors.

- **Website.** On the homepage, click "Support House of Hope", then click on "Make a Gift"

Members can also sign into MyHOH to give.

- Mail. Mail a check to 797 Summit Ave. Saint Paul, MN 55105

-QR Code. Please see insert.

Offertory Anthem

Beautiful Land Scott Perkins

St Nicholas Choir

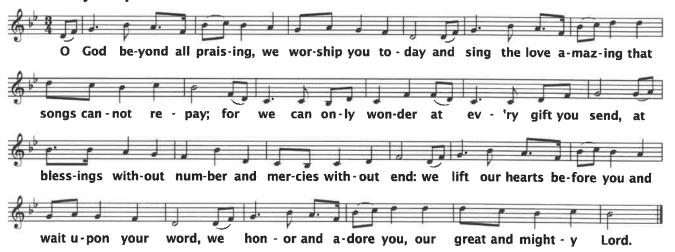
We have heard of a land on whose blue, ether skies not a cloud for a moment can stay;
And it needs not the sun in its splendor to rise, for the Lord is the light of its day.
We have heard of that land, and it's glory we seek, Where the faithful with Jesus shall dwell, Where the roses of youth never fade from the cheek, And the lips never murmur, "Farewell."

We have talked of that land, when our journey was long, and our hearts overburdened with care; We have talked of the blest at the river of song, And how oft we have sighed to be there, And our faith has gone up, like a bird on the wing, To that land on eternity's shore, Where the joy bells of Eden forever shall ring, And the soul shall be weary no more.

We are nearing that land, we are nearing the gate, to the city of jasper and gold,
Where the Savior to welcome his children doth wait,
And will gather them into the fold of his love,
in the mansions above,
where forever with him they shall dwell,
and the eyes that were sad in his smile shall be glad,
and the lips never murmur, "Farewell." Amen.

- Fanny J. Crosby

+Offertory Response



⁺Recessional Hymn 442

The Church's One Foundation

AURELIA

+Benediction

Postlude

Fugue in D Major, BWV 532

J. S. Bach

Carillon Postlude

David W. Johnson, Carillonneur

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DEO GRACIAS LM





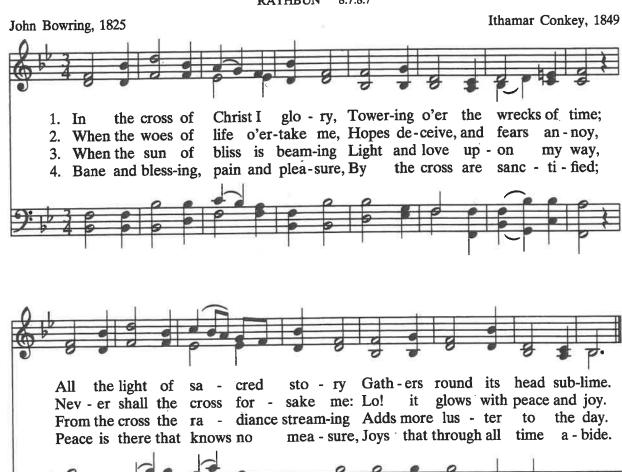


Galatians 6:14

In the Cross of Christ I Glory

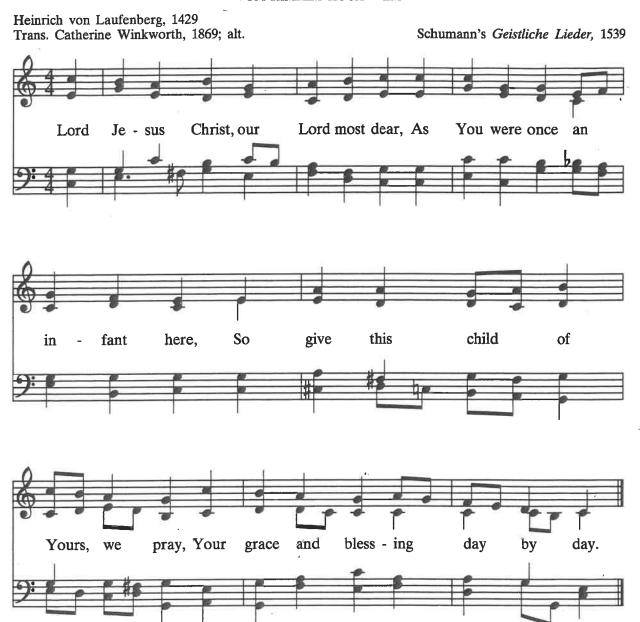
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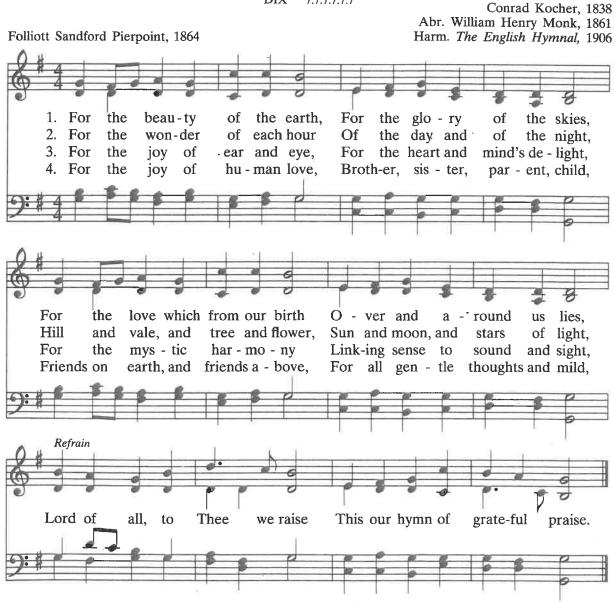
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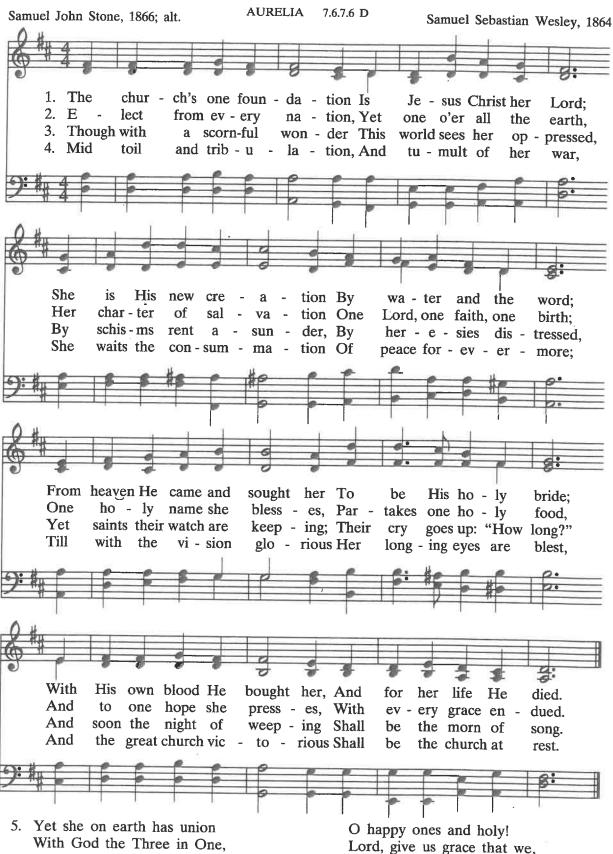
For the Beauty of the Earth

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5. For Thy church that evermore Lifteth holy hands above, Offering up on every shore

Her pure sacrifice of love, Lord of all, to Thee we raise This our hymn of grateful praise.



And mystic sweet communion With those whose rest is won:

Like them, the meek and lowly, May live eternally.



News & Opportunities

May 8-15, 2022

CHILDREN AND FAMILY MINISTRY

Kiera Stegall: Kiera S@hohchurch.org

In-Person Sunday Morning Children's Ministry

- Nursery: Infants PreK | 9:45 a.m. | Room 8
- Kindergarten-Grade 3 | 10:15 a.m. | Rooms 4,5

Virtual Sunday School | 11:30 a.m. | Zoom

Children, grades 5 and younger, are invited to join us for a time of faith formation via stories, artwork, and prayer.

YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRY

Dan Miglets-Nelson: DanMN@hohchurch.org

The SUMMIT | May 15 at 7 p.m. | Great Hall

Upcoming

Adult Enrichment:

May 8 | Holly Brod Farber

(see inside bulletin cover.)

May 15 | Elise Jamison; and Nick Contreraz, Development and Communications Manager and Shane Springer, Volunteer Engagement Manager of Neighborhood House — HOH Mission Outreach and Neighborhood House Overview.

HOH Mission Outreach Chair Elise Jamison will present an overview of the HOH Mission Outreach budget and discuss the many organizations supported by HOH. Nick Contreraz, and Shane Springer of Neighborhood House, will explain the work of this organization which has been serving immigrants, refugees, and low-income families since 1897 helping with basic needs, education, multiple youth programs, and health and well-being.

HOH Red Balloon Book Fair for Children and Youth, Sunday, May 15 | HOH Park 11 a.m.—12:30 p.m. Join us for a HOH sponsored book fair and fellowship time! Each child and youth (0 – 18 years) is invited to choose one free book from the Red Balloon Bookshop's inventory to take home as a gift from the congregation. We have invited the neighborhood and the families of Project Home to join us!

Oceans and Stars: Choir School Spring Concert Sunday May 15 | 2 p.m. | Sanctuary

All are welcome to the final Choir School concert of the season in the sanctuary and streamed at hohchurch.org. Come experience the beauty of our choristers voices in songs of dreams, journeys, laughter, and joy.

Music Sunday, May 22 Featuring: *My Heart is Inditing*, **G. F. Handel**The Motet Choir will be joined by the House of Hope Chamber Orchestra, conducted by Matthew Culloton.

A Congregational Meeting to elect officers has been called by the Session for Sunday May 22 at 11:15 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

HOH Community Garden. Volunteers always welcome! Even if to help out a couple times, it all contributes to the 1,000+ pounds of nutritious food for our neighbors. All ages, abilities, experience levels, and schedules of volunteers are welcome. Work with others or on your own. Drive the vegetables to food pantries. Volunteer once or all season. We'll begin in early May, and work through late fall. If you are interested, have questions, or to be on our email list contact Elizabeth Karre at houseofhopegarden@gmail.com.

May Cloister Gallery Exhibit: Children's and Youth Art Show | May 3 - June 5

It's been three years since the last Children's and Youth Art Exhibit in the gallery, so we're delighted to display their drawings, paintings, and other creative expressions once again after two years of virtual exhibits. Be sure to stop in the gallery and enjoy these varied, colorful, and whimsical creations.

"It took me four years to paint like Raphael, but a lifetime to paint like a child." - Pablo Picasso

Week Beginning May 8, 2022

Youth Sunday, May 8, 2022

9:45 a.m.	Sunday School Programming
10 a.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary
11:15 a.m.	Flowers for Mom, Portland Door E.
11:15 a.m.	Adult Enrichment, Assembly Room
11:30 a.m.	Virtual Sunday School, Zoom

Monday, May 9, 2022

11 a.m.	Centering Prayer, Kirk Parlour / Zoom
6 p.m.	Faith and Fibers, Library/Zoom
6 p.m.	Membership Development, Zoom
6 p.m.	AA, Great Hall and A&B
6 p.m.	Al-Anon, Room 11 and 9

Tuesday, May 10, 2022

7 a.m.	Men's Breakfast, Louisiana Cafe, Zoom
4 p.m.	Great Decisions, Kirk Parlour
7:30 p.m.	Youth Committee Meeting, Zoom

Wednesday, May 11, 2022

9:30 a.m.	Wednesday Morning Bible Study, Library
4:30 p.m.	Choir School Rehearsals, Various Rooms
5 p.m.	Choir School Awards Dinner, Parlour
7 p.m.	Motet Choir, Choir Room and Sanctuary

Thursday, May 12, 2022

7 a.m.	Men's Breakfast, Louisiana Cafe, Zoom
9 a.m.	Thursday Morning Bible Study, Zoom
5:30 p.m.	Capital City Grief Coalition, St. John the
	Evangelist - 60 Kent St. N., St. Paul
7 p.m.	Personnel Committee, Zoom

Friday, May 13, 2022

8 a.m.	Women's Breakfast Group, Zoom
9 a.m.	Friday Centering Prayer, Zoom
9 a.m.	Board of Trustees, Zoom

Sunday, May 15, 2022

9:45 a.m.	Sunday School Programming
10 a.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary
11:15 a.m.	Red Balloon Book Fair, HOH Park
11:15 a.m.	Social Hour in HOH Park
11:15 a.m.	Adult Enrichment, Assembly Room
2 p.m.	Choir School Spring Concert, Sanctuary
	and Livestream
7 p.m.	The SUMMIT, Great Hall

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



House of Hope Pandemic Response Plan — Spring 2022

Based upon shared and guiding values of caring compassion, wearing a mask at House of Hope will be optional with the following provisions:

- If someone is vaccinated, feels well, and has had no known COVID-19 exposures in the previous 5 days, wearing a mask is optional.
- Anyone who feels more comfortable wearing a mask is encouraged to do so.
- Those who are not vaccinated are asked to continue wearing a mask.
- For our youth and children, we trust parents and our staff to make appropriate decisions for the nursery, Sunday School and Youth Group.
- We trust the Motet Choir, Bell Choir and Choir School leaders to make appropriate decisions for each group.
- If warranted, wearing a mask may become required again based on future COVID-19
 conditions and guidelines from the CDC and the City of Saint Paul. This would be
 communicated to the congregation in a timely manner.

Approved by Session on March 15, 2022



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Clergy

Rev. Dr. J. Michael Anderson, Sabbatical Pastor Rev. Dix Brachlow, Assisting Pastor On sabbatical until July 11: Rev. Dr. Julia A. Carlson, Acting Head of Staff Senior Associate Pastor/Spiritual Life and Care

