

THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



"Hope takes root in the human heart when we commit to make a difference for the good. The antidote to despair is creative action."

- Lisa Sowle Cahill, from *Take Heart: Catholic Writers on Hope*

Seventh Sunday of Easter | May 29, 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.



There is Hope

A CELEBRATION YEAR OF
PREACHING AND MUSIC



We welcome to the pulpit Rev. Julie Neraas (sounds like Harris). Julie is an ordained Presbyterian minister, spiritual director, and was a long time professor at Hamline University. She has been a college and treatment center chaplain and pastor in three churches. She is the author of *Apprenticed to Hope*, *Seeing the Sacred*, and *How Hope and Poetry Sustain Us*. Julie grew up in the Pacific Northwest, and used to play and teach tennis.

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.

THE APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude

Air
Aaron David Miller, Organist

Edward MacDowell

Introit

They that Wait Upon the Lord
The Motet Choir, Matthew Culloton, Choirmaster

George Thalben-Ball

+ Processional Hymn 455 — Verses 1-3 & 6

All Creatures of Our God and King

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

+ Eastertide Affirmation

Rev. Dr. Michael Anderson

Leader: Lift up your heads, O you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in.

People: Who is this King of glory?

Leader: The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.

**People: Lift up your heads, O you gates; lift them up, you ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in.**

Leader: Who is this King of glory?

People: The Lord Almighty, he is the King of glory.

+ Doxology



Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; praise God all creatures 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

Following announcements, all children Grades 5 and younger are invited to exit to the Narthex to meet Kiera Stegall and be led to the HOH Park.

THE WORD OF GOD

First Lesson

Ann Geery

Jeremiah 29:4-8, 11-14b (OT, p. 731 in pew Bible)

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Anthem

Draw Us In the Spirit's Tether

Harold W. Friedell

Draw us in the Spirit's tether;
For when humbly, in thy name,
Two or three are met together,
Thou art in the midst of them:

As the brethren used to gather
In the name of Christ to sup,
Then with thanks to God the Father
Break the Bread and bless the cup.
Alleluia! So knit thou our friendship up.

Alleluia! Touch we now the garment's hem.

All our meals and all our living
Make as sacraments of thee,
That by caring, helping, giving,
We may true disciples be.
Alleluia! We will serve thee faithfully.

Second Lesson

Matthew 26:30-32 (NT, p. 30 in pew Bible)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

What Change Has To Do With Hope

Rev. Julie Neraas

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

+ Hymn (see page 7)

Praise God For Hope

SUMMIT AVENUE

+ 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.**

**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. Amen.

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 — 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

Listen Sweet Dove

Alan Smith

Listen sweet Dove unto my song,
And spread thy golden wings in me;
Hatching my tender heart so long,
Till it get wing, and flie away with thee.

Such glorious gifts thou didst bestow,
The earth did like a heav'n appeare;
The starres were coming down to know
If they might mend their wages, and serve here.

The sunne, which once did shine alone,
Hung down his head, and wisht for night,
When he beheld twelve sunnes for one
Going about the world, and giving light.

Lord, though we change, thou art the same;
The same sweet God of love and light:
Restore this day, for thy great name,
Unto his ancient and miraculous right.

+ 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.

+ Recessional Hymn 564

O Beautiful for Spacious Skies

MATERNA

+ Benediction

Postlude

Festival Dialogue

Vincent Persichetti

Carillon Postlude

David W. Johnson, Carillonneur

PRAISE GOD FOR HOPE

Brian Wren, 2014

SUMMIT AVENUE 10.10.10 with Alleluias

ADM, 1983
rev. 2014

1. Praise God for hope, for all who in the past
2. Praise God for hope, of plen - ty end - ing dearth,
3. With liv - ing faith, sing prais - es old and new,
4. Though none can see, our fu - ture life in Christ,
5. Praise God in hope, and greet each day with praise,

held on to hope when life was ov - er - cast,
out - wit - ting grief with love's un - fa - ding worth,
gath - er the world and pray in hope re - newed
we trea - sure all that Je - sus sa - cri - ficed,
as God in Christ con - tin - ues to a - maze,

And prac - ticed faith in God, the first and last: Al - le -
through re - sur - rec - tion glo - ry brought to birth: Al - le
with - in a house that Christ in - vites us to: Al - le
and trust in love un - fath - omed and un - priced: Al - le
our sav - ing hope be - gins and ends with praise: Al - le

lu - ia!! Al - le - lu - ia!! Al - le - lu - ia!!

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LASST UNS ERFREUEN LM with alleluias

Francis of Assisi, 1225

Trans. and para. William Henry Draper, c. 1910; alt.

Geistliche Kirchengesäng, 1623; alt.

Harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906

Unison

1. All crea-tures of our God and King, Lift up your voice
 2. Thou rush-ing wind that art so strong, Ye clouds that sail
 3. Thou flow-ing wa - ter, pure and clear, Make mu - sic for
 4. Thou fer - tile earth, that day by day Un - fold - est bless -

Harmony

and with us sing, Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
 in heaven a - long, O sing ye! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
 thy Lord to hear, Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
 ings on your way, O sing ye! Al - le - lu - ia!

Unison

Thou burn - ing sun with gold - en beam, Thou sil - ver moon with
 Thou ris - ing morn, in praise re - joice, Ye lights of eve - ning,
 Thou fire so mas - ter - ful and bright, That giv - est us both
 The flowers and fruits that in thee grow, Let them God's glo - ry

Harmony

soft - er gleam, find a voice! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
 warmth and light, al - so show!

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Unison

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

5. And everyone of tender heart,
 Forgiving others, take your part.
 O sing ye! Alleluia!
 Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,
 Praise God and cast on God your care!
 Alleluia! Alleluia!
 Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

6. All creatures, your Creator bless,
 And worship God in humbleness.
 O sing ye! Alleluia!
 Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
 And praise the Spirit, Three in One!
 Alleluia! Alleluia!
 Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun 456

MORNING HYMN LM

François Hippolyte Barthélémon, 1785
 As in *The Church Hymnal*
 for the Christian Year, 1917

Thomas Ken, 1695; alt.

1. A - wake, my soul, and with the sun your
 2. Lord, I my vows to You re - new. Dis -
 3. Di - rect, con - trol, sug - gest, this day, All

dai - ly stage of du - ty run; Shake off dull sloth, and
 perse my sins as morn - ing dew; Guard my first springs of
 I de - sign or do or say; That all my powers, with

joy - ful rise To pay your morn - ing sac - ri - fice.
 thought and will, And with Your - self my spir - it fill.
 all their might, In Your sole glo - ry may u - nite.

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O Beautiful for Spacious Skies

MATERNA CMD

Katharine Lee Bates, 1893

Samuel Augustus Ward, 1882

1. O beau-ti-ful for spa-cious skies, For am-ber waves of grain,
 2. O beau-ti-ful for pil-grim feet, Whose stern, im-pas-sioned stress
 3. O beau-ti-ful for he-ros proved In lib-er-at-ing strife,
 4. O beau-ti-ful for pa-triot dream That sees be-yond the years

For pur-ple moun-tain maj-es-ties A-bove the fruit-ed plain!
 A thor-ough-fare for free-dom beat A-cross the wil-der-ness!
 Who more than self their coun-try loved, And mer-cy more than life!
 Thine al-a-bas-ter cit-ies gleam, Un-dimmed by hu-man tears!

A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! God shed His grace on thee,
 A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! God mend thine ev-ery flaw,
 A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! May God thy gold re-fine
 A-mer-i-ca! A-mer-i-ca! God shed His grace on thee

And crown thy good with *broth-er-hood From sea to shin-ing sea!
 Con-firm thy soul in self-con-trol, Thy lib-er-ty in law!
 Till all suc-cess be no-ble-ness And ev-ery gain di-vine!
 And crown thy good with *broth-er-hood From sea to shin-ing sea!



HOUSE
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

News & Opportunities

May 29 - June 5, 2022

CHILDREN AND FAMILY MINISTRY

Kiera Stegall: KieraS@hohchurch.org

Nursery: Infants – Toddlers | 9:45 a.m. | Room 8

Summer Sunday School: 3 Years Old – Rising 6th Grade | 10:00 a.m. | HOH Park

YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRY

Second Saturday Youth Event:

Ultimate Frisbee

Saturday, June 11 | HOH Park | 1-3 p.m.

After a game of Ultimate Frisbee, we'll walk to Grand Ole Creamery for ice cream.

Upcoming

Members and Friends Art Show

The Cloister Gallery beginning in June

After a 3-year hiatus, the ever-popular exhibit which showcases the variety of styles and media through which House of Hope members and friends express their creativity returns to the Cloister Gallery. The previous show in 2019 featured paintings, prints, photography, ceramics, fine crafts, and other media by fourteen members and friends of the congregation. Each person may submit up to three pieces Drop off submissions to the Bridal Room by on Sunday, June 5, before and after the worship service information sheets, registration forms will be available this Sunday in the gallery. Questions? Elly Verhagen, ellverha@gmail.com

Faith Builders has been assigned a new project due to delays at the previous location.

New details: Dates: June 27 – July 1

Time: 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM (except Wednesday which ends at 2:30)

Location: 113 27TH Ave NE, Ste T, Minneapolis (Habitat Panel Shop)

Build Type: Offsite Construction of Walls

All volunteers must sign up online ahead of time: <http://faithbuilders.tchabitat.volunteerhub.com/>

If you have questions please contact Dave Olsen at (651) 253-8444 or dwo823@yahoo.com

Save the Date!

Neighborhood Puppet Show

Friday, June 17 | 6:30 p.m. | Summit Lawn

Join us for a fun, intergenerational event on the front lawn. This year we will host a performance of *Tucker's Robot*. Tucker is a young boy who needs to go back in time to face a group of neighborhood bullies. How do you go back in time? With a time-traveling robot, of course! Together, Tucker and his robot discover the importance of friendship and the courage to face bullies. Full of surprises, a little danger and some really funny characters. Contains puppetry, live music, and fun for families and children of all ages. For the past 17 years, The Open Eye Figure Theatre has been traveling around the Twin Cities providing outdoor puppet shows that are fun for all ages.

Bring a blanket and enjoy! Please invite friends, family, neighbors. The more the merrier!

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

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 29, 2022

Sunday, May 29, 2022

- 9 a.m. Labyrinth Days
- 10 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary
- 10 a.m. Summer Sunday School, Rm 8, HOH Park
- 11 a.m. Social Hour in Kirk Parlour

Monday, May 30, 2022

Church Building and Office closed in observance of Memorial Day

Tuesday, May 31, 2022

- 7 a.m. Men's Breakfast, Louisiana Cafe/Zoom

Wednesday, June 1, 2022

- 1:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision, Zoom
- 6 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision, Zoom

Thursday, June 2, 2022

- 7 a.m. Men's Breakfast, Louisiana Cafe, Zoom
- 9 a.m. Mission Sewing, Dining Rooms A & B
- 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

Friday, June 3, 2022

- 8 a.m. Women's Breakfast Group, Zoom
- 9 a.m. Friday Centering Prayer, Zoom
- 1:15 p.m. St. Paul Farmers Market, Holly Lot

Day of Pentecost, Sunday, June 5, 2022

- 10 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary
Holy Communion
Ordination and Installation of Officers
- 10 a.m. Summer Sunday School, Rm 8, HOH Park
- 11:15 a.m. Social Hour in Kirk Parlour
- 12 p.m. Stephen Ministry Picnic, Offsite

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



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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



The House of Hope
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