THE HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



"The ego hates losing – even to God."

-Richard Rohr, Falling Upward

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time | July 24, 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



Upcoming Preaching and Events:

July 31: Music Sunday—Baroque Anthems for Choir and Strings, The Motet Choir and HOH Chamber Orchestra.

August 7: Randi Roth, Director of Interfaith Action; Rev. Phil Romine will lead an Adult Enrichment.

August 14: Rev. Brian Ellison, Executive Director of Covenant Network of Presbyterians.



FINAL CONCERT: 2022 Summer Carillon Recital Series | 4 p.m.

The 28th Annual Summer Carillon Recital Series opened with an Independence Day program performed by House of Hope Associate Carillonneur Timothy Short. Rain or shine, all programs begin at 4 p.m. Bring a friend, blanket, folding chairs, a basket filled with treats for you, and enjoy the music of the the Noyes Memorial Carillon, now in its 99th year.

Schedule:

Sunday, July 24: Timothy Short

THE APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude

Pastoral Aaron David Miller, Organist Darius Milhaud

Introit

Go Ye Into All the World
The Motet Choir; Matthew Culloton, Choirmaster

Max Reger

⁺ Processional Hymn 459

Father, We Praise Thee

CHRISTE SANCTORUM

Prayer of Confession (unison)

Rev. Dr. Michael Anderson

Creator of all, Creator of us, we busy ourselves with constructing, building, branding, barricading, policing the sacred with a limited imagination for your unlimited grace.

And so we pray, that you might overturn our misguided architecture. For every barrier that should be a bridge, for every wall that should be a table, we pray, O God, when we build them up, won't you knock them down?

Forgive us when we mistake safety for sanctuary, when bans wall off the most vulnerable of our world, when we budget for bombs and not for books, when we stand our ground rather than extending our hand.

And so we pray, that you might overturn our misguided architecture. For every dead end that should be an opportunity, for every stranger, who should be family, for every wall that that excludes we pray . . . when we build them up, won't you please knock them down?

(The prayer will continue with our silent confessions.)

Assurance of Forgiveness

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

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

⁺ Doxology



Welcome and Announcements

Following the announcements, all children Rising 6th Grade 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

Colossians 2:6-19 (NT, p. 200 in pew Bible)

Laurel Gamm

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

Anthem

Lord, For Thy Tender Mercy's Sake

Richard Farrant

Lord, for thy tender mercy's sake, Lay not our sins to our charge, But forgive that is past, And give us grace to amend our sinful lives. To decline from sin and incline to virtue, That we may walk in a perfect heart Before Thee now and evermore. Amen.

Second Lesson

Luke 11:1-13 (NT, p. 72 in pew Bible)

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

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Julia A. Carlson

Thoughts on Prayer

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

†Hymn 403

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

CONVERSE

+ Affirmation of Faith — from the 2017 Preamble of the Sarasota Statement

We are people of hope who confess Jesus Christ is Lord over a Kingdom in which no one is hungry, violence is no more, and all suffering is gone. All sit together around a shared table, wolves and lambs enjoy each other's company, and every tear is wiped away from every eye.

Our hope is not simply that we will experience this Kingdom, which is truly kin-dom, in the future, but that, as Christ's prayer demands, this Kingdom comes "to earth as it is in heaven." So strong is this hope that we lament any and all instances of its absence. When we witness hunger, injustice, discrimination, violence, or suffering, we grieve deeply and repent of our sins that have enabled such brokenness to persist – knowing that these things should not be.

We believe God's Kingdom comes not because we are confident in our own capacities, but because we trust in God, who can do more than we can ask or imagine.

We are humbled and amazed that, in and through the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, God includes us in the work of redeeming all creation and reconciling the whole world. To God be the glory.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (alternate version)

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and 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

Awake My Heart Jane Marshall

Awake my heart, and render to God thy sure defender,

Thy Maker, thy preserver, A song of love and fervor.

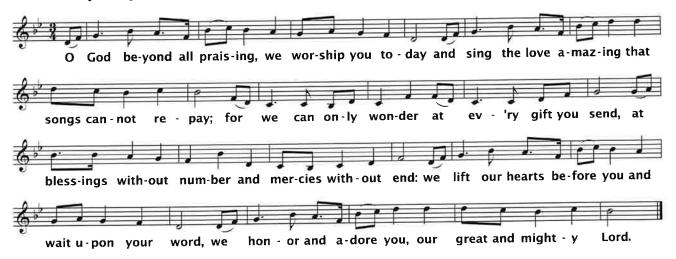
Confirm thy deeds and guide me, my day with thee beside me,

Beginning, middle, ending, will all be upward tending.

My heart shall be thy dwelling, with joy and gladness swelling;

Thy word my nurture given to bring me on toward heaven.

+Offertory Response



*Recessional Hymn 447

Lead On, O King Eternal

LANCASHIRE

+Benediction

Postlude

Gigue

Dietrich Buxtehude

Carillon Postlude

Timothy Short, Carillonneur

Peace Candle. The single candle near the pulpit is our Peace Candle, lighted as a reminder of the ongoing need for our prayer for peace in the world.

Make a Joyful Noise! Celebrating 40 Years of HOH Choir School!

The House of Hope Choir School offers well-rounded music education to all children ages 4-18. For 40 years, The Choir School has inspired young singers to learn, grow, and have fun! Choristers sing high-quality sacred repertoire, learn the fundamentals of music through Orff and voice classes, and come together in an enthusiastic and encouraging community.

Registration open online at: https://bit.ly/ChoirSchoolRegistration

House of Hope Pandemic Response Plan — Spring 2022

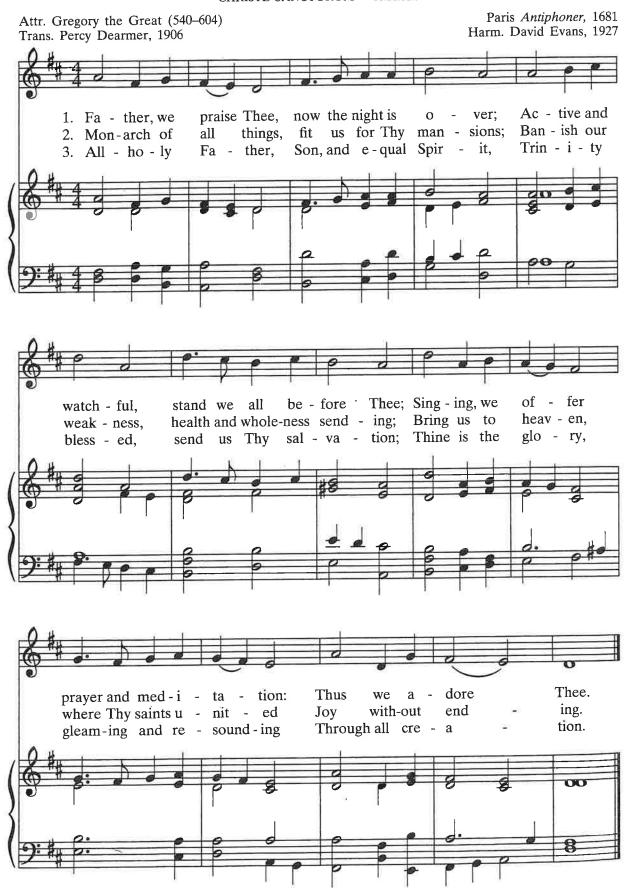
Based upon shared and guiding values of caring compassion, wearing a mask at House of Hope will be optional with the following provisions:

- 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. A limited supply of masks are available at Welcome Kiosks.
- 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.

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Father, We Praise Thee

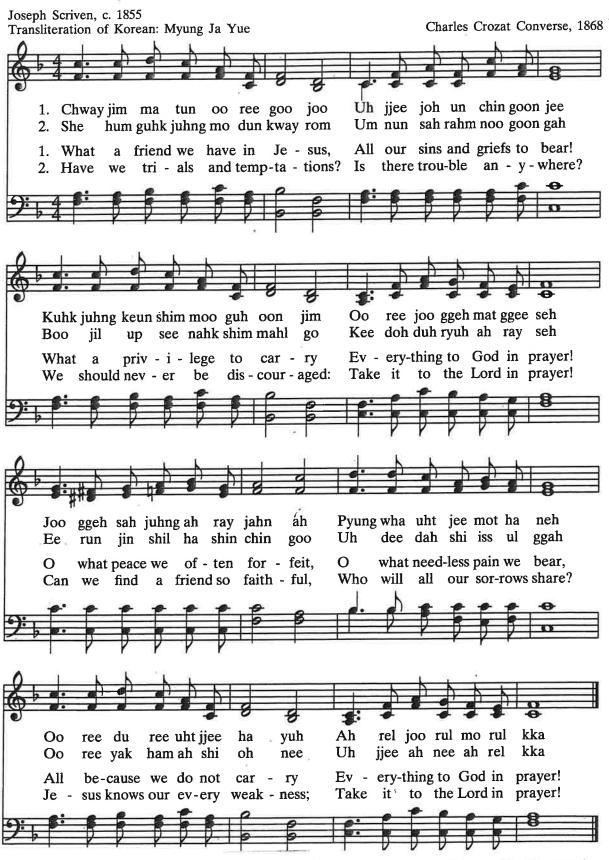
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Jin Shil Ha Shin Chin Goo What a Friend We Have in Jesus

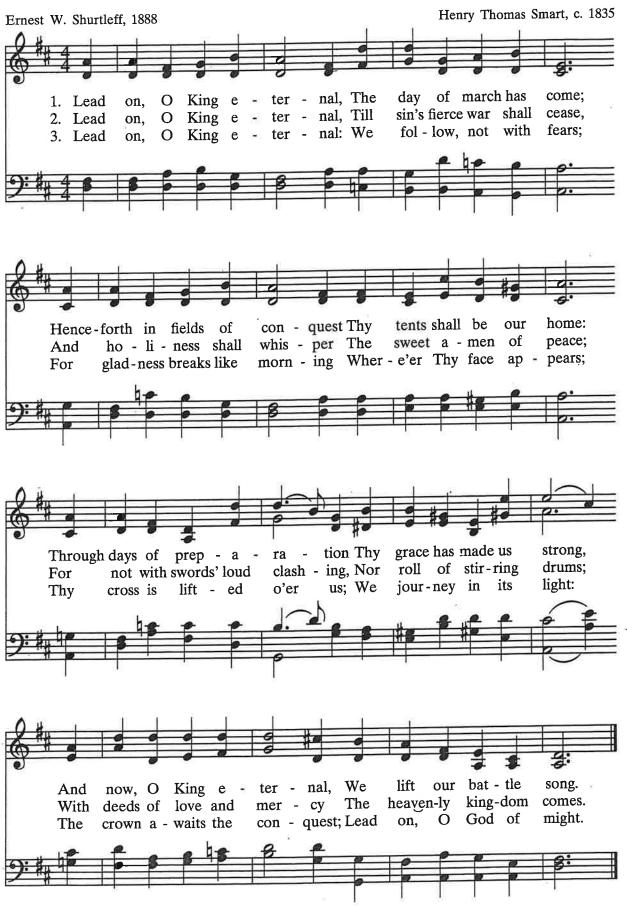
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3. Are we weak and heavy laden, Cumbered with a load of care? Precious Savior, still our refuge— Take it to the Lord in prayer! Do thy friends despise, forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer! In His arms He'll take and shield thee, Thou wilt find a solace there.

Lead On, O King Eternal

LANCASHIRE 7.6.7.6 D





News & Opportunities

July 24 - 31, 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 | 10:15 a.m. | HOH Park

Upcoming Popsicles in the Park:

August 14 at 11 a.m. in the HOH Park

YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRY

Second Saturday, Youth Event:

St. Paul Saints Baseball Game Saturday, August 13 | CHS Field 6:35 p.m.

Rising grade 6 through graduated high school seniors are invited to join us for a St. Paul Saints game. Cost is \$15 per person. Contact Youth Ministry Committee Chair Sigrid Feldbrugge for more information. sfeldbrugge@gmail.com

Upcoming

Red Cross Blood Drive August 9 | 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. | Great Hall

Give the gift of life! HOH is sponsoring an American Red Cross blood drive.

Register online to give blood here:

https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/ drive-results?zipSponsor=houseofhope

Or call the church office: 651-227-6311

300,000 Sq. Ft. and 2 Blocks of God's Space

Let's share our stories of what this place means to us. Who is God to us, and where have we felt God's presence or absence in these spaces?

Please join us at 11:15 a.m. today!

Check the back of your bulletin for a number or choose your room:

1. Assembly Room

6. Library

2. Choir Rehearsal Room

7. HOH Park

3. Elizabeth Chapel

8. Room 4

4. Memorial Garden

9. Sanctuary

5. Great Hall

15th HOH National Night Out

Tuesday, August 2 | 5:30-8:30 p.m.

HOH offers this free event for the neighborhood and Mission Outreach partners. This is a great opportunity to build relationships with fellow congregation members, our neighbors, community and elected leaders and first responders. Enjoy food, activities, entertainment and learn some things about crime prevention and safety issues and community resources to build safe communities.

Volunteer outside the Kirk Parlour after worship each Sunday in July.

Donations are needed including: food, canned/ bottled beverages, door prize items, treat for the cake walk, and financial donations. For more information, contact Mary Cardinal Peterson: PeteCardFive@outlook.com

Friday Farmers' Market Welcome Table: Fridays through October

Take in the Friday Farmers' Market from the vendors' point of view! Sit at the HOH Welcome Table to hand out literature and HOH tote bags. Two shifts per Friday, 1–3 p.m. or 3-5:15 p.m. To volunteer for the Welcome Table, please email Elise Jamison at: Mission@hohchurch.org.

July/August Labyrinth Days in the Great Hall:

Wednesday, July 27 | 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. / Thursday, July 28 | 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Friday, July 29 | 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. / Sunday, July 31 | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Wednesday, August 24 | 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. / Thursday, August 25 | 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Friday, August 26 | 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. / Sunday, August 28 | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Week Beginning July 24, 2022

Sunday, July 24, 2022

10 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary

10 a.m. Summer Sunday School11 a.m. Social Hour in Kirk Parlour

4 p.m. Carillon Recital, Church Grounds

Monday, July 25, 2022

11 a.m. Centering Prayer, Kirk Parlour/Zoom

1:30 p.m. Beacon Housing Workgroup, Room 1

6 p.m. A.A., Great Hall and A&B 6 p.m. Al-Anon, Room 11 and 9

6 p.m. Faith and Fibers, Library and Zoom

Tuesday, July 26, 2022

7 a.m. Men's Breakfast, Day by Day Cafe/Zoom

4 p.m. Mission Outreach Committee Meeting,

Library

Thursday, July 28, 2022

7 a.m. Men's Breakfast, Day by Day Cafe/Zoom

10 a.m. Library Committee, Library

1 p.m. Memorial Service/Interment/Reception

for Lauren Kaszas

5:30 p.m. Capital City Grief Coalition, St. John the

Evangelist - 60 Kent St. N., St. Paul

Friday, July 29, 2022

8 a.m. Women's Breakfast Group, Zoom

9 a.m. Friday Centering Prayer, Zoom1:15 p.m. St. Paul Farmers' Market, Holly Lot

Sunday, July 31, 2022

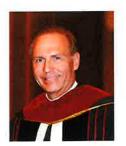
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11:15 a.m. Ireland Pre-Gathering, Room 1

To support House of Hope please use this QR code



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

Transitional Pastor Update



We welcome The Reverend Dr. Scott Kenefake as our Transitional Pastor beginning August 1.

A native of Kansas City, Rev. Dr. Kenefake is a graduate of the University of Kansas, and the San Francisco Theological Seminary, as well as the Pittsburgh Theological Seminary.

Dr. Kenefake has focused his ministry on Interim and Transitional Ministry work and is currently serving First Presbyterian Church in Bloomington, Indiana as

Transitional Senior Pastor. He has many years of experience helping urban, city-center, suburban, college/university, and multicultural congregations through changes in staff leadership and helping them to develop new visions for the future.

Please join us in welcoming him on August 7 after worship.

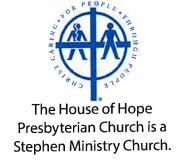


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