



The Federated Church of Hyannis

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Order of Worship ~ Sunday, February 20, 2022 ~ 10:00 AM

Prelude: *Adagio (Pathetique)*, BeethovenRoy Campbell

Introit: *Awake, Awake, To Love and Work*.....Choir

Words of WelcomeGary Sylvester

Leader: Let us join together in our words of welcome.

ALL: We greet one another in the name of Jesus the Christ. We seek to be a community of faith that is open and welcoming to all. It is Christ who calls us to be the Church. As Christ has welcomed us we now welcome one another.

Leader: Let us greet one another with the Passing of the Peace.
(We will be using sign language)

*** Opening Hymn:** #353 “Be Thou My Vision” vs. 1,2, & 4

*Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art -
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.*

*Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word;
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord:
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son,
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.*

*High King of heaven, my victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all. Amen.*

Invocation (Psalm 96)Gary Sylvester

Leader: My soul, give thanks to the Lord, all my being, bless God's holy name. My soul, give thanks to the Lord and never forget all God's blessings.

All: It is God who forgives all your guilt, who heals every one of your ills, who redeems your life from the grave, who crowns you with love and compassion, who fills your life with good things, renewing your youth like an eagle's.

Leader: The Lord does deeds of justice, gives judgment to all who are oppressed. The Lord's ways were made known to Moses; the Lord's deeds to Israel's children.

All: The Lord is compassion and love, slow to anger and rich in mercy. God does not treat us according to our sins nor repay us according to our faults. For as the heavens are high above the earth so strong is God's love for the God-fearing; As far as the east is from the west so far does he remove our sins.

***Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

Invitation to OfferingGary Sylvester

It is at this time we have the opportunity to offer our pledges and offerings to the Lord. It is out of the abundance that the Lord has provided that we respond faithfully as stewards of those gifts in our morning offering.

Offertory: Give ThanksRoy Campbell

***Doxology**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below
Praise him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen*

Prayer of DedicationGary Sylvester

Lord, you call us to be faithful stewards of the resources we have been provided with. May the blessings of these offerings be used to serve the purposes for which

you have called us to be the Church. May these gifts help share the message of hope to all. Amen.

Anthem: *Hear My Words*, Stephen Paulus.....Choir

Sharing of Joys and Concerns.....Gary Sylvester

Prayers of the Community.....Rev. Amanda Braga-Tipton

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

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 trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

***Hymn:** #413 "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

*Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, that calls me from a world of care
And bids me at my Father's throne make all my wants and wishes known,
In seasons of distress and grief my soul has often found relief,
And oft escaped the tempter's snare by thy return, sweet hour of prayer.*

*Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, Thy wings shall my petition bear,
To Him whose truth and faithfulness engage the waiting soul to bless;
And since He bids me seek His face, believe His Word and trust His grace,
I'll cast on Him my ev'ry care, and wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer,*

*Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, may I thy consolation share,
Till, from Mount Pisgah's lofty height, I view my home and take my flight:
This robe of flesh I'll drop, and rise to seize the everlasting prize;
And shout, while passing through the air,
"Farewell, farewell, sweet hour of prayer!" Amen.*

Scripture: Psalm 20: 6-9Lay Reader Nancy Wilbur

Sermon: "Something Got a Hold?"...Rev. Amanda Braga-Tipton (guest preacher)

***Closing Hymn:** #437 “He Leadeth Me” vs. 1,3, & 4

*He leadeth me! O blessed thought! O words with heav'nly comfort fraught!
Whate'er I do, where'er I be, Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.
He leadeth me, He leadeth me, By His own hand He leadeth me;
His faithful foll'wer I would be, For by His hand He leadeth me.*

*Lord, I would clasp Thy hand in mine, Nor ever murmur nor repine;
Content, whatever lot I see, Since 'tis my God that leadeth me!
He leadeth me, He leadeth me, By His own hand He leadeth me;
His faithful foll'wer I would be, For by His hand He leadeth me.*

*And when my task on earth is done, When by Thy grace the vict'ry's won,
E'en death's cold wave I will not flee, Since God thru Jordan leadeth me.
He leadeth me, He leadeth me, By His own hand He leadeth me;
His faithful foll'wer I would be, For by His hand He leadeth me. Amen.*

***Benediction**Rev. Amanda Braga-Tipton

Go forth in peace, be of good courage, hold fast to that which is good, render to no one evil for evil, but strengthen the faint-hearted, help the afflicted, honor God, love and serve one another rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit now and forevermore. Amen.

Choir Blessing: *Dear Lord and Father of Mankind*

Postlude: *I Still Believe, Claude Michael Scheonberg* Roy Campbell

*Please Stand if you are able

Thank you to the Diaconate for the altar flowers.

Thank you to our guest preacher, Reverend Amanda Braga-Tipton

Reverend Braga-Tipton is a Cape Cod Native. She has served in various spheres of ministry throughout the world, her current assignment is serving as a Chaplain in the United States Army Reserve. She loves life and is passionate about seeing people of all ages experience the love of God.