

The Federated Church of Hyannis
320 Main Street
Hyannis, Massachusetts



Sunday Morning Worship Service
July 9, 2023 ~ 10:00 AM

~Reminder – please silence all cell phones before the Worship Service begins ~

PRELUDE: “*Prelude in C*”, J. S. Bach

Roy Campbell

WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE WITH THE CONGREGATION, PRESENT AND ONLINE

CALL TO WORSHIP (all)

Leader: We come to this service with so many needs and longings. We have been many places and conceived many different thoughts.

People: **But underneath all our differences is the same basic need for love and acceptance.**

Leader: And that’s why we’re here – to admit to each other our need for love

People: **And to celebrate the most marvelous fact of the universe – that God loves us and accepts us just as we are. Alleluia!**

***HYMN OF PRAISE #215 “All Hail the Power Of Jesus’ Name”**

INVOCATION (all)

O Lord, blessed and holy, we lift our eyes to you, praying that the light of your presence might chase away the darkness within us. Most of all, we pray that you might deliver us from dullness of heart and spirit. The pressures of daily living can make us weary and become a weight on our souls. Liberate us by your words of grace and truth. Set us on solid ground. Give us vision to guide us and work to engage us. We hold before you all who have need; the poor, the lonely, those who are ill in body or mind, those who have lost their way, and have little faith. Bless them and bless us that we might be able to help and care for them in your holy name. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

SILENT PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER (all)

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.

***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.

SPECIAL MUSIC: “*Clair De Lune*”, Debussy

Roy Campbell

THE WORD OF GOD

Lay Reader, Sherrie Scudder

Old Testament: Isaiah 40:21-32

New Testament: Matthew 15:10-20

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

***HYMN OF REFLECTION #203** “Thine Is the Glory”

SERMON: “As We Think in Our Hearts”

Rev. Dr. Paul R. Adkins

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTORAL PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY: “*Nearer My God to Thee*”

Roy Campbell

DOXOLOGY

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

***CLOSING HYMN #497** “Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE: “*Prelude in C Minor*”, Chopin

Roy Campbell

**Please stand if you are able*

Please join us for Coffee Hour in Baldwin Hall following the Worship Service.

Today's altar flowers are given by the Scudder family in loving memory of Sherrie's parents, Tom and Millie Smith.

Mission of the Month

Our Mission for the months of July and August is to collect funds for The Salvation Army Food Bank. They service those in need across our area by providing nutritious, hot meals or groceries. Please make your check payable to the church, please note "Missions" in the comment line. As always, we thank our church members for their generosity.

This Week

Sunday, July 9 – NA 6:00 pm (FH)

Monday, July 10 - AA 7:30 pm (BMR)

Tuesday, July 11 – NA 7:30 pm (BH)

Friday, July 14 - Lobster Roll Lunches, 11:00 am (BH)

**Saturday, July 15 – AA 12 PM (BMR)
NA 7:30 pm (BH)**

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