The Federated Church of Hyannis 320 Main Street Hyannis, Massachusetts



Sunday Morning Worship Service October 1, 2023 ~ 10:00 AM **PRELUDE:** "Valse", Chopin Roy Campbell

WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE WITH THE CONGREGATION, PRESENT AND ONLINE

CALL TO WORSHIP (all)

Leader: God is present here! Come to worship, to learn, and to experience God's love.

People: With joy we come into God's presence in this sacred place. We come to seek God's blessings.

Leader: In God's divine guidance there is strength to help us along life's way.

People: We come to be strengthened to meet daily tasks; we come to grow in faith and love.

Leader: Let us joyfully worship as we sing praises to God's holy name.

*HYMN #38 "O Worship the King, All Glorious Above"

INVOCATION (all)

Loving God, we thank you for this opportunity for worship. Deepen our spiritual and prayer life. Teach us to understand ourselves, to be reconciled with one another, and to love you with profound joy. Lead us to such simplicity of faith and honesty that, as individual Christians, and as a congregation, we may be strengthened in times of temptation and renewed in grace. 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 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing", R. Thygerson

Roy Campbell

THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament: Psalm 139:1-12 Pew Bible page 503

New Testament: Luke 2:41-52 Pew Bible pages 833, 834

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

*HYMN OF REFLECTION #359 "Blessed Assurance"

SERMON "To Grow and Never Stop Growing" Rev. Dr. Paul R. Adkins

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTORAL PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY: "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" 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.

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

(All are welcome to partake of Holy Communion)

Invitation to the Table and Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Sharing of the Bread and Cup (Please hold and commune together)

Prayer of Thanksgiving (all)

We thank you, God, for inviting us to this table where we have known the presence of Christ and have received all Christ's gifts. Strengthen our faith, increase our love for one another, and let us show forth your praise in our lives; Through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

*CLOSING HYMN #578 "Sent Forth by God's Blessing"

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: "Abide With Me", Beethoven with W. Monk Roy Campbell

*Please stand if you are able

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

Mission of the Month

Our Church's Mission for October and November is to accept monetary donations benefiting the Salvation Army Hyannis Corps "Dress A Live Doll" holiday program, an event that provides children age 12 and under with clothing, and their program" Teens Love Christmas" which provides gift cards for teenagers. Please make your check payable to the Federated Church, and note "Missions - Dress A Live Doll" on the memo line. The Mission Committee members will then shop, wrap and deliver purchased items to the Salvation Army. Thank you for your continued support.

This Week

Sunday, October 1 – NA 6:00 pm (FH)

Monday, October 2 – AA, 7:30 pm (BMR)

Tuesday, October 3 – NA, 7:30 pm (BH)

Wednesday, October 4 - Choir Rehearsal, 6:30 pm

Saturday, October 8 – AA, 12 PM (BMR) NA, 7:30 pm (BH)

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