The Federated Church of Hyannis 320 Main Street Hyannis, Massachusetts



Sunday Morning Worship Service October 29, 2023 ~ 10:00 AM ~Reminder – please silence all cell phones before the Worship Service begins~

PRELUDE: "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go", A. Peace Roy Campbell

WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE WITH THE CONGREGATION, PRESENT AND ONLINE

CHORAL INTROIT "Come Christians, Join to Sing"

CALL TO WORSHIP (all)

Leader: Today the word of God comes to us in love.

People: Inviting us not to be afraid, but to place our faith in God.

Leader: Today the word of God comes to us in faith.

People: Inviting us to trust in the God who knows us and cares for us.

Leader: Today the word of God comes to us in hope.

People: Inviting us to be gracious in our love.

Leader: Let us be joyful and worship God!

*HYMN #502 "Forward Through the Ages"

INVOCATION (all)

O God, our Creator and Sovereign, you have made us to live in freedom and joy before you, and in oneness of love with others. We praise you for the goodness in the world and within us as we seek your help in fulfilling your intentions for us. Sometimes we give our loyalty to other gods of our own creation. Sometimes we fall into despair or self-pity. Sometimes we separate ourselves from others by our self-centeredness. Fill us with new life, joy, and hope that we may be able to make the world more nearly what you want it to be. In Christ's 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.

ANTHEM "I'm Going to Sing", Spiritual

Choir

THE WORD OF GOD

Lay Reader Patty Hill

Old Testament: Psalm 31:1-14 Pew Bible page 439
New Testament: II Corinthians 7:5-13 Pew Bible page 941

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

*HYMN OF REFLECTION #259 "For the Beauty of the Earth"

SERMON "The Positive Power of Dissatisfaction" 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.

*CLOSING HYMN #360 "Come, Let Us Join with Faithful Souls"

*BENEDICTION

CHOIR AMEN

POSTLUDE: "Ev'ry Time I Feel the Spirit", Traditional Roy Campbell

*Please stand if you are able

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

Today's flowers are from the wedding reception of Elizabeth Golden and Michael Virginia. Elizabeth is the beloved, favorite (and only) niece of Patty Hill.

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 29 – Worship Service, 10:00 am Church Committee Meeting, 11:30 am (P) NA 6:00 pm (FH)

Monday, October 30 – AA, 7:30 pm (BMR)

Tuesday, October 31 – NA, 7:30 pm (BH)

Wednesday, November 1 - Choir Rehearsal, 6:30 pm

Saturday, November 4 - AA, 12:00 pm (BMR) NA, 7:30 pm (BH)

Sunday, November 5 – Worship Service, 10:00 am NA 6:00 pm (FH)