

FEDERATED CHURCH OF HYANNIS
ORDER OF WORSHIP
August 24, 2025

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

PRELUDE

“Ave Maria”, Jehan Alain

Soloist Lucy Brett

WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Dave McPherson

**PASSING OF THE PEACE WITH THE CONGREGATION
PRESENT AND ONLINE**

CALL TO WORSHIP (all)

from Psalm 9

Pastor: I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart; I will recount all of your wonderful deeds. I will be glad and exult in you; I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.

People: When my enemies turn back, they stumble and perish before your presence. For you have maintained my just cause; you have sat on the throne, giving righteous judgment.

Pastor: You have rebuked the nations; you have made the wicked perish; you have blotted out their name forever and ever.

People: The enemy came to an end in everlasting ruins; their cities you rooted out; the very memory of them has perished.

Pastor: But the Lord sits enthroned forever; he has established his throne for justice, and he judges the world with righteousness; he judges the peoples with uprightness.

People: The Lord is a stronghold for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble. And those who know your name put their trust in you, for you, O Lord, have not forsaken those who seek you.

Pastor: Sing praises to the Lord, who sits enthroned in Zion! Tell among the peoples his deeds! For he who avenges blood is mindful of them; he does not forget the cry of the afflicted.

People: Be gracious to me, O Lord! See my affliction from those who hate me, O you who lift me up from the gates of death, that I may recount all your praises, that in the gates of the daughter of Zion I may rejoice in your salvation.

Pastor: The nations have sunk in the pit that they made; in the net that they hid, their own foot has been caught. The Lord has made himself known; he has executed judgment; the wicked are snared in the work of their own hands. *Selah*

People: The wicked shall return to Sheol, all the nations that forget God. For the needy shall not always be forgotten, and the hope of the poor shall not perish forever.

All: Arise, O Lord! Let not man prevail; let the nations be judged before you! Put them in fear, O Lord! Let the nations know that they are but men!
Selah

***HYMN OF PRAISE #42 “God the Omnipotent” vs. 1, 2 & 3**

*1 God the Omnipotent! King, who ordainest
Thunder Thy clarion, lightning Thy sword;
Show forth Thy pity on high where Thou reignest:
Give to us peace in our time, O Lord.*

*2 God the All-merciful! earth hath forsaken
Thy ways all holy, and slighted Thy word;
Bid not Thy wrath in its terrors awaken:
Give to us peace in our time, O Lord.*

*3 God the all-righteous One! man that defied Thee;
Yet to eternity standeth Thy word;
Falsehood and wrong shall not tarry beside Thee:
Give to us peace in our time, O Lord. Amen.*

INVOCATION (all)

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. *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

“How Beautiful Are the Feet of Them”, Handel

Soloist Lucy Brett

THE WORD OF GOD

The Old Testament: Jeremiah 29:7

The New Testament: Ephesians 1:15-21

Lay Reader Pam Frazier

Pew Bible page 639

Pew Bible page 949

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

“Psalm 9”

Pastor Dave McPherson

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTORAL PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

Roy Campbell

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from who all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN #436**

“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee”

vs. 1, 2 & 3

1 O Master, let me walk with Thee

In lowly paths of service free;

Tell me Thy secret, help me bear

The strain of toil, the fret of care.

2 Help me the slow of heart to move

By some clear, winning word of love;

Teach me the wayward feet to stay,

And guide them in the homeward way.

3 Teach me Thy patience; still with Thee

In closer, dearer company,

In work that keeps faith sweet and strong,

In trust that triumphs over wrong. Amen.

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

“Our Heavenly Father”, Jean Sibelius

Soloist Lucy Brett

*Please stand if you are able

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

We welcome this morning, Soloist Lucy Brett. Lucy has lived all over the US of A. She did her undergrad work at Carnegie Mellon and her grad work at Eastman. She moved to the Cape in 1981 where she has been a soloist with the Chatham Chorale and many churches and a member of Royall Noyse. Lucy is married with 3 grown children.

This Week

Sunday, August 24 - Worship Service, 10:00 am (S)
Coffee Hour, 11:00 am (BH)
Church Committee Meeting, 11:30 am (P)
NA 6:00 pm (BH)

Monday, August 25 – AA, 7:30 pm (BMR)

Tuesday, August 26 – Cranberry Shores Chorus, 6:00-10:00 pm (BH)

Sunday, August 31 – Worship Service, 10:00 am (S)
Coffee Hour, 11:00 am (BH)
NA 6:00 pm (BH)

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