Worship for the Lord’s Day
6th Sunday After Pentecost
July 9, 2023
9:30 am

Prelude
How Firm a Foundation
with The Church’s One Foundation
arr. Paul A. Tate

Lighting of the Christ Candle
Maeve O’Donnell

Words of Welcome
Rev. Susan Tindall

*Opening Words (Psalm 100:1-2)
One: Cry out with joy to the Lord, all the earth.
All: Worship the Lord with gladness.
One: Come into God’s presence with singing!
All: Let us worship God with joy in our hearts!

*Hymn 838
Standing on the Promises
Promises

Call to Confession
Emily
One: God is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. Knowing that God is compassionate to all, let us confess our sins.
Prayer of Confession
All: Faithful One, despite our best efforts, we have not lived up to what we can do or who we can be. Even when our intentions are good, our actions cause harm. Even when we want to follow you more closely, we end up turning away. We are at war with ourselves, and only you can bring peace. Still our souls, order our steps, guide our feet back to your way.

Assurance of God’s Grace
One: God upholds all who are falling, and raises up those who are bowed down.
All: Jesus Christ rescues us from sin and death; thanks to God through Jesus Christ.

*Sung Response 581 Glory Be to the Father GLORIA PATRI (Greatorex)

*Sharing the Peace of Christ
Emily
One: As a sign of our reconciliation with God and with one another, let us share the peace with one another. The Peace of Christ be with you!
All: And also with you!

*Sung Response 175 v 1 Seek Ye First LAFFERTY

Time with Youngest Children
Kristin Duy

Prayer for Inspiration
Wayne Leopold

Scripture Reading John 2:1-11, excerpts NIV
Wayne
One: Holy Wisdom, Holy Word! This is the Word of the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God!

Scripture Reading Psalm 28:6-7 and Psalm 30:10-12 NIV
Wayne
One: Holy Wisdom, Holy Word! This is the Word of the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon Joy in Christianity Wayne Leopold

Offering Our Gifts to God
Invitation to Offering He Hideth My Soul Beth
Offertory Fanny Crosby, arr. Brad Nix
Peg Bouthia and Gregg Morton

*Doxology words 607, tune 606 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow OLD HUNDREDTH

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn 846 Fight the Good Fight DUKE STREET
Holy Communion

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

One: The Lord be with you.
   All: And also with you.
One: Lift up your hearts.
   All: We lift them to the Lord.
One: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.
   All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.
One: (prayer continues)
   ...Therefore with all creation we sing your praise:

   [Musical notation]

One: (prayer continues)
   ...Great is the mystery of faith:

   [Musical notation]

   (prayer continues)
Lord's Prayer (unison, using “sins”)
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 sins,
as we forgive those who sin 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.

The Breaking of the Bread

*Communion of the People

Ushers will invite you to come forward for the receiving of communion.
All are invited to come to the table using the center aisle and return via the outside aisles.
The center station offers allergen-free wafers and prepackaged communion elements.
Any with mobility challenges will be served in the pews.

*Communion Hymn 507

Prayer after Communion
God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ,
making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit that we
may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the way of
Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

*Hymn 643

Now Thank We All Our God

*Charge and Blessing

Wayne

*Postlude

Rejoice in the Lord Always

arr. Carol Tornquist

* Please rise in spirit or body
All speak emboldened type

GREETERS: Sean Coriell & Shelley Jaycox
USHERS: Nancy Pritzel, Wayne Pritzel
ACOLYTE: Maeve O’Donnell
LITURGISTS: Emily Jaycox
COMMUNION SERVERS: Michele Vickery, Ann Jaltuch, Janice Bouchard
ONLINE WORSHIP HOST: Linda Cirillo
AV: Tristin Rush, Teagan Manning
Next Sunday in Worship, July 16
7th Sunday After Pentecost

9:30 am

Isaiah 55:10-13, Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23
Seeds and Soil

TODAY’S GUEST PREACHER
Wayne Leopold
Elder, Deacon, Stephen Minister

We are excited to welcome ordained Elder and Deacon Wayne Leopold to the pulpit today. Wayne has been a member of CPC for fifteen years. He is eager to share with the congregation his sermon on the joy of Christianity. Wayne also is a trained Stephen Minister. For many years he was the guiding force behind the Jubilee Resale Event. We are blessed to hear God’s teaching through Wayne’s sermon.

PLEASE SUPPORT PRESBYTERY OFFERING (aka per capita)
Give by July 16

As Presbyterians, we are part of a connectional church. We unite to support one another, share resources, and carry out God’s mission in our local communities, our nation and the world. The Chicago Presbytery leads this work.

CPC makes an annual contribution to the Chicago Presbytery based on a per capita formula ($36.50 per member this year). This year, CPC’s contribution to our Presbytery will total $16,000 and we hope to raise the entire amount through this offering. The suggested gift to the fund is $150 per family. Please make your donation:
• By scanning the QR code
• Online at https://onrealm.org/cpc/give/PresbyOffering
• By check to the church office by July 16
**This week at CPC:**

- **Sunday, July 9**
  - **Communion**
  - 9:30 am — Worship

- **Monday, July 10**
  - 7:00 pm — Staff Meeting; Gathering Room

- **Tuesday, July 11**
  - 1:30 pm — Staff Meeting; Chapel / Zoom

- **Wednesday, July 12**
  - 6:00 pm — All Staff Picnic; South Lawn

- **Thursday, July 13**

- **Friday, July 14**

- **Saturday, July 15**

- **Sunday, July 16**
  - 8:30 pm — Summer Choir warm up; Sanctuary
  - 9:30 am — Worship

**NURSERY CARE**
The Nursery will be staffed this Sunday. Families can drop off their little ones to be cared for by our volunteers. We use a pager system in case a parent is needed. The Nursery is located across from the church office on the main floor.

**COMING SOON; live stream of the worship service in the Nursery!**

**SUMMER SUNDAYS**
July 9
August 6
All kids 3 yrs - 5th grade are invited to participate in worship service during the summer. Sign up to be an Acolyte, Greeter, Usher or Liturgist by clicking [HERE](#)

**WORSHIP BAGS**

Each Sunday worship bags will be available for families to use so that children of all ages are able to participate in worship. A variety of activities related to each week’s service will be included along with books and fidget busters! Bags will be available for pick up in the Narthex.

**SOME PIG. HUMBLE. RADIANT.**

These are the words in Charlotte's Web, high up in Zuckerman's barn. Charlotte's spider web tells of her feelings for a little pig named Wilbur, who simply wants a friend. They also express the love of a girl named Fern, who saved Wilbur’s life when he was born the runt of his litter.

E. B. White's Newbery Honor Book is a tender novel of friendship, love, life, and death that has been enjoyed by generations. Whether you are 3 or 93 this book is perfect summer reading...so join us and read Charlotte's Web and enjoy some fun activities along the way!

Books can be picked up starting July 9. They will be available each Sunday in the narthex or in the church office.

To cap off this fun summer reading adventure we will have a Charlotte's Web movie viewing party in September!
CHRISTMAS IN JULY DINE AND DONATE  
July 10-16  
Country House, Clarendon Hills

It’s halfway through summer and the Deacons know you need a break from preparing meals! Support our Dine and Donate by grabbing a meal or a gift certificate from Country House during the week of July 10-16. 15% of your food and gift certificate purchases will be donated to the Deacon Thanksgiving and Christmas Dinners. Over the past 3 years, we have fed over 200 families during the holiday season. Head on over to Country House, located at 241 55th Street, share your flier available in the narthex, and eat amazing food while supporting an amazing cause! Looking forward to seeing you there!

COMPASSION CAMP; VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL  
Changing the World with Loving Kindness  
August 14 - 18  
9am - 11:30 ~ Snack Included  
4yrs - 5th grade

Cost: $60 for the first child/ $30 for each additional child  
*reach out to Kristin Duy if you would like scholarship information

Through Compassion Camp: What Every Living Thing Needs, children will explore what all living things need to live—shelter, food, water, air, and community—and how they can have compassion for the living earth. Through awareness, gratitude, wonderment, and kinship, kids will consider how to become participants in the work of God’s creation.

A typical morning will include: Gathering and Music, Bible Story, Crafts & Activities, Movement & Games & Compassion in Action.

Simply scan the QR code to register your child.

NEWS OF THE AMOS GROUP  
Let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream. Amos 5:24

The Social Justice Summer Read is back!  
Last summer, many of us read Heather McGhee’s, The Sum of Us: What Racism Costs Everyone and How We Can Prosper Together. We did this in partnership with several other churches and social justice groups in the area. The initiative is sponsored by CommUNITY Diversity in LaGrange and the Unitarian Church of Hinsdale.

The book for 2023 is See No Stranger: A Memoir and Manifesto of Revolutionary Love, by Valarie Kaur. You can see more about the book on this flyer.

We hope that many of you will join us in reading and discussing this book. We all read on our own schedules and then have the discussion in September. Please let Gregg Morton know if you are reading with us.

Please send your questions, ideas or comments to Gregg Morton.
MEAL A MONTH COLLECTION

Food Pantries are in desperate need. Fill a bag with grocery items to be donated to Hinsdale Community Services. The suggested menu is:

- Hot Cereal
- Campbell's Chunky or Progresso Soups
- Peanut Butter and Jelly
- Canned Tuna or chicken
- Soaps: Bars, Body Wash, Dish and Laundry Soap

Any non-perishable items will be most welcome! Pick up a bag in the narthex or use your own and return to CPC. Thank you for your generous donations.

SAVE THE DATE
Worship on the Lawn
Sunday August 27
9:30 am

The Worship & Music Committee is thrilled to offer Worship on the Lawn with a gospel theme this year! Special guest musician is Shantée Lewis who will lead and teach us gospel music including some of our favorites as well as new inspired music. Bring your lawn chair to sit in the shade under the tent on the south lawn. The music will be amazing, the worship inspired and the beverages iced!!

Please note worship will not be livestreamed on this Sunday. Please let us know if you’d like a ride to church!

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