

Woods Memorial Presbyterian Church (USA)

"Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things."

PHILIPPIANS 4:8 (NRSV)



Artwork by Elizabeth Baril

October 11, 2020

9:30AM

PRELUDES

May The Road Rise To Meet You
Marty Clayton, Sarah Kent and David Merrill, trio

L. True

God of Wonders
Praise Band

P. Baloche

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

Pastor Susan DeWyngaert

INTROIT

Do Justice, Love Kindness
Andrew Lincoln, Reader

CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Jacob Snowden

Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!
Worship the Lord with praise!
God of all good,
in this holy hour, help us to turn away
from our many cares and concerns
and enter into worship.
Inspire our thoughts.
Receive our praise.
For you alone are worthy of our devotion.
We lift up our hearts
and join our voices praying:
“Come, Holy Spirit, come!

HYMN 1

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Pastor Jacob Snowden

Forgiving God, it is easy for us to forget that you have called us to be light to the world. The world's incessant noise is turned up too high. We are distracted and discouraged. Sometimes our spirits go numb to the joy and thanksgiving that are the hallmarks of lives fully focused on you. Forgive us, God. It is too easy to forget who we are. Help us to dial down the clamor and tune our senses to the voice of the Spirit. Make us genuine channels of hope, justice and peace, so that the peace which passes all understanding may eternally guard our hearts and our world in Christ Jesus.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS**CHILDREN'S MOMENT**

Pastor Susan DeWyngaert

ANTHEM

Isn't He
Ted Markle

arr. M. Hayes

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Elizabeth Baril, Director of Youth Ministry

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 5:14-16

SERMON

“Always a Choice”
Last in a Series: The Beloved Community
Philippians 4:1,4-9

Pastor Susan DeWyngaert

ANTHEM

Carry Me
Lily Baker, solo

K. Jobe

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Psalm 139:1-10

Pastor Susan DeWyngaert

LORD, you have searched me out;
O LORD, you have known me.
You know my sitting down and my rising up;
you discern my thoughts from afar.
You trace my journeys and my resting-places
and are acquainted with all my ways.
Indeed, there is not a word on my lips,
but you, O LORD, know it altogether.
You encompass me, behind and before,
and lay your hand upon me.
Such knowledge is too wonderful for me;
it is so high that I cannot attain to it.
Where can I go then from your Spirit?
Where can I flee from your presence?
If I climb up to heaven, you are there;
if I make the grave my bed, you are there also.
If I take the wings of the morning
and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea,
even there your hand will lead me
and your right hand hold me fast.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND OFFERING

Elizabeth Baril

The offering today goes in part to support Drink at the Well, a small Christian nonprofit in the Curtis Bay area committed to transforming lives of women through long-term relationships, practical programs, and the healing power of love.

OFFERTORY

The Lion and the Lamb
Praise Team

Big Daddy Weave

Text Woods to Give **73256**

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor Jacob Snowden

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.

HYMN 12

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

CHARGE AND BLESSING**POSTLUDE**

Toccata Festiva
Ted Markle, organ

R. Purvis

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Woods Church Prayer List

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Prayer Request for Woods Members

Sue Brayman	Dave Bremer	Donna Brown
Betty Butler	Jeanne Campbell	Peter Cooper
Carolyn Decker	Carly Dent	Bob Downey
Carl Erickson	Chuck Gosnell	Zelma Gossard
Shirley and Griff Hall	Margaret Huddleston	Art Johnson
Ted Lewis	Alan Lupfer	Coryne Minton
Jeff and Linda Norris	Tom Page	Bea Parry
Joan Rohrback	Edie Segree	Marie Sheldon
Marilyn Sickels	Suzonne Taylor	Margo Thiele
Charlene VanMeter	Anne and John Veach	Janet Wallace
Robin Williams	Geoff Wood	

Bereaved

Doug Shade, and family, on the death of his mother, Roberta Shade
Larry Shin, and family, on the death of his mother, Young Sun Shin

Mission Partners and Co-Workers

Leslie Vogel, Guatemala and Mexico	Jo Ella Holman, Cuba
Julio Rene' Villacampa	Ministry of Hope (MOH), Malawi
Daniel Moyo, Program Director at MOH, Malawi,	Jacqueline Valdes

Military Personnel and their Families, Volunteers and First Responders to Crisis

Lt.Col Judy Boyd	LTJG Christine Chhor	Lt.Col. Chad De Rosa
Olivia Fava	Zack Fisher	Capt.Chris Hayes
Sgt. Joseph Jacob	Capt. Ryan Jan	Stanton Johnson
Lt. Reis Korstjens	Briana Linberg	2nd Lt. Matthew Lohff
Augie Milewski	Lt. Josh Preston	Will Sapp
2nd Lt Jimmy Shipley	Lt. Jeb Smith	Gavin Snyder
LCDR Ian Starr	LTJG Drew Van Heest	LTJG Kori Van Heest
Danny Wegner	Aaron Welborn	

Healthcare Workers

Beth Bender, niece of Karen Mack
Jennifer Campbell, niece of Mary Ann Kaucher
Cindy Howard, sister of Barb Aycock
Lindsay Jones, niece of Karen Mack
Beth Kupfer, niece of Karen Mack
Stephanie Lewis, daughter of Nancy Gontkof
Karen Mack, Woods member
Kendall Marone Parrott, granddaughter of Vic and Carolann Marone
Tabitha Walton, sister-in-law of Rachel Lunde
Jim and Molly Weaver, nephew and wife of Linda Weaver

Prayer Requests for Woods Family and Friends

Mary Baril, mother of Elizabeth Baril
Albert Blackwell, husband of Lucia Robinson-Blackwell
Andy and Trudi Bodi relatives of Nancy Lincoln Reynolds

The Bodi Family, Pallo, Ukraine, formerly Hungary
David Braun, brother of Karen Strange
Erundina Brenet, friend of mission partner Cuba, Mary Clayton
Warren Brockett, husband of Molly Brockett, on the death of his father, Ward
Katherine Bueller, friend of Andy and Katie Borland
Kathie and Theo Burney, daughter and son-in-law of Mary Ann Kaucher
Jean Carroll, friend of the family of Pam McGregor
Jimmy Cazin, former Woods Associate Pastor
Dave Cirillo, husband of Ann Cirillo
Dale Coates, family of Sandra Dixon and the Coates family
San Dixon and the Coates family, on the death of their niece, Carol Denise Coates
Patrick Dougherty, brother of Mike Dougherty
Katie Forrester, sister of the Rev. Susan Dewyngaert
Meri Gathman, wife of Frank Gathman
Amy Gebhard, daughter of Frank and Meri Gathman
Sharon Giles, friend of the Hadley's
Tim Gosnell, nephew of Barb and Chuck Gosnell
Steve Grames, friend of Andy Borland
Mary Ann Hagerty, mother of Maureen Adams
Blair Harrison, niece of Polly Wilson, cousin to Sarah Wilson
Linda Hastings, friend of Nancy Lincoln Reynolds
Bob Howell, brother of Julie Gallimore
Sarah Jackson, sister of Janet Lindsay
Lori and Earl Jansen, friends of Woods
Susie Johnson, friend of Polly Wilson, sister of Becky Johnson
Justin Gontkof, and Katie Kidwell family and friend of Nancy Gontkof
Kathy Khristie, friend of Nancy Lincoln Reynolds
Frank and Cathy Kravitz, friends of the Borland's
Martha Lewis, friend of Susan DeWyngaert
Stacey Locke, daughter of Marilyn Sickles
Peter and Carol Lum, relatives of Janet Lindsay
Buck Lynch, son-in-law of Joan and Joe Tiernan
Dave Mank, friend of Rick and June Hutchinson
Maria Marchisello, friend of Susan DeWyngaert
Brian Mayers, friend of Jacquelynne Shade
Robert McDowell, brother of Nancy Lincoln Reynolds
Gordon McNaughton, family of Judy Jaudon
Lee Wayne Mills, uncle of Cindy Snapp
Bill Moffitt, husband of Pat Moffitt
Noah Mupende, son of nurse at Sunrise
Ailani Myers, friend of Kelly Nowatnick
Betty Nauman, mother of Doug Nauman
Conner Nolan, friend of Nancy Lincoln Reynolds
Gretchen Perry, family of Karen Mack
Robert Rex, CDC parent
Patricia Roach, mother of Angela Janas
Dereck, Mary Lynn, Will and Ben Roberts, cousins of Holly Albrecht
Lou Rudinski, friend of Andy Borland
Nick Sabo, friend of Woods