

METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY CHURCH OF NORTHERN VIRGINIA

*Celebrating 41 Years
Spirit, Community, Action – Inside & “Out” October 9, 2022*

There is a book at the Sanctuary entry where prayer requests may be entered.

*There is also a Square device at the entry of the Sanctuary
if you would like to make your Offering Donation via credit card.*

Like Life, The Order of Worship is Subject to Change

Gathering Music

Jorge Martinez

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Lori McPherson

Centering

At the sound of the singing bowl,
please take a few moments to prepare yourself for our worship together

Community Prayers

Dale Bradshaw

First Reading ~ *Psalm 66:16-20*

Jen Yi

Come and hear, all who revere God
and I will tell what the Holy One has done for me.
I cried aloud to God,
and praise was on my tongue.
If I had nursed evil in my heart,
God would not have listened.
But God did listen,
and heeded the voice of my prayer.
Blessed be God,
who has not rejected my prayer,
or stopped loving me!

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Second Reading ~ *Luke 17:11-19*

On the journey to Jerusalem, Jesus passed along the borders of Samaria and Galilee. As Jesus was entering a village, ten people with leprosy met him. Keeping their distance, they raised their voices and said, "Jesus, Rabbi, have pity on us!"

When Jesus saw them, he responded, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." As they were going, they were healed. One of them, realizing what had happened, came back praising God in a loud voice, then fell down at the feet of Jesus and spoke his praises. The individual was a Samaritan.

Jesus replied, "Weren't all ten made whole? Where are the other nine? Was there no one to return and give thanks except this foreigner?" Then Jesus said to the Samaritan, "Stand up and go your way; your faith has made you well."

Response MCC NoVA Choir & Community

Reflection **Gratitude**
Rev. Lori McPherson
Community Dialogue

Offering Invitation Jamie Wallace

Offertory We Are An Offering MCC NoVA Choir
by Dwight Liles

❖ Welcome To The Table! ❖
Rev. Lori McPherson

Invitation To The Table
Consecration & Words of Institution
Sharing The Open Meal of Christ

Community Blessing

Closing Song MCC NoVA Choir & Community

Benediction & Sending Forth Rev. Lori McPherson

Postlude

❖ Go in Peace ❖