METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY CHURCH OF NORTHERN VIRGINIA

November 8, 2026

Spirit, Community, Action – Inside & "Out"
Celebrating 45 Years of Being Out in Northern Virginia!

There is a book at the Sanctuary entry where prayer requests may be entered.
There is also a Square device at the Sanctuary entry if you would like to make your Offering Donation via credit card.

Like Life, The Order of Worship is Subject to Change Without Notice

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Gathering Music — Jorge Martinez

Welcome & Announcements — Kurt Jaeger

Centering

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

Illumination — Tee

Prayers of the Community — Andrea Albamonte

Choir Response

First Reading ~ *Galatians 6:1-10*

My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbor's work, will become a cause for pride. For all must carry their own loads. Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher. Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

Second Reading ~ *James Allen*

The law of harvest is to reap more than you sow. Sow an act, and you reap a habit. Sow a habit and you reap a character. Sow a character and you reap a destiny.

Song of Response For the Fruit of All Creation No. 425

Reflection HARVEST

Caring About What We Sow

Kurt Jaeger

Community Dialogue

Offering Invitation Cornelius Butler

Offertory We Are An Offering MCC NoVA Choir

Welcome To The Table!

Kurt Jaeger and Ken Williamson

Sung Words of Institution:

"Let Us Be Bread"
By Thomas J. Porter

The Leader will sing the verses. Please join together on the refrain:

Let us be bread, blessed by our God, broken and shared, life for the world.
Let us be wine, love freely poured. Let us be one in our God.

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Invitation to the Table
Sharing The Open Meal of Christ
Community Blessing Kurt Jaeger

Closing Song Called as Partners in Christ's Service No. 495

Benediction and Sending Forth Kurt Jaeger

Postlude

Go in Peace