

Becoming the Beloved Community

Carter - Westminster United Presbyterian Church

Gathered for Worship

Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45 AM



November 6, 2022

Remembrance Sunday

Gathering in God's Name

Prelude "Suscepit Israel" (*He has helped His servant Israel*)

From Magnificat Johann Sebastian Bach

Jacqueline Piccolino, Gabrielle Timofeeva, and Lindsay Mecher

Greeting, Welcome, and Announcements

One: The Lord be with you. **All: And also with you.**

* Call to Worship

One: Come, a great cloud of witnesses surrounds us as we gather.

All: May the lingering echo of saints resound in our songs.

One: May their stories open a space for the Spirit to enter us anew

All: In remembering them, may we find ourselves re-membered.

One: May the God of every generation form us anew for this generation.

All: And may a new joy rise in our lives and in the life of the world.

* Hymn # 401 "The Church's One Foundation"

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Call to Confession and Prayer of Confession

God of the ages, as we remember the saints who have gone before us, we are grateful for their witness and humbled by their example.

Though they have marked well the path of faith, following in that way is hard for us. We drift and waver. We resist and rebel.

Remind us that the saints before us were not perfect, just forgiven, and saved by grace. We ask for that forgiveness, and we pray for the courage to trust in that grace; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Time of Silence for Personal Reflection

Words of Forgiveness

One: ...Believe the good news of the Gospel.

All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Response: **Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!**

* Passing of the Peace

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

(Without leaving your seat, share the peace with those around you)

Word Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson: Luke 6: 20-31 (p. 64)

One: The Word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Time With Young Disciples

Second Lesson: Ephesians 1:11-19 (p. 192)

One: The Word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Message: “...We have also obtained an inheritance...”

Affirmation of Faith - Apostles' Creed

* Hymn (*see insert*) “Blest Are They” BLEST ARE THEY

Sharing of Joys and Concerns - Prayers of the People - The Lord's Prayer

Thanksgiving for the Saints - Remembrance Sunday

“Andante Cantabile from Trio in C Major K548” Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
George Radosavljevic, Thomas Yang and Steven Houser

Prayers for the Saints

Thanksgiving

Time for Generosity

Stewardship Message Hilda Karam

Offertory “A New Jerusalem Arise” Kyle Pederson
The Chancel Choir and Guests

* Doxology # 815 “Praise God” OLD HUNDREDTH

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

**O Giver of Life, continue to form in us a transparent spirit
that by our giving and our living others may discover You.
Reshape our priorities and grant us a willing vision to see and
respond to those hidden saints who reveal something of you in the
least likely ways and in the most surprising places.
Thank you for calling us into a life such as this and bless these gifts
that they may bless others. Amen.**

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* Hymn # 767 “For All The Saints” SINE NOMINE

Charge and Benediction

Postlude “Trio in G Major” (Opus 1, No. 2: Scherzo) Ludwig Van Beethoven
George Radosavljevic, Thomas Yang, and Steven Houser
(*You are asked to remain seated for the Postlude*)

*Going Forth

**Please rise in body and/or in Spirit*

Welcome to Worship at Carter-Westminster United Presbyterian Church, located at 4950 W. Pratt Avenue in Skokie, Illinois.

Faith in Jesus Christ is the mark of a Christian and a disciple of Christ, and is therefore the only requirement for membership in this Church. Please prayerfully consider joining this family of faith - talk with our Pastor, and learn more by visiting us at www.cwupc.org and on Facebook: Carter-Westminster United Presbyterian Church.

Assisting us in worship today are Elizabeth Brown, Shirley Rustemeyer, Hilda Karam, Jacqueline Piccolino, soprano I; Gabrielle Timofeeva, soprano II; Lindsay Mecher, alto I; Lisa Dagher, alto II; James Schubert, tenor, Samson McCrady, bass, George Radosavljevic, piano, Thomas Yang, violin, and Steven Houser cello; the Chancel Choir; Pat Radosavljevic, Music Director; and Pastor Stuart Barnes Jamieson. *Large portions of today's service were authored by the Rev. David Long-Higgins, Conference Minister of the Heartland Conference, United Church of Christ, and seminary classmate of Pastor Stuart's.*

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