Hyde Park Community United Methodist Church

Sharing the love of Jesus to transform lives, Cincinnati and the world.

ENTRANCE

Enter to hear the Good News of God's love and to experience God's hope and peace.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sign and pass the friendship/attendance pad located in the pew rack.

PRELUDE: "Pastorale"

George Chadwick

Brenda Portman, organist

SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION:

O living and loving God, prepare our hearts for what You have for us this morning. Give us ears to hear Your good news, hearts to receive it, minds to comprehend it and the faith to live it. We offer ourselves in worship and praise. Amen.

*CALL TO WORSHIP: (from Psalm 47)

Clap your hands, all peoples! Shout to the Lord with loud songs of joy! For God is King of all the earth; let us praise God's name together!

*HYMN: "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

UMH #327

*INVOCATION

God, the encourager, God, the merciful: disturb us. Wake us up so we can recognize You here this morning. Change us, move us, open us to the transforming power of Your presence. Mold and shape us into Your image, O God, that we may bless and encourage others. We pray in the name of Christ Jesus, Amen.

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

ANTHEM: "Working on a Building" Traditional: Appalachian Penny Bogard McDaniel

with Mark Alexander (Banjo) and David Thomas (guitar)

CALL TO PRAYER: "Sanctuary"

TFWS #2164

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES: Acts 9:26-27, 11:22-26

Pew Bible NT pages 128 & 130

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SERMON: "Friends for the Journey: Everyone needs a Barnabas"

Rev. Dr. Cathy Johns

No matter what comes, . (Acts 9:26-27, Ruth 1:16)

through prayer. (Acts 11:22-28, James 5:16)

See ______ not ______. (Acts 15:36-39, Luke 15:11-32)

OFFERTORY: "River of Jordan" Traditional: Bluegrass

*THE PRESENTATION and DOXOLOGY

UMH #94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Barnabas people:

UMH page 17 with sung responses

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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 SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Communion is by "intinction". Please come forward by the center aisle, and return by the side aisles. A gluten free station is available by the piano. If you are unable to come forward, the bread and cup will be brought to you. Please let an usher know that you will need to be served in the pew.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Eternal God, we give You thanks for this holy mystery in which You have given Yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of Your Spirit to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN: "How Can We Name a Love"

UMH #111

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: "Tuba Tune in D Major"

C. S. Lang

*Please stand as you are able. Join together in reading/singing the bold type. UMH - United Methodist Hymnal TFWS - The Faith We Sing

> Liturgist: Rev. Dave Weaver Acolyte: Marco Siegel

INVITATION TO PRAY

"Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer." Romans 12:12

MARRIAGE: Lauren Luessen & Adam Testerman were married in the Sanctuary on August 1.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Staff & Their Families: VIOX Services, Anna Lawson

Men & Women in the Military*:

John Tyler Mercer, Sr. Master Sergeant, U.S. Air Force Reserve (son of Sarah Pilcher)

Our Church Ministries:

Prayer Shawl Ministry, Youth Sunday School, Family Camp participants

OUR COMMUNITY MINISTRY PARTNERS:

Wesley Chapel Mission Center as they provide a safe after school program which enhances academic understanding, provides a snack, and teaches about Jesus to children in Over-the-Rhine.

OUR CITY:

For victims to find comfort and peace through forgiveness.

OUR GLOBAL OUTREACH PARTNERS:

The Ganta Hospital in Liberia as they continue to provide healthcare to a large amount of people in need and as they continue to work to emphasize education and provide preventative measures to eradicate the Ebola virus in the region.

OUR WORLD:

For peace among all nations.

PRAYER FOR OTHERS

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus... (Phil. 2:5)

This world I live in

this town I live in

this street I live in

this house I live in

may each be the focus of my prayer

Those I live with

those I rub shoulders with

those I work with

those I don't get along with

may each be the focus of my prayer

Those who laugh

those who crv

those who hurt

those who hide

may each be the focus of my prayer

Prayers centered less on self

and more on others

less on my circumstances

more on the needs of others.

May my life be likewise centered

less on self and more on You

and through You to the world

in which I live and move.

(Written by John Birch)

*We want to include prayers for any active duty men & women in the military. Please send the information to Igarrison@hpcumc.org.

Welcome to Worship

We are glad you have joined us today! Please sign the friendship/ attendance pad and join us in the Welcome Center after worship for coffee, fellowship & information. If you are a visitor, please stop by our Hospitality Desk in the Welcome Center as we have a gift for you. The following assistive devices are available: assistive listening devices integrated with the sanctuary sound system and large print hymnals & order of worship.

News & Happenings is included in your worship bulletin and in our weekly e-mail news. Visit us online at hydeparkchurch.org for a comprehensive view of our ministries.

View live worship every Sunday at 9:30 am online. In addition, recordings of the sermons are updated weekly on our website in both video and audio format. The 9:30 am service from the previous week can be heard each Sunday on WCVX (1160 AM) at 1:00 pm.

Nursery (9:30 am & 11:00 am) Drop off your child in Room 120:

Infants Room 120 1 year olds Room 119 2 year olds Room 118

Summer Children's Sunday School (9:30 am - Lower Level):

Preschool (Ages 3 & 4)	Room 8
Early Elementary (Ages 5 – Kindergarten)	Room 8
Middle Elementary (1st & 2nd Grade)	Room 8
Older Elementary (3rd Grade)	Room 8

Tweens (4th, 5th, & 6th Grade) Room 9

Kids Worship (Will resume Fall 2015)

Children (3 years old to 2nd grade) begin worship with their families in the sanctuary and then are invited to attend a special children's program after the Children's Moment. Pick up your child in Room 8.

Children's Choirs (Will resume Fall 2015)

Children from Kindergarten - 6th grade begin 11:00 am worship with their families in the sanctuary and are then invited and escorted to attend children's choirs. Pick up your child in their respective room.

Joy Singers (Grades K-2) Sunshine Singers (Grades 3-6)
Dana Calhoun - Director

Student Ministry Bible Study

9:20 am Middle School & High School Room 302

Summer Adult Sunday School

9:30 am Pentecost Bible Study Library FaithWeavers Room 205

NEXT SUNDAY, 8/9:

Hyde Park Community:

New Sermon Series Begins: "Lifelines! Ancient Wisdom for Today." There is a difference between knowledge and wisdom. Proverbs is a book in the Bible that helps us see God's desire for us: to seek and hold on to the wisdom of God. Pastor Doug Johns will offer the message "Wise Up!" at Hyde Park Community, based on Proverbs 4:7-11. Join us for worship at 8:00, 9:30, or 11:00 at the Grace Campus.

Nast Community:

New Sermon Series Begins: "Banners" God is casting a new vision over Nast as a New Church Start, and this vision is being led by four major themes: Worship, Community, Mission and Equity. These are the Banners by which God is calling us forward. The series launches with "Radical Worship", understanding each gathering as a loud declaration that God is our true and only Master. Join us for worship at Nast Community at 9:30.

We look forward to seeing you next Sunday!

Join us for worship:

Hyde Park Community Worship:

Sunday - 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am, Sanctuary

September - May

2nd Tuesday of the Month - 7:30 pm, Sanctuary - Taizé Worship

Nast Community Worship:

Sunday - 9:30 am, Sanctuary

Holy Communion:

1st Sunday of the Month at all Services

All other Sundays 9:00 am, Chapel (Hyde Park)

Prayer Meeting:

2nd & 4th Mondays of the Month - 6:00 pm, Parlor (Hyde Park)

This is a time to deepen your relationship with God in community through worship, lectio divina, and centering prayer.

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