



ENTRANCE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are glad you have joined us today!

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

**Please stand as you are able. Join together in readingsinging
the bold type.*

Hymnal - *The United Methodist Hymnal*

*The following assistive devices are available: assistive listening devices
integrated with the sanctuary sound system and large print hymnals
and orders of worship.*

Following worship, please join us in the Welcome Center for
refreshments.

Liturgist - Rev. Dave Weaver

PRELUDE *Improvisation on "Grosser Gott"* Brenda Portman
Dr. Brenda Portman, organist

SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

*O God, from the rising of the sun to its setting, we sing
Your praise. There is no one like You; You hear the cries
of Your people and lift the poor from the dust. During
this hour of worship, feed us with Your Living Word.
Dry our tears. Put a new song in our hearts and fill
us with love for You and each other. Amen.*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

The voice of our God and King is heard in blessing,
as it echoes in its majestic powers over all creation.

**We come to worship our God, and to celebrate the
Mystery and Reality that is God's everlasting glory.**

The voice of God is heard in all creation – and it responds
with joy to the voice of its Creator, Sustainer and Renewer.

**We come to worship our God, and to celebrate God's
power and generosity towards all creation and all peoples.**

We come to worship our God, and to celebrate the
way we are welcomed into God's glorious presence.

**The voice of our Holy God is heard in the sacred
spaces, and God's grace is received as we worship.**

*HYMN *Holy God, We Praise Thy Name*

Hymnal 79

*OPENING PRAYER

**Eternal God,
at the baptism of Jesus
You revealed him to be Your Son,
and anointed him with the Holy Spirit.
Keep all who are born of water and the Spirit
faithful to their calling as Your people;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns
with You and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen**

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

ANTHEM *Say Ye to the Righteous* Randall Thompson
The Cathedral Choir, Neal Hamlin, conducting

Say ye to the righteous, it shall be well with him:
for they shall eat the fruit of their doings.
Woe unto the wicked! It shall be ill with him:
for the reward of his hands shall be given him.
Behold, my servants shall sing for joy of heart,
but ye shall cry for sorrow of heart and shall howl
for vexation of spirit.

THE SACRAMENT OF CHRISTIAN BAPTISM

Hymnal 39

*Seated congregation sings the following as the participants
gather at the font:*

**Jesus, Friend, so kind and gentle, little ones we bring
to thee; grant to them thy dearest blessing, let thine
arms around them be; Now enfold them in thy
goodness, from all danger keep them free.**

Presenting for Baptism: Sawyer John Clark
Parents: Travis John Clark and Cynthia Ann Clark

Seated congregation sings the following:

**Grant to us a deep compassion for thy children
everywhere. May we see our human family free from
sorrow and despair, and behold thy kingdom glorious,
in our world so bright and fair.**

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Obadiah v. 1-4
This is the Word of our Lord.
Thanks be to God!

Pew Bible OT pg 858

SERMON *God Still Speaks: Obadiah*

Rev. Ian Strickland

OFFERTORY *Have Ye Not Known?
Ye Shall Have a Song*

Randall Thompson

Have ye not known? Have ye not heard?
Hath it not been told you from the beginning?
Have ye not understood from the foundations of the earth?

Ye shall have a song, as in the night when a holy solemnity
is kept; and gladness of heart, as when one goeth with a
pipe to come into the mountain of the Lord.

*THE PRESENTATION AND DOXOLOGY

Hymnal 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!**

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*

Hymnal 64

*BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE *All Thy Works Shall Praise Thy Name...*
(from Triptych on "Holy, Holy, Holy")

Jeffrey Blersch

Childcare - Available for all 3 worship services

Infants - Room 120

Toddlers - (2 - 3 year olds) - Room 119

Sunday School - 9:30am

May's Theme - AMPED – *Live Fully Alive!*

Preschool - Room 9

For ages 3-5 who are currently attending a weekday preschool. We sing, dance, play and do activities based on our weekly bible study. Preschoolers will love to participate in this fun Sunday School class!

Kindergarten - 6th Grade – Little Theater:

We start by gathering in one large community to praise God, learn scripture, and sing together. Kids will then break into smaller groups to dive into age appropriate discussion questions and activities. Your kids will not want to miss this fun filled Sunday morning experience!

7th-12th Grade - Little Theater:

We will help lead the K-6 Sunday School and then break into small groups by grade level to delve deep into the weekly curriculum through discussion and other activities. You won't want to miss this exciting NEW Sunday School where we will be learning and teaching others about God's Word and His amazing love.

Children's Choirs:

Children ages 3 yrs-8th grade begin 11:00am worship with their families in the Sanctuary. Following the Children's Moment the children are then invited and escorted to attend choir. Please pick up your child in their respective room.

Joy Singers (Age 3 – Grade 2)

Elizabeth Hickerson – *Director*
Room 8

Sunshine Singers (Grades 3-8)

Dana Calhoun – *Director*
Choir Room 202

Youth Group

Join us each Sunday evening in the Little Theater from 5:30p.m. - 8:00p.m. for HPCUMC youth group!

All 7th-12th graders are welcome as we join together for food, fun, faith and fellowship.

Adult Sunday School

9:30 am	Adult Bible Study	Library
	FaithWeavers	Room 205
	The Parlor Parents Group	Parlor
11:00 am	New Ventures	Parlor
	Soul Builders	Room 205

Invitation to Pray:

Staff & Their Families: Ian Strickland and his wife Kelly Strickland

Men & Women in the Military: We are praying for the men and women serving in the military

Our Church Ministries: Vacation Bible School, Children's Ministry, Dana Calhoun and her team

Our Global Ministries: Haiti, Romania and Russia

Next Sunday, June 3:

Pastor Doug continues with our sermon series God Still Speaks. His sermon, Jonah, is based on Jonah 3:10-4:11. How often do we act like Jonah when it comes to God's love and grace? Join us and invite a friend, relative, acquaintance or neighbor to join you.

Hyde Park Community Worship:

Sundays 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am, Sanctuary

Traditional Worship: 8:00 and 9:30 am

Worship @ 11: 11:00 am

View live worship, 9:30 am & 11:00 am online. In addition, recordings of the sermons are updated weekly on our website in both video and audio formats.

Over-the-Rhine Community Church Worship:

Sundays 10:30 am, Sanctuary

Holy Communion:

Hyde Park Community

1st Sunday of the month

All Services (8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am)

All other Sundays

9:00 am, Grace Chapel

Over-the-Rhine Community

Every Sunday, 10:30 am, Sanctuary



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Welcome to *Hyde Park* COMMUNITYUMC

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