



## ENTRANCE

### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are glad you have joined us today!

*Please sign and pass the friendship pad located in the pew rack.*

*\* Please stand as you are able; join together in reading/singing the boldface type, and the hymns.*

*For your convenience, ushers can provide assistive listening devices and larger print versions of the hymnal and order of worship.*

*Following worship, please join us in the welcome center for refreshments.*

Liturgist - Jeff Sheldon

Grace Chapel Communion - Christine McHenry

**PRELUDE** *Bist du bei mir*  
Dr. Brenda Portman, organist

G. F. Stolzel

### SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

*Thank You, God, for Your steadfast love. In the darkest of nights, You stand with me, giving me strength to stand. Your hand guides me through the confusing maze of my life and leads me to safety. Thank You, God, for shining a light on my path and leading me home to You. I pray in the name of Jesus, the Hope of the World, Amen.*

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Praise God! For God gathers us:

**From near and far we come together, the wounded and the whole, the weak and the strong seeking God's presence, God's forgiveness, and God's direction for our lives. Let us sing to our Creator in grateful praise!**

\***HYMN** *Great is Thy Faithfulness*

Hymnal 140

### \*OPENING PRAYER

**This is the day that You have made, life-giving God, and we rejoice and are glad in this day. You take our endings and You make new beginnings. You surprise and astound us. You take our endings and You challenge us to reconsider what is possible.**

**Living Lord, we praise You for You are raised by the power of God and there is a new creation and, by Your grace, we are in it! Alleluia, Amen!**

## PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

**ANTHEM** *This Is My Father's World* arr. Brenda Portman  
Neal Hamlin, baritone with Brenda Portman, piano

### 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.**

**PRAYER RESPONSE** *Near to the Heart of God*

Hymnal 472

\***GOSPEL LESSON** Mark 9:14-28

Pew Bible NT pp. 44-45

This is the Gospel of the Lord, Jesus Christ.

**Thanks be to God!**

**SERMON** *How Long Has This Been Happening?*

Rev. Dr. Todd Anderson, District Superintendent, Ohio River Valley

**OFFERTORY** *At The River* Robert Lowry, adapted by Aaron Copland

\***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** *Help Us Accept Each Other*

Hymnal 560

\***BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** *Prelude in Classic Style*

Gordon Young

**CHILDCARE** - Available for all 3 worship services

**Infants** - Room 120

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

**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL:**

**CHILDREN:** (Preschool – 6th grade)

9:30am in the Little Theater

Current theme: “POWER UP – Raise Your Game”

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!

**YOUTH:** (7th-12th Grade)

9:30am in 3rd Floor Student Lounge

Current theme: “LOOK OUT – A Series on Injustice”

We welcome all youth to gather with us on the 3rd floor for refreshments, fellowship and great discussion.

**CHILDREN’S CHOIRS:**

The Sunshine Singers and The Joy Singers are now officially on summer break. Do you have a singer interested in joining a choir this September? Please contact a director for more information and to sign-up.

**Joy Singers (Age 3 - Grade 2)**

Elizabeth Hickerson – Director  
ehickerson@gmail.com

**Sunshine Singers (Grades 3rd - 8th)**

Dana Calhoun – Director  
dcalhoun@hpcumc.org

**SUMMER YOUTH GROUP:** Tuesday evenings

*Beginning June 4th*

We are switching to Tuesday nights for the Summer!! All youth in 7th-12th grade are welcome to join us from 6:30-8:30pm. Please eat dinner before you arrive and be ready for fellowship and fun as we dive into our faith together. You won't want to miss Tuesday evenings with your friends from HPCUMC!

Be sure to bring a friend! Questions?

Contact [dcalhoun@hpcumc.org](mailto:dcalhoun@hpcumc.org)

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL**

<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Adult Bible Study</b>	<b>Library</b>
	<b>FaithWeavers</b>	<b>Room 205</b>
	<b>Parents with Small Children</b>	<b>Parlor</b>
<b>11:00 am</b>	<b>New Ventures</b>	<b>Parlor</b>
	<b>Soul Builders</b>	<b>Room 205</b>

**Invitation to Pray:**

**Hospitalized:** Diane Reed, Peggy Schmitt, and Susan Crossland at Christ Hospital.  
Dick Helms and Britt Miracle at University Hospital.

**Staff & Their Families:** Amanda Kern and Katie Baumann.

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

**Our Church Ministries:** Children’s and Adult Sunday School.

**Next Sunday, June 23:**

New Sermon Series Begins: Waking to God’s Wonders. Rev. Doug Johns will preach the message “The Wonder of God’s Presence” based on Psalm 139:7-10. Invite a friend to join you next week.

**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 on our website, 9:30am & 11:00am. 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

# How Long Has This Been Happening?

by Rev. Dr. Todd Anderson,  
District Superintendent, Ohio River Valley

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