



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

Welcome

Songs of Praise

Prayer

Children's Message

Epistle Lesson
2 Corinthians 9:6-11

Song

Sermon
A Letter from Christ: Joy
Rev. Dr. Cathy Johns

Giving Our Gifts

Song

Prayer

Song

Blessing

Sermon Notes

SERMON NOTES

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The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. As it is written,

“He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor;
his righteousness endures forever.”

He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us.

Today's Music

TODAY'S MUSIC

Let It Rise
by Holland Davis

I Am Free
by Jon Egan

Trading My Sorrows
by Darrell Evans

Draw Me Close
by Kelly Carpenter

Take My Hand and Walk
by The Kry

Joy to the World (Unspeakable Joy)
by Ed Cash, Matt Gilder, George Frederic Handel,
Isaac Watts, and Chris Tomlin

Dare You to Move
by Jonathan Foreman

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Praise Team Leader - Matthew Covert

Worship Host - Meredith Menius



PRESCHOOL: @9:30am - Room 9

We welcome any preschooler (who attends a weekday preschool) to come learn about God's love for us, make friends and have fun! Class will have a weekly Bible lesson, playtime, snacks and activities.

ELEMENTARY: @9:30am - 2nd floor Little Theater

We welcome all children in K-5th grade to come learn more about God's stories, make friends and have fun! Class will have a weekly Bible lesson, fun activities, games and more!



YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: @9:30am - 3rd floor Youth Lobby

All youth in grades 6th-12th are welcome to join us for weekly Bible study and fellowship. We split Middle School and High School classes to dive into scripture and apply it to our daily lives.



YOUTH GROUP: 4:00-6:00pm - 3rd floor Youth Lobby

All youth in grades 6th-12th grade are welcome to join us weekly for food, fellowship and fun. Come be surrounded by other Christian teens and deepen your relationship with God!

Masks are required for leaders and youth.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

(Current class information, please contact class leader)

9:30am

Adult Bible Study Ron Purdon, purdon@mail.com
 Faith Weavers Micheal Hickerson, mikehickerson@gmail.com
 Let's Get Real Jason Burgess, JasonBurgess13@gmail.com

11:00am

New Ventures Michael Vilardo, mpvilardo@gmail.com
 Soul Builders Ronda Deel, rodeel@fuse.net

Current COVID-19 Protocols

- Require social safe distancing, per CDC guidelines, which will include every other pew seating in the sanctuary
- Refreshments between services will continue to be suspended until further notice.
- At the discretion of the Director of Music Ministry, choirs can resume singing in worship if singers are masked and socially distanced.
- Masks are highly recommended for public indoor gatherings and for congregational singing.
- Classes and small groups can continue to meet in person; however, it is strongly recommended that individuals wear masks.

In addition, the COVID-19 Task Force affirms the following CDC guidelines for protecting individuals and communities:

- Get fully vaccinated
- Wearing masks
- Safe social distancing
- Hand sanitizer

Invitation to Pray:

Sympathy: To the family and friends of Diane Reed who died on October 18, 2021.

To Dick Manoukian and family in the death of his sister, Carole McGee, on October 14, 2021.

Staff & Their Families: Julie Vail and Lindsay Garrison as they lead our Pre-School.

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

Our Church Ministries: Our classes meeting online and in person.

Our Global Ministries: Haiti, Romania, Russia and Mexico

Next Sunday, October 31st.

Pastor Doug begins a new sermon series:

The Strength to Stand. His sermon, *Healing*

Our Hidden Wounds, is based on 1 Peter 4:1-11.

Join us and invite a friend, relative, acquaintance, or neighbor.



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Hyde Park Community Worship:

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

Recordings of the sermons are updated weekly on our website in both video and audio formats.

Holy Communion:

Hyde Park Community

1st Sunday of the month

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

Every Sunday (8:00)



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