



WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are glad you have joined us today!

** Please rise in body or spirit; join together in reading/singing
the boldface type and the hymns.*

UMH *United Methodist Hymnal*

TFWS *The Faith We Sing*

The altar flowers today are in memory of Bill Fee from his loving family.

Liturgist: Jeff Sheldon

PRELUDE *Bread of Life from Heaven*
Dr. Brenda Portman, organ

Edwin T. Childs

SILENT PRAYER AND MEDITATION

*What does the Lord require of you? Do justice. Love Mercy.
Walk humbly with your God.
-Micah 6:8, adapted.*

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Let us never give up praying for justice, or the oppressed
in this world will one day ask us ‘Why?’

**Let us never give up praying for fairness, or the hungry
of this world will one day ask us ‘Why?’**

Let us never give up praying for healing, or the sick in
this world will one day ask us ‘Why?’

**Let us never give up praying, for to give up is to deny
our faith in a God who answers prayer.**

-John Birch, from Faith and Worship

*** HYMN** *We Gather Together*

UMH 131

*** OPENING PRAYER**

**O Redeemer God, as we gather in worship on this
World Communion Sunday, we ask that you send
your Holy Spirit to fall afresh on us. We pray for
your Spirit to awaken new hope in us. Grant us the
vision to see the coming of your kingdom. Help us
to celebrate the glimpses of grace that you have given
to each of us. Knit our hearts together in worship and
communion so that we know we do not struggle alone
in working for your peace and justice. We pray this in
the name of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

*- The Rev. Emily McGinley and Richard Pak,
PCUSA Worship Resources, 2010.*

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

ANTHEM *Prayer is the Soul’s Sincere Desire*
The Wesley Choir
Brenda Portman, organ; Ben Owen, conducting

Alice Jordan

Prayer is the soul’s sincere desire, unuttered or expressed;
The motion of a hidden fire that trembles in the breast.

Prayer is the burden of a sigh, the falling of a tear,
the upward glancing of an eye, when none but God is near.

Prayer is the simplest form of speech that infant lips can try;
each prayer sublimest strains that reach the Majesty on high.

Prayer is the contrite sinner’s voice, returning from their ways;
while angels in their songs rejoice, and cry, “Behold, they pray!”

Prayer is the Christian’s vital breath, the Christian’s native air,
their watchword at the gates of death, they enter heaven with prayer.

O Thou by whom we come to God, the Life, the Truth, the Way;
the path of prayer Thyself hast trod, Lord, teach us how to pray. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** *Righteous and Just*, refrain
First time: Wesley Choir in Spanish
Second time: **All** in English

UMH 107

***GOSPEL LESSON** Luke 18:1-8
This is the Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ.
Thanks be to God!

Pew Bible NT p. 81

***GOSPEL RESPONSE** *Righteous and Just*, refrain
All: In English

UMH 107

SERMON *Stewards of Abundant Life:
Offering Our Prayers*

Rev. Dr. Todd D. Anderson

OFFERTORY *En prière*
Andrew Cunningham, tenor
Brenda Portman, piano

Gabriel Fauré

If the voice of a child can reach You, O my Father,
Listen to the prayer of Jesus, on his knees before You!
If You have chosen me to teach your laws on earth,
I will know how to serve You, noble King of kings, O Light!

On my lips, Lord, place the salutary truth,
In order that he who doubts should with humility revere You!
Do not abandon me, give me the necessary gentleness,
To ease suffering, to relieve sorrow, the misery!
Reveal Yourself to me, Lord, in whom I believe and hope:
For You I wish to suffer and to die on the cross, at Calvary!

*** 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 SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

UMH 17

THE LORD’S PRAYER

UMH 895

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

*The communion elements can be found in your pew. In
The United Methodist Church, we believe that everyone
is invited to share in Holy Communion. See an usher for
gluten free elements.*

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** *Blessed Assurance*

UMH 369

*** BENEDICTION AND CHORAL AMEN**

POSTLUDE *Siyahamba (We Are Marching in the Light of God)* John A. Behnke

HPC Kids

CHILDCARE - 9:30am & 11:00am worship services, Room 120

PRESCHOOL (Ages 3-5): 9:30am Sunday School in Room 9, lower level.

ELEMENTARY: (K-5th grade): Check in starting at 9:15am, Social Hall (across from Welcome Center). Children join in worship with parents or sit with class. After Children's Moments, they travel to Sunday School together. Parents pick up at Little Theater, 2nd floor. Sunshine Singers can stay for choir.

HPC YOUTH

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: (6th-12th grade):

9:00 am- Gather in Social Hall

9:30- Sunday School Meets in Youth Lobby, 3rd floor.

YOUTH GROUP: 11:00-1:30, Youth Lobby, 3rd floor (Includes lunch).

CHILDREN & YOUTH CHOIRS: 10:30am

All children and youth (K-12th grade) are welcome to meet on the 2nd floor and sing with us between services!

Any questions or comments for the Family Ministry team? Scan here!



HPC ADULT DISCIPLESHIP

(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

Check-in at the desk in the Welcome Center for today's class schedules.

HPC Music MINISTRY

Wesley Choir Open to all who enjoy singing. Sings in 8:00am Sunday service. Rehearses Wednesdays 7-9pm

Contact: Ben Owen, bowen@hpcumc.org

Cathedral Choir Open to all with choir experience. Sings in 9:30am Sunday service. Rehearses Thursdays 7-9pm

Contact: Ben Owen, bowen@hpcumc.org

Community Choristers Open to all women who enjoy singing. Rehearses and sings in area retirement homes on Mondays from 1-2:30pm. Contact: Janet Zeigler, jbzeigler1@gmail.com

Carillon Choir Open to all interested in handbells, beginners or experienced. Rehearses Monday nights 6:30-8:00pm, rings in 8:00 and 9:30 services once a month

Contact: Jenny Cauhorn, jcauhorn@hpcumc.org

Invitation to Pray:

Sympathy: To the family of George Rehfeldt, who died on September 20th.

Those Serving Our Country: We honor the sacrifices and service of our nation's veterans and their families.

Our Church Ministries: Our Mission and Outreach Ministry

Our Global Ministries: Haiti, Romania, Russia

Next Sunday, October 9th

Join us next Sunday as we continue in our series, "Stewards of Abundant Life." Pastor Suzanne will lead us as we reflect on "Offering our Service" based on Luke 15:1-7.



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Hyde Park Community Worship:

SUNDAYS:

8:00 am - Traditional with Communion and Wesley Choir

9:30 am - Traditional with Cathedral Choir

11:00 am - Contemporary with Worship@11 Praise Band

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

Holy Communion:

8:00 am: Every Sunday

9:30 and 11:00 am: 1st Sunday of the month

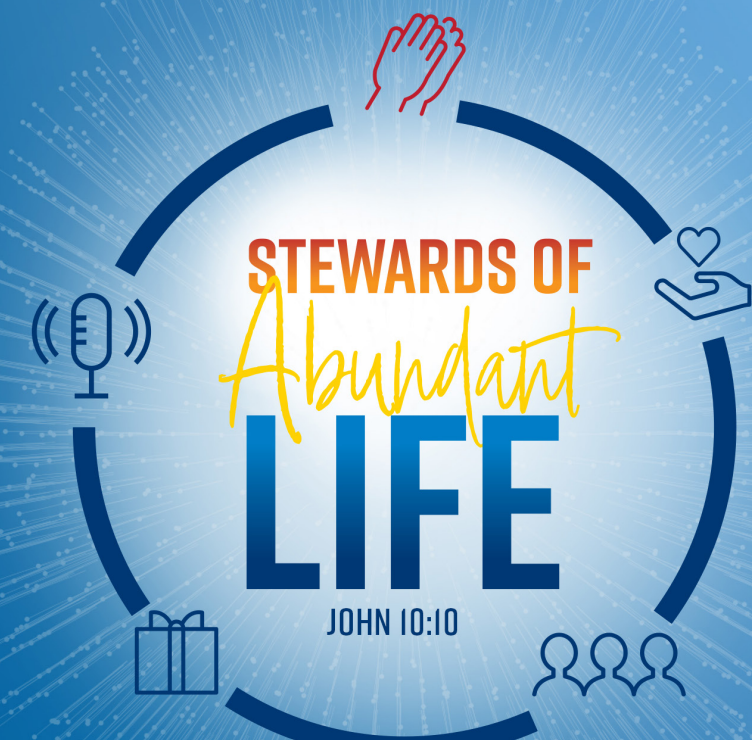


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STEWARDS OF Abundant LIFE

JOHN 10:10

OFFERING OUR Prayers BY REV. TODD D. ANDERSON

OCTOBER 2, 2022 8:00AM