

*He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet
and thanked him.
And he was a Samaritan.
Luke 17:16*

October 9, 2016

The Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Celebration of Worship

* If you are able, please stand.

Prelude

Jay's Pyramid

The Recorder Consort

Jay Kreuzer (b. 1941)

* **Call to Worship** (*responsively*)

The Rev. Dr. David Smazik

Leader: Give thanks to God, who is our peace.

People: We give thanks with all our hearts.

Leader: Praise the Lord, who makes us whole.

People: We praise the holy name of God.

* **Hymn 49**

The God of Abraham Praise

Leoni

Confession and Pardon

The Rev. Sarah Green

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

Sovereign God, we confess that we have not turned away from sin. You offer us your grace, but we fail to show our gratitude. You heal us by your mercy, but we fail to give you glory. Forgive us, God of grace. Strengthen us in faith, so that we may be made well and live to praise your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Kyrie: Hymn 602

Holy Lamb of God

Ya Hamalallah

Silent Prayer

Assurance of Pardon (*responsively*)

Leader: The Good News to us is that our sins are forgiven.

People: We are God’s children, members of one body.

Leader: We have been brought into new life.

People: Our sins are forgiven.

*** Response: Hymn 591**

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!

Halle, Halle

*** Passing of the Peace**

A Time for Young Christians

Alexandra Mead

Prayer for Illumination (*unison*)

Guide us, O God, by your Word and Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will discover your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Scripture Reading:

Psalm 66:1-12

(Old Testament, page 499)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Anthem

Deep River

arr. Adriano Secco (b. 1961)

The Chancel Choir

Deep river, my home is over Jordan; deep river, Lord, I want to cross over into campground.

O don't you want to go to that gospel feast; that promised land where all is peace.

Second Scripture Reading:

Luke 17:11-19

(New Testament, page 75)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“Making the Turn”

Rev. Smazik

*** Hymn 177**

I Will Come to You

You Are Mine

A Moment for Mission

Jazz Vespers

Steve Hess

Greeting/Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

(Please sign and pass the friendship pad, found in the pew, to the person next to you. Offering envelopes and prayer request cards are located in the pew pockets for your convenience. Donations may be made online through our website. Cards will be collected with the offering.)

Offertory

Be Thou My Vision

arr. Dan Forrest (b. 1978)

The Chancel Choir

*Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart, nought be all else to me, save that Thou art,
Thou my best thought by day or by night, waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.
Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my True Word, I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father and I Thy true son, Thou in my dwelling, and I with Thee one.
Riches I heed not, nor men's empty praise, Thou mine inheritance, now and always,
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart, High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art.
High King of heaven, my victory won, may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun,
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.*

* Doxology (Hymn 606)

Old Hundredth

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

* Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (*unison*)

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

* Hymn 726

Will You Come and Follow Me

Kelvingrove

* Benediction

Postlude

O Rex gloriae

Luca Marenzio (1553-1599)

The Recorder Consort

Participating in the service today are the Reverends Dr. David Smazik and Sarah Green; Alexandra Mead, Director of Christian Education; Kevin Graf, Organ Scholar; Dr. Michele Yampolsky, Guest Conductor; the Recorder Consort; and the Chancel Choir. The acolytes are Elizabeth Bruen and Emma Craig.

Our Fellowship Hour is at the Parish House!
Come celebrate and dedicate our newly refurbished Parish House.
We'll parade over after and tour our new spaces!

GREETING YOU this morning are Melissa and Ken Clark,
and Marnie and Dick Kaller.

USHERS: Bob Davies, head usher, Erica Johannson,
Barbara King, George Neil, Daria and Rich Lisco.

The FLOWERS in the sanctuary are given in in loving memory of
Vera and Ben Tichy by Lynne Harmen

Thank you to our Sound Team that faithfully works every Sunday.

OPEN MEETINGS THIS WEEK: *For a full schedule of meetings, go to our website.*

Sunday, Oct 9

- 7:45 a.m. Worship with Communion (Chapel)
- 8:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Seminar
- 8:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 8:45 a.m. Parent Lecture Series
- 10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)
- 11:15 a.m. Parade and Parish House Celebration and Dedication
- 3:00 p.m. Celebration of the Ordination of Women
- 4:00 p.m. Faith on Film

Monday, Oct 10

No open meetings today

Tuesday, Oct 11

- 8:00 a.m. Small Group (D. Lisco)
- 10:00 a.m. Tai Chi (Erdman Room, Parish House)
- 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir rehearsal

Wednesday, Oct 12

- 10:30 a.m. Bible Study
- 12:00 p.m. Worship (Chapel)
- 4:15 p.m. Midweek
- 4:30 p.m. Bel Melodia (Multi-Purpose Room)
- 5:05 p.m. Bel Canto (Multi-Purpose Room)
- 6:00 p.m. Midweek Family Dinner (Sheffield Hall)
- 6:05 p.m. Tower Choir (Multi-Purpose Room)
- 6:30 p.m. Small Group – N. Verhoef
- 7:00 p.m. High School Youth Group

Thursday, Oct 13

- 9:15 a.m. Christian Yoga (Parish House)
- 1:00 p.m. JAM

Friday, Oct 14 *Office closes at noon*

- 9:00 a.m. AAA
- 9:30 a.m. Volunteers (Bulletins)

Saturday, Oct 15

Sunday, Oct 16

- 7:45 a.m. Worship with Communion (Chapel)
- 8:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Seminar
- 8:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 8:45 a.m. Parent Lecture Series
- 10:00 a.m. Worship (Sanctuary)
- 3:00 p.m. Church and Graveyard Tours as part of a Salute to Trustees of the Green



Ordination of Women Celebration

“My foremothers contributed to their congregations in women’s guilds and hospitality roles when the male leaders told them that they could not serve. All of these women (and more!) charted the course to a more inclusive faith community,” wrote the Rev. Larissa Kwong Abazia in the July/August 2016 issue of *Horizons*.



The Rev. Abazia will be the keynote speaker at the Ordination of Women Celebration on **Sunday, October 9, at 3:00 pm** in our sanctuary, when our Presbytery gathers to observe the 60th anniversary of the ordination of women as Ministers of the Word and Sacrament and the 85th anniversary of the ordination of women as Elders.

All are welcome, but women who have been ordained as clergy or elders are especially invited to be a part of the celebration!

Rev. Larissa Kwong Abazia

The Rev. Abazia is a native of New Jersey and a graduate of Rutgers University and Princeton Theological Seminary. Upon graduating from seminary, she was honored with the Asian American Ministry Award and the David P. Watermulder Award for Church Leadership. She was Vice Moderator of the 221st General Assembly (2014), and is currently the Director of Church Relations at Princeton Theological Seminary.

A white silhouette of a movie camera on a black background.	The text "Faith on Film" in a stylized font, with a yellow beam of light pointing from the camera icon to the text. Below the text is a silhouette of a group of people.	<p>The Letters October 9, at 4:00 p.m.</p>
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This recent film tells the story of the world's most famous nun, Mother Theresa. The filmmakers rely on a collection of her letters that was found after her death, revealing both her zeal and a surprising degree of spiritual struggle.

Rated PG.



Jazz Vespers - NEW!

**October 23 and 30
November 6 and 13**

5-6 pm Church on the Green Chapel

Musical talent: The Steve Hess Trio with Special Guests

Experience a new expression of worship with a musical style that transcends generational groups. Jazz is a uniquely American musical expression which mirrors many of the dimensions in our lives: authenticity, movement, dissonance and improvisation. Join us for this next Fresh Traditional® offering at The Presbyterian Church in Morristown led by Mark Weber on piano, Bud Ayres on bass and Steve Hess on drums.

Featured Soloists:

Oct 23 - Rob Middleton, saxophone

Oct 30 - Erick Storckman, trombone

Nov 6 - Rob Heinick, guitar

Nov 13 - Rob Middleton, saxophone

Watch the trailer at www.pcmorristown.org/JazzVespers.



Join us for some Halloween fun for kids of all ages!!
Monday, October 31, 3-5 pm Parish House Parking lot

This year the church is participating in the Morristown Halloween celebration and we need lots of candy. Please bring individually wrapped candy, other individual kid appropriate snacks, and bottled water to the bins marked with the pumpkin in the narthex entrances and the Parish House.

Stop by the What's Up Table

October 9 to sign up or drop off donations.
Contact: Cheryl Maginley
973 219-9293
cmaginley@att.net,

Participate in this community-wide trick-or-treat event by decorating your car for a fun "trunk or treat", or volunteer to help us greet and engage the community as they parade past.



Third Grade Bible Sunday Nursery School Sunday

October 23, at the 10:00 a.m. Service
of Worship

Join in worship with our children's choirs.
Welcome our Nursery School families.
And celebrate with our Third Graders as they receive their Bibles.



We are a historic church, part of a historic denomination, and we celebrate this history while exploring ways to bring passion and freshness to our worship and congregational life. Join us as we seek to discover Fresh Traditional ways to **proclaim, gather, and nurture**, all toward continuing Jesus Christ's earthly ministry of building God's Kingdom.

Visitor's Information brochures are in the stands at the entrances to assist you in finding your way around our campus.

Visiting with Children?

- **Activity materials** for young worshipers are in the drawers of the literature chests in both vestibules.
- **Infant and child care** is provided during the service in Howard House, the building to the right of the sanctuary.
- **Restrooms:** Please accompany children (under age 10) to the restrooms. (Located through the left door by the bell tables.)

Special Needs?

- **Feel free to ask** ushers and greeters for assistance if you have any questions or special needs. **Large print bulletins and hearing assistance devices** are available from the ushers in the narthex at the back of the church.

Please come again

- **Sunday Worship Schedule:**
 - 7:45 a.m. Worship with Communion
 - 10:00 a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary
- **Wednesday Morning Bible Study, 10:30 a.m., in the Choir Room**
- **Wednesday Worship Service at Noon in the Chapel**



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