

Armstrong Chapel Worship Resource—November 13, 2022



PRELUDE

Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory

-Wm. Boughton

PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS

Michael Wedding

Indian Hill Ranger

The Star Spangled Banner

-arr. Barry McDonald

SPECIAL MUSIC

God of Our Fathers

-arr. Michael Gallehue

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPECIAL MUSIC

Nimrod

-Edward Elgar

CALL TO WORSHIP

Shelley Bamberger

based on Isaiah 12 written by Rev. Andrea Price

LEADER: Come, sing to the Lord!

ALL: Praise the Lord, all creation!

LEADER: Come sing and make music to our God!

For God is our strength and Saviour!

**ALL: So come and be refreshed,
as fresh water brings joy to the thirsty!**

HYMN

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

#731

Glorious things of thee are spoken,
Zion, city of our God;
God, whose word cannot be broken,
formed thee for his own abode.

On the Rock of Ages founded,
what can shake thy sure repose?
With salvation's walls surrounded,
thou mayst smile at all thy foes.

See, the streams of living waters,
springing from eternal love,
well supply thy sons and daughters,
and all fear of want remove.

Who can faint while such a river
ever will their thirst assuage?
Grace which like the Lord, the giver,
never fails from age to age.

Round each habitation hovering,
see the cloud and fire appear
for a glory and a covering,
showing that the Lord is near!
Thus deriving from our banner
light by night and shade by day,
safe we feed upon the manna
which God gives us when we pray.

Blest inhabitants of Zion,
washed in our Redeemer's blood;
Jesus, whom our souls rely on,
makes us monarchs, priests to God.
Us, by his great love, he raises,
rulers over self to reign,
and as priests his solemn praises
we for thankful offering bring.

Text: John Newton (1779)

Music: Franz Joseph Haydn (1797)

SPECIAL MUSIC

Armed Forces Salute

-arr. Michael Gallehue

If you served in that branch, or have a family member in that service branch, please stand when that service song is played as directed by Ben Basone, director of Armstrong Chapel Chancel Choir.

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 65:25 NIV

"The wolf and the lamb will feed together,
and the lion will eat straw like the ox,
and dust will be the serpent's food.
They will neither harm nor destroy
on all my holy mountain,"
says the Lord.

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

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PASTORAL PRAYER PEOPLE

adapted from a writing by Rev. Gord Waldie

God of peace and love, on this Veterans weekend, we once again gather to remember. We remember that in Jesus of Nazareth you have called us to be people of peace saying, “Blessed are the peacemakers” and reminding us that we are to love neighbor and enemy as we love ourselves.

Yet we also acknowledge that there are times when we as a global community fail to live out these lessons, times when young men and women hear the call to don the uniforms of their country and serve under their flag.

Today we give thanks for all who have accepted the call to serve their country. We give thanks for their bravery, their commitment, and their love.

But we know that when armies meet on the field there are always some who don't come home. And so, we pause in the memory of those who went and did not return to mothers and fathers, spouses and children, broken communities left behind.

God, whose hope for the world is peace, on this day we not only remember the fallen who lie buried under a military tombstone, we remember also the fallen of every human conflict, some in watery graves and hidden jungles of war and strife. This day we honor all who die as a result of humanity's common failing to live in the peace you have hoped for all.

God, we pray too for those who returned from battle forever changed by what they have seen and experienced. For those who bore, and still bear, wounds of body and soul.

May the remembering we have done reawaken and strengthen our commitment to work for peace, true peace. Help us to remember that peace will never truly come from a gun barrel but from the depths of our hearts. Help us remember our calling to be peacemakers at home and abroad, in the big things and in the small. And may we never forget the cost that has already been paid.

God of peace that surpasses all understanding, we pray our remembrances and our hopes in the name of Christ, the Prince of Peace, who taught his friends to pray by saying together:

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.

GIVING SPECIAL MUSIC

American Alma Mater

-arr. Charles E. Peery

*RESPONSE

#95

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.

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 12:2-3, NIV

² Surely God is my salvation;

I will trust and not be afraid.

The Lord, the Lord God, is my strength and my defense; God has become my salvation.”

³ With joy you will draw water
from the wells of salvation.

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

Wells of Salvation

Rev. David W. Brown

SPECIAL MUSIC

Hymn to the Fallen

-Williams/Sparke

BENEDICTION

Please remain seated through final selection.

With joy may you draw water from the wells of salvation. May the sustaining presence of God abide. In the name of the Creator, Redeemer and Spirit we pray. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC

National Emblem March

-arr. Ray Woodfield

**Stand as you are able*

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Today's musical special guests and flowers are given by Elizabeth Hackman in loving memory of her parents, John and Wahnita Hackman.



Gather for coffee and treats in the Atrium following the 9:40 service!

REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE



ONLINE GIVING



River's Edge Brass Band director, **Dr. Kevin Holzman**, earned his Doctor of Musical Arts degree in conducting at the Eastman School of Music, where he studied with Music Director of the Eastman Wind Ensemble, Dr. Mark Scatterday. As the Frederick Fennell Conducting Fellow and 2016 recipient of the prestigious Walter Hagen Prize for Excellence in Conducting, Holzman served as Associate Conductor of the world-renowned Eastman Wind Ensemble and Eastman Wind Orchestra. Dr. Holzman serves as the Director of Wind Studies at the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music. He joined CCM's faculty on a visiting basis in 2017 as the Assistant Director of Wind Studies, and assumed the Director of Wind Studies position in August 2018. In January 2019 Dr. Holzman took the podium as the conductor for the River's Edge Brass Band.



The Cincinnati Choral Society will perform John Rutter's "Requiem" with chamber orchestra in our Sanctuary TODAY at 3:00pm. Rutter's "Requiem" is a 35-minute musical setting of texts from the Missa pro Defunctis, the Book of Common Prayer, and the Psalms. The concert is free.

BOXES ARE DUE TODAY!



ANNUAL CHURCH CONFERENCE

Armstrong Chapel's annual Church Conference will be held Wednesday, November 16 at 12:00pm via Zoom. It is an opportunity to engage in the mission of Armstrong Chapel. Conference includes election of officers, and approval of appointive clergy salaries. All members are invited with voice and vote at this meeting. *Contact the Church Office for the Zoom link* (513-561-4220, jhelton@armstrongchapel.org).

SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

Grieving? Know Someone who is?

When you are grieving a loved one's death, the holiday season can be especially painful. Our Surviving the Holidays seminar helps participants discover:

- How to deal with emotions
- What to do about traditions
- Helpful tips for surviving social events
- How to find hope for the future

Wednesday, November 16 @7pm in the Armstrong Room
Sponsored by Stephen Ministry

We have an app for your smart phone!

- Search your app store for "ShelbyNext Membership."
- On the sign-in screen, replace the word "domain" with "**armstrongchapel**" and leave everything behind the dot intact.
- Enter your user name and password if you already have it, or click "New user? Create an account."
- Here you can see the directory, give and even log your Sunday attendance (instead of filling out a Connect Card).
- *To let us know you're at church: click "Check-In," click a person in your family, choose your service (group), click done at the top right. Log in each family member attending. Choose Remote Check-In and click the blue check-in button.*



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Advent Candle Lighting

We are looking for couples / families / individuals to do a small reading and light the Advent candles during worship.

11/27, 12/4, 12/11, 12/18
@ 8:20am and 9:40am
12/24 @ 5:00pm and 8:00pm
<https://bit.ly/3gXxAb6>



Thanksgiving with our neighbors at State Avenue UMC in Lower Price Hill

Our annual Thanksgiving meal with the families of State Avenue UMC in Lower Price Hill is Sunday, November 20. We will serve a meal to approximately 150 people in the community.



Outreach
Thanksgiving
Dinner

VOLUNTEER & DONATE FOOD

- **THANK YOU!** to all those who are signed up to serve and/or donate food or needed items.
- Check out the sign-up link to see what's left!

SIGN UP TODAY for this hands-on outreach! <https://bit.ly/3DtsFli>

Contact Dianna Sheely with questions at 513-561-4220.

Gingerbread BASH

The Gingerbread Bash is a fun, hands-on way to celebrate Christmas together!

Friday, December 9
7:00-8:30pm in the Worship Center

You'll make a gingerbread nativity, play games, hear the Christmas story from the Bible, and discover that sometimes the most incredible gift comes in the most ordinary box.



He is the Potter and we are His clay. He will mold us and make us so that we may be made into a flawless piece of work to fulfill His good, pleasing, and perfect will.

Women's Christmas Tea

Sunday, December 4 at 11:30am in the Fellowship Hall

Gather to enjoy a fun afternoon filled with fellowship, music, Christmas goodies, and TEA!

Women United will participate in IPM's Christmas Store by donating gifts for kids this year. And it's easy – no sign-up needed – bring a donation of your choice to the Tea!

Sharing the Joy of The Season with Our Neighbors in Need

Christmas is right around the corner! We are supporting **Inter Parish Ministry's Christmas Store**, one of their biggest events of the year. Shop on your own or check out IPM's Amazon Christmas Wish Lists: Toy store: <https://amzn.to/3A4Rckp>; Gifts for adults: <https://amzn.to/3E38Bv4>. Gifts may be delivered to the Atrium entrance by Sunday, December 4.



IPM Food Pantry 2022 Christmas Wish List

Infant	Toddler	Elementary	Teen	Senior (60 yr +)
Puzzles	Barbie Dolls	Sport Team Hoodie	Sport Team Hoodie	Household Appliances
Trucks	Frozen	Pokemon	Purse	Purse
Blocks	Remote Control Car	Action Figures	Wallet	Wallet
Pajamas	Pajamas	Barbie Dolls	Makeup	Makeup
Tummy Time Mats	Baby Alive Doll	Craft Kits	Craft Kits	Cologne/Perfume
Rattles	Board Games	Remote Control Car	Makeup Mirror	Makeup Mirror
Bath Toys	Stuffed Animals	Bey Blades	Bluetooth Headphones	Card Games
Teethers	Potato Heads	Board Games	Legos	Crossword/Sudoku
	Play-Doh	Stuffed Animals	Charging Hub	Bluetooth Speaker
	Paw Patrol	Star Wars "The Child"	Phone Accessories	Throw Blanket
		Legos	Fidgets	Puzzles
		LOL! Surprise Dolls		Mints/Gum/Candy