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"Doing the Right Thing; Where are we Going?"

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Prelude Welcome & Time of Silence

"In this quiet moment, Jesus speak to me. Fill my heart with Thy love divine, Your power let me see."

Call to Worship

L: Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth.

P: Worship the Lord with gladness.

L: Come before Him with shouts of joy.

P: The Lord is God. God made us and we are His.

L: Give Thanks to God!

P: Enter His gates with thanksgiving and into His courts with joy.

L: Give thanks to the Lord and bless His name for He is good.

P: His unfailing love continues forever.

L: O sing to the Lord a new song!

P: Sing to the Lord, all the earth!

L: Sing and give praise to God's name!

P: Tell the glad news of salvation from day to day.

L: We've come to worship God, who loved us before we were born!

P: Who knows us even better than we know ourselves!

L: Whose presence never leaves us and whose love never ceases!

P: Let us give thanks and worship with grateful hearts

Hymns 343

"Amazing Grace"

Empower Moment

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

"Glory be to the Father; and to the Son; and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end. Amen, Amen."

An Affirmation of Faith (unison)

This is the good news which we received, in which we stand and by which we are saved; that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day; and that he appeared to Mary, then to the twelve, and to many faithful witnesses. We believe he is the Christ, the Son of the Living God. He is the first and the last, the beginning and the end, he is our Lord and our God. Amen.

Prayers of the People (Joys & Concerns)

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

All: 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.

Anthem Glory Bound

Scripture: James 4:17, Micah 6:1-8, Colossians3:17

Sermon: "Doing the Right Thing; Where are we going?"

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Congregational News

Hymn 548 "As The Deer"

Charge & Benediction

"May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever, Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor. Lift your eyes, and see His face, and His love forever. May the Lord, risen Lord, bless and keep you forever."

Postlude

Today

- Music: Penny Antona, Sue and Mike Conklin, Glory Bound
- Sound/Lights: John Goldsmith, Maurice Davoren
- PowerPoint & Live Stream: Elizabeth & Rich Orengo
- Worship Leaders: Michael Canonico, Kevin O'Connell
- Our 9:30 AM service is live streamed on YouTube and you may appear in live worship

Upcoming Worship Leaders

November 9: Kevin O'Connell, Michael Canonico

November 16: Gerda Krogslund

Giving QR Code

- To give by credit/debit cards/online checks use the QR code!
- · Giving especially during this transitional time is essential!

Office Hours

Monday and Friday, 9:00 am to 3:00pm and Wednesdays as needed.

Share your Joys & Concerns

- Did you know you can share your prayer requests 24/7 by posting them on our church app's Prayer Wall? <u>Download the app today.</u>
- They will also be collected before and during worship.

Interested in leading worship?

 Speak to Elizabeth about an upcoming Sunday in November and December.

Do you have any announcements or information to share?

- Send details to Maggie at secretary.otisvillepres@gmail.com by Monday
- to be included in next Sunday's bulletin.

Food Pantry Needs!

We need JUICE, JELLY AND CEREAL. Thank you!

Wednesday Night Bible Study

 Wednesday Night Bible Study is being held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM. Bible study is held in person in the Memorial Room or on Zoom. Contact Jim or Sue Eggleton for more info.

Stewardship Mailings

- We are working on our Stewardship Mailing. Be sure the church has your current address. Check with Maggie.
- Mailing should be posted by the end of October.

Thanksgiving Baskets Available NOW.

- Bags are available in the sanctuary and the fellowship hall each with their own number list.
- You have the option of groceries & turkey, groceries only or turkey only.
- Filled bags can be dropped off on *November 16, 17, 19 or 21 between 9:00am 3:00pm.*

Hand Bells

 Let's ring those Bells!! If you are interested in playing in the Hand Bell ensemble (on a Sunday) during the Christmas Season, please contact Sue Conklin ASAP. Rehearsals will be on Saturday mornings in November.

Deacons Fall Legacy Brunch - November 16

• Join us for a time of fellowship, gratitude, and joy as we celebrate and honor our senior congregants.

Operation Christmas Child collection - November 16

- Operation Christmas Child "Shoe Boxes" are now available!
- Labels and information will be in the boxes.
- Please return your filled shoe box on Sunday, November 16th with a \$10 donation towards shipping.
- If you would like to support this Ministry without packing a box, monetary donations will be gratefully accepted. See Sue Conklin for details.

Sanctuary Decorating – November 30

 Please join us after worship on November 30 to decorate the church for Advent and Christmas, traditionally known as "Hanging of the Greens".

- We will need a couple of ladder people to put up interior decorations!
- More details to follow.

Annual Reports - November 30

- Annual reports are due from all our groups with both a narrative of the year's activities and financial information by November 30.
- Advanced copies of the full report will be available beginning December
 7 for review before the annual meeting.

Empower Christmas Pageant - December 14

Please join our Empower Kids and Families for our Annual Christmas
 Pageant at our 9:30 AM worship hour.

Annual Meeting of the Congregation and Corporation - December 14

 The Annual Meeting of the Congregation will be held on Sunday, December 14, immediately following worship in Fellowship Hall. All members are encouraged to attend.

Deacon's Medical Closet

 There are walkers, wheelchairs, shower chairs and other medical supplies available for those in need. See Frank or Will.

Manse Emergency Red Lights

A low temperature device that turns on a light is installed in the manse
to alert when the temperature inside the manse falls to a level that the
pipes may freeze. There are 2 red lights; one in the front window and
one in the kitchen window. If anyone sees these lights turned on,
please notify Kevin O'Connell so that he can investigate why the manse
is cold. Kevin's cell is 845-346-6638.



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