



Chatham Community Church

Joined in the Spirit
August 26, 2018

Congregational Choral Opening to Worship (a cappella)

Holy, holy, holy, Lord, God Almighty
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty
God in three Persons, blessed trinity.

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Thank you for worshipping with us. We rejoice that you are here today!

Music for Prayer and Meditation

Let us silence our hearts, our minds, and our voices to worship our God

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We are called from the ends of the earth.

People: **We are called from the busyness of our lives.**

Leader: We are called to praise God.

People: **We are called to serve the Holy One.**

Leader: God has breathed into us the breath of new life.

People: **Let us worship with joy.**

*Opening Prayer

Leader: Let us pray...

God, your changes touch our lives with mystery and hope. We come to this place today, ready to see your power working through us. Help us to be open to your Word, and to answer your call among us. Through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

*Opening Hymn #2

"O Worship the King"

First Scripture Reading

Ephesians 6:10-20

Children's Moment

EXPRESSING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayer Hymn Prayer Hymn #482

"Sanctuary"

**Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true;
with thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.**

Pastoral Prayer, Silent Prayer, Lord's Prayer *(words printed in hymnal #740)*

Prayer Response #490: **Hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord.**

Incline thine ear to us, and grant us thy peace.

SHARING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*Doxology #34

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below;

Praise God above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

*Prayer of Dedication

GOD'S WORD REVEALED

*Hymn of Preparation #84 (vv. 1-3)

"O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

Scripture Reading

Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18

Message

"Remembering"

Pastor Patty

*Closing Hymn #59

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

*Benediction and Congregational Response

May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever.

Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor.

Lift up your eyes and see God's face, full of grace forever.

May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever.

*Postlude

**please stand as you are able*

Record of our Faithfulness

Attendance last week: **37**

Matthew 25: **\$25.00**

Offering: **\$937.00**

Care & Share: **\$10.00**

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Pastor Patty will be in Chatham Monday & Wednesday afternoon/evening

Please continue to pray for...

Hoyt Mis, Lou Gehrig's disease

Larry Staples, health concerns

Laura Tice, health concerns

Jeff Natterer, health concerns

Clarice, Rosalie's sister – health concerns

Ethan Siman, Adam Klein in the service

UPCOMING EVENTS

- ✓ Sunday, August 26 – Annual Church Picnic at Bohley's
- ✓ Monday, August 27 – 6:30 p.m. PPR Committee meeting
- ✓ Wednesday, August 29 – 6:30 p.m. Education Committee meeting
- ✓ Sunday, September 2 – 7:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast

ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC – We will gather after worship today at the Bohley house for our annual church picnic. Please bring a dish to share (or not) and a comfortable chair.

SUMMER WORSHIP – The second Sunday of each month through September we are planning on worshipping in the pavilion followed by a potluck luncheon. This is a great opportunity to invite a friend to join us!

VETERANS' NEEDS – If you have potholders, dish clothes (especially homemade) or dish towels you would like to donate, please leave in narthex.

BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES –

- We will begin our Thursday Bible studies on September 6 at 1:00 (**please note new time**) and 6:30. We will focus on various Psalms and aging. All are welcome to attend one or all of the classes. A schedule is posted on the bulletin board.
- Keith Bohley will host a Bible study focusing on Genesis, Exodus, Luke, and Acts on Friday evenings beginning in October. Please see him for details.

In Service to God and the Church

Accompaniment: Karen Geisinger

Lay Servants: Jacci Orosz

Ushers and Greeters: Jason & Christine

Lay Leader: Greg Theus

Liturgist: Jayne Cole

Next Week:



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