



Chatham Community Church

Joined in the Spirit
August 4, 2019

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 worshiping 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: Come together, everyone! Let us bring our stories and sing our songs and share in God's Spirit.

People: **Let our feelings paint the sky like a rainbow of banners and balloons.**

Leader: Let our thoughts fill the air and come to life in bodies of sound, ringing out like a song to which the whole world will be dancing.

People: **And let even the silence speak with a thousand voices in tribute to our loving, living God.**

ALL: **May this worship reflect the priceless gifts God has given us. Amen.**

*Opening Prayer

Leader: Let us pray...

Almighty God, you have knit us together in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Jesus Christ. Grant us grace to follow your holy saints in all virtuous and godly living so that we may come to unspeakable joy which you have prepared for those who sincerely love you. Amen.

*Opening Hymn #443

"Trust and Obey"

First Scripture Reading

Psalm 4

EXPRESSING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayer Hymn Prayer Hymn #492

"Spirit of the Living God"

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me (repeat)

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me

Pastoral Prayer, Silent Prayer, Lord's Prayer

(words printed in hymnal #740)

Prayer Response #474

"I Surrender All" (refrain)

I surrender all, I surrender all,

All to thee, my blessed Savior, I surrender all.

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 #393

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

Scripture Reading

Philippians 1:3-8

Message

"If I Only Had A Heart"

Pastor Patty

Holy Communion

ALL are welcome to receive God's grace, freely given

*Closing Hymn #398

"O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus"

*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 Sunday: **54***

*Offering: **\$1,787.00***

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Pastor Patty will be in Chatham Monday and Wednesday afternoon / evening and Thursday afternoon.

Lucy, Luann's Mom – declining health

Hoyt Mis, Lou Gehrig's disease

Laura Tice, health concerns

Jeff Natterer, health concerns

Bud Sudar, health failing – prayers for heart condition / transplant

Charmaine Hrusch – friend of Tom & Sandee – serious health issues

George, Barb Natterer's brother – health concerns

Mancel Samples, treatment for lung cancer

Ethan Siman, Adam Klein in the service

Family of Sally Geiser who passed away on Monday

UPCOMING EVENTS

- ✓ Thursday, August 8 – 3:30 p.m. Care & Share at North Church
- ✓ Sunday, August 11 – Outdoor Worship and potluck (weather permitting)
- ✓ Sunday, August 11 – Worship Committee meeting after worship

PRAYER SHAWLS – I am so grateful for all who have engaged in the prayer shawl ministry, either creating them or delivering them. I have left the shawls visible in the sanctuary. If you care to deliver one, please let me know to whom it will be going so we don't duplicate the effort. Thanks!

WOMEN'S RETREAT – The women of the church are invited to a spiritual retreat on August 23 from 9:30 to 3 at Hidden Hollow 8672 Richman Rd. Lodi. The theme of the retreat is from Brokenness to Wholeness. Lunch will be provided. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex.

CHURCH PICNIC – Our annual church picnic will be at the Bohley picnic pavilion on Sunday, August 18 after worship. We will plan to eat at noon. Please bring a dish to share and a comfortable chair. The Worship Committee will provide beverages and tableware.

In Service to God and the Church

Accompaniment: Karen Geisinger

Certified Lay Servant: Jacci Orosz

Ushers and Greeters: Jacci & Lou

Lay Leader: Greg Theus

Liturgist: Laura Auble

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