

✠ **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:** "The Apostles' Creed" (*unison*)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen!

Go Out as God's People in the World

✠ **Closing Hymn HB #108:** "God of Our Life through All the Circling Years"

✠ **BENEDICTION:** Hebrews 13:20-21 *by Pastor Janet*

Now may the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, equip you with everything good for doing his will, and may he work in us what is pleasing to him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

✠ **POSTLUDE** *by Tracy (Yu) Qian*

Following today's service please join us in the upstairs hall for coffee & conversation.



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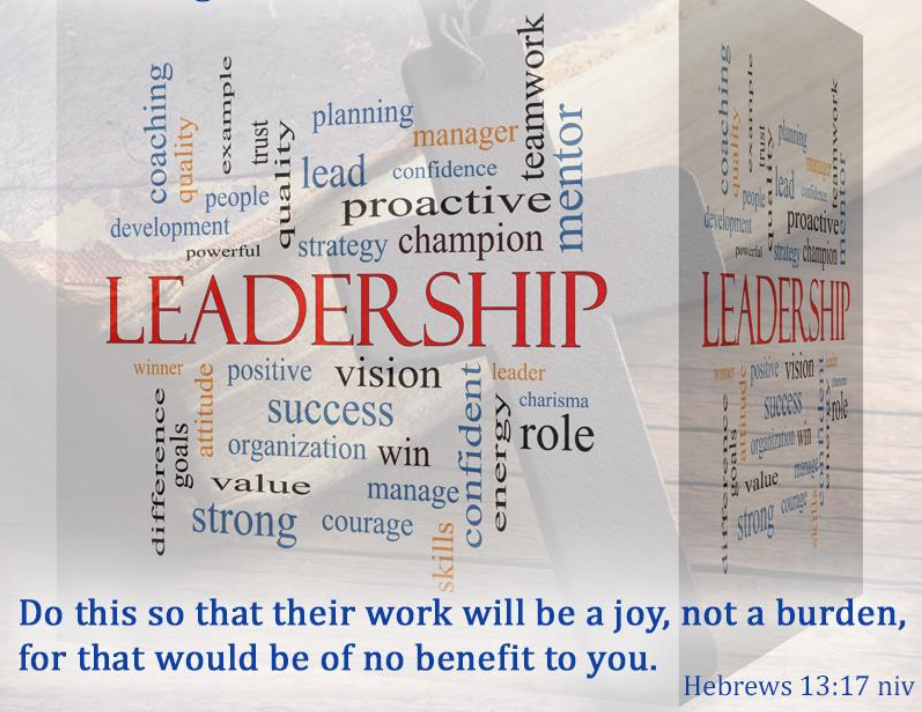
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Have confidence in your leaders and submit to their authority, because they keep watch over you as those who must give an account.



Do this so that their work will be a joy, not a burden, for that would be of no benefit to you.

Hebrews 13:17 niv

Today's Worship Leaders:

Organist/Pianist: Tracy (Yu) Qian

Officer Assisting: Kathy Wallace

Pastor: The Reverend Dr. Janet A. Hufford

The Lord's Day Worship

November 14, 2021

Worship, 11am

Assisted Listening Devices are available in the Sanctuary during Worship.
If you need instructions, please see the Greeter.

(Those not wanting to be seen on the **video recording**, please sit under the balcony.)

Hymnals: HB is "The Hymnbook" (burgundy) & HoF is "Hymns of Faith" (scarlet)

Gathering of God's People

After the chimes, please be in quiet reverence & silence cell phones.

3 RINGS OF THE STEEPLE BELLS & CHIMES

WELCOME by Kathy Wallace, ruling elder

ANNOUNCEMENTS (See insert)

RECOGNITION OF VETERANS: (at name please stand if present & able)

Air Force: Mike Bernstein;

Army: Jon Davis, Frank Gieseck; Marines: Tom Johnston;

Navy: Curt Hungerford, Mike Lightle, Rob Rawls, Robert Wooldridge

PATRIOTIC PRELUDE by Tracy (Yu) Qian

† stand as able

† **CALL TO WORSHIP:** Psalm 20:6 (responsively):

Now this I know: The Lord gives victory to his anointed.

**He answers him from his heavenly sanctuary
with the victorious power of his right hand.**

† **Opening Hymn HB #515:** "God of Our Fathers"

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** based on Hebrews 13:1-19 (unison):

For our failing: to love one another as brothers & sisters; to show hospitality to strangers; to help those in prison & being mistreated; to keep the marriage bed pure, by practicing or imagining sexual immorality; to be content with what we have by coveting money & goods; to discern strange & false teaching; to offer a sacrifice of praise; to share with others; and to submit to the authority of leaders, Jesus, hear our confession & forgive our sin. (Pause in silent confession.)

† **ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS:** Hebrews 9:27-28 (responsively)

Just as people are destined to die only once, and after that to face judgment,

So Christ was sacrificed once to take away the sins of many; and he will appear a second time, not to bear sin, but to bring salvation to those who are waiting for him.

† **GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE:** (unison) 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.

Proclamation of God's Word

† **CALL TO GOD'S WORD:** John 10:35 & Romans 4:3 (unison)

"Scripture cannot be set aside... What does Scripture say?"

† **PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION:** (unison)

Lord, through your Spirit enable us to consider your Word, and to enact it in our lives to bring you glory and praise. Amen.

SCRIPTURE:

Hebrews 13:7-8 &17-19

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SERMON Takeaway: "Remember to Encourage Your Leaders"

by the Reverend Dr. Janet A. Hufford.

Response to God's Word

† **Hymn of Response HB #18:** "We Gather Together"

PRAYERS of JOYS & CONCERNS followed by **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.

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP

OFFERTORY to prayerfully consider giving in thankfulness

PRAYER OF DEDICATION, including consecration of OCC shoeboxes

† **DOXOLOGY:** (unison) 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.