

Your **Liturgist** for today is Sara Meissner.
Today's **Ushers** are Gladys Cantagallo and Rich Jurgens.
Audio / Video Graphers today are Connie Fayen and Kim Ott.
Fellowship in the Narthex is hosted by Teri Schrul.

Prayer Concerns: Nancy Harter; Evelyne Holcombe; The Hoydich Family;
Ruth Ellen Ortolf; Pat Vetter.

Townwide Garage Sale - Volunteer Sign-up sheets are now available in the Narthex. Please visit the credenza to access the clipboards. We greatly appreciate any assistance you can provide.

Donation envelopes are in the Narthex for anyone wishing to make a donation to the Deacon's Backpack Project.

Memorial Service for Peter Hoydich is this Saturday, August 29th at 11am.

September 7th, Monday - Labor Day, offices are closed.

September 13th, Sunday - Worship will now begin at 10:30am. Rally Day Picnic after Worship.

September 14th, Monday - First day of Nursery School.

September 19th, Saturday - Townwide Garage Sale 9am to 2pm.

***We are currently creating a new church directory, available both in digital and paper formats. We are looking to form a committee to help organize this project, which will include photography, scheduling photo sessions and gathering updated contact information. We already have a template prepared, so the main tasks involve coordination and outreach.

If you have the time and interest to help, please reach out to me at office@cpcmountainside.org or call the office at 908-232-9490. Your support would be greatly appreciated!

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Thank you for your continuous support.



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Rev. Marcus C. Lambright, *Pastor*
Sung-Hae Jung, *Organist & Choir Director*
Dr. Kelsey Lambright, *Family Faith Formation Facilitator*
Lisa Arent, *Office Administrator*

August 23, 2026

Service for the Lord’s Day

10:00 AM

PRELUDE

God Will Make A Way

D. Moen

WELCOME

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

OPENING PRAYER

INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP *(responsively)* inspired by Psalm 95: 1-2

O come, let us sing to the Lord;

Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Let us come into God’s presence with thanksgiving;

Let us make a joyful noise to God with songs of praise!

*OPENING HYMN #37

Let All Things Now Living

G.H.Knight

Welsh folk melody

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(in unison)*

Savior, we hear your voice in the words of scripture and song. We know that we are called to be your people. From the time of Abraham and Sarah, from the time of Moses and Miriam, from the time of Mary and Peter, you have asked us to walk in faith.

Yet there are times when we cannot find the courage to take the next step. When we stumble, lift us up. When we doubt, restore our faith. Help us to see in the stories of your saints the possibilities ahead of us. Help us to find in these stories the inspiration to join together and to become your people in this time and place.

CHORAL RESPONSE

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI HYMN #581

Henry W. Greatorex

PASSING OF PEACE

FAMILY TEACHING MOMENT

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION *(in unison)*

Savior, as we wrestle with these sacred texts, help us to hear in new ways. Help us to see with new eyes. Help us to be inspired with new understandings.

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

Isaiah 9: 2-6

SERMON

“The Rock”

Rev. Dr. LL DuBreuil

Including the reading of Matthew 16: 13-20

*RESPONSIVE HYMN #753

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

A.V.Fedak

Sebastian Temple

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER *(in unison)*

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

A Quiet Place

R.Carmichael

*DOXOLOGY HYMN #606

Old Hundredth

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*CLOSING HYMN #295

Go to the World

R.V.Williams

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

Today Will Be A Good Day

D.Reeves

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*Those who are able, please stand

We warmly invite you to join us this Sunday as we welcome Rev. Dr. LL DuBreuil, back to the pulpit as she is supplying for Pastor Marcus while he is on leave.

Our Sunday Musicians:

JANE STUART

Jane Stuart has been singing, acting and dancing professionally since she was 12 years old and went from ‘show biz’ kid to the present with a vast career in many areas of show business. Some of this extraordinary journey has included performing and recording with amazing talents such as: Bernadette Peters, Richard Gere, Thad Jones, Valerie Simpson, Patti Austin, Barry Manilow, Shawn Colvin, Charlie Smalls (composer of The Wiz), and “Blue Lou” Marini (Blues Brothers) among many others. Her credits are for Off Broadway, Television, The N.Y. Shakespeare Festival Jazz Theatre, singing on many National commercials/jingles such as (Chevrolet Heartbeat Of America, Bain de Soleil, Stetson Cologne, to name a few. Jane sings and leads her own group in jazz clubs, concert halls, jazz festivals, private events and presenting programs at libraries in the NJ/NY area for over 15 years. Gary Haberman, Musical Director and Jane have been performing together for many years and are delighted to bring their music to Central Presbyterian Church of Mountainside .

Jane has two outstanding and highly acclaimed CD’s to her credit. Both still receiving rave reviews and continuing to get airplay worldwide. “Beginning To See The Light”, winner of Best Jazz Vocals (International Association Of Jazz Educators) and “Don’t Look Back”. For more info please visit: www.janestuartmusic.com

GARY HABERMAN

Composer, Arranger, Producer, and pianist Gary Haberman, graduate of Manhattan School of Music, is active as a pianist/ synthesist composer, arranger, performer, and producer in a variety of musical genres. He has performed with Frank Sinatra, Vic Damone, Liza Minelli, & Sammy Davis Jr. He has composed and arranged for numerous vocal groups, jazz ensembles, and full symphony orchestras. He was a finalist in the 2017 European Big Band Composer Competition in Copenhagen Denmark.



We are excited to announce the arrivals of two little ones this past week!

