



Peoples Congregational United Church of Christ
4704 Thirteenth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20011

Rev. Brandon Harris, Senior Minister
Rev. Mahogany S. Thomas, Executive Minister

Sunday, May 15, 2022
10:00 a.m.

*"This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it."
Psalm 118: 24 (NRSV)*

Love God & Love Neighbor

ENTER TO WORSHIP...

The Order of the Word
Fifth Sunday of Eastertide
Sunday, May 15, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.
The Liturgical Color is White

CENTERING THOUGHT

“Our Father in heaven, reveal who you are.”

Matthew 6:9 (The Message)

PRELUDE

Ombra Mai Fu
Malcolm Willoughby, Acting Director of Worship

George F. Handel

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Brandon Harris

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. George Walker

HYMN OF PRAISE

How Great Thou Art
Peoples Adult Choir

No. 148 Stuart K. Hine AAHH

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 148 (*New Revised Standard Version*)
Matthew 6:9-13 (*New Revised Standard Version*)

Deacon Patricia Faggett
Nadine Duplessy Kearns

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Lana Washington

We are not alone; we live in God’s world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God. We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God’s presence, to live with respect in Creation, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us.

We are not alone. Thanks be to God.

GLORIA PATRI

*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*

Saint Hilary of Poitiers

SONG OF PREPARATION

The Lord is My Shepherd
Peoples Adult Choir

Dorothy Master Green

THE SERMON

Rev. Brandon Harris

What's In A Name
(Lord Teach Us To Pray Sermon Series)
Matthew 6:9

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Rev. Brandon Harris

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. George Walker

HYMN OF RESPONSE

No. 144 W.C. Martin AAHH

My Heavenly Father Watches Over Me
Peoples Adult Choir

OFFERTORY

Rev. George Walker

DOXOLOGY

Thomas Ken

*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*

CLOSING REMARKS

Rev. Brandon Harris

CLOSING HYMN

No. 422 Joseph Swain AAHH

O Thou In Whose Presence
Peoples Adult Choir

BENEDICTION

Rev. Brandon Harris

POSTLUDE

Healey Willan

Chorale Prelude
Malcolm Willoughby, Acting Director of Worship

...DEPART TO SERVE

**AAHH- African American Heritage Hymnal

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT PEOPLES CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For weekly “What's Happening” submissions and monthly Prodder submissions, please send all newsletter articles to email: info@peopleschurchucc.org. The deadline for “What's Happening” is Wednesday at noon. Prodder submissions must be submitted by 12:00 Noon on the 20th of the prior month.
- A confirmation email reply will be sent upon completion of all requests.



Direct Links to Online Giving for Donations

Prayer Meeting Dial-In

Wednesday Word Devotional Conference Call

605-475-5950 Access Code: 8964544#

Second and Fourth Wednesday at 7:00 a.m.

Wednesday Noon Prayer Service

Call 518-992-1039, Access Code: 659959#

Prayer Service is every Wednesday at Noon.

Thursday Virtual Bible Study

Join Zoom Meeting 6:00 p.m.

<https://zoom.us/j/99268523678?pwd=NFZrUzNIUXBXczJkMWVxZ1VZclU5UT09>

Dial-in Number: 301-715-8592

Meeting ID: 992 6852 3678 - Password: 784420

Peoples Congregational United Church of Christ

Sunday Morning Praise and Worship Teleconference

Call-in-Number 720-740-9739 Access Code 4684874

The Line Opens at 6:55 a.m.

Virtual Adult Church School

Virtual Adult Church School Every Sunday at 8:00 - 9:15 a.m.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88390857788?pwd=RmZoY2xqeTBIRVdTK09XWFY5cG9OQT09>

Meeting ID: 883 9085 7788 Passcode: 438381

Church School meets Every 2nd and 4th Sunday

Sermon By Phone

Available every Sunday at 12:00 p.m. Dial 1-202-318-5405

Peoples Church Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee would like to remind everyone of two major events in May regarding 2022 Nominations. Members who are still interested in running for a position, there is an opportunity to have your name nominated from the floor, which will take place on Tuesday, May 17, 2022, virtually from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. On Saturday, May 21, 2022, at 1:00 p.m., there will be a virtual "Meet and Greet" of the candidates who will be presented on the slate the first week of May.

Scholarship Application Update

The Scholarship Committee is now accepting Scholarship applications immediately. Applications may be obtained from the church website. If the applicant leaves a hard copy of the application that needs to be retrieved from the church, please notify the Scholarship Committee by email at scholarship@peopleschurchucc.org. Please note, the due date for applications and any supporting documentation is **Friday, May 27, 2022, by midnight**. Thank you. [Scholarship Application](#)

Rupert B. Clark Service Award

The Hospitality Circle will present the RUPERT B. CLARK SERVICE AWARD to deserving members in 2022. Nomination forms are available [here](#) and on the church website at peopleschurchucc.org; and can be submitted electronically. Nominations are to be submitted no later than **Tuesday, May 31, 2022**. Two signed letters of support for the nominee are required and can be submitted electronically to hospitalitycircle@gmail.com. Questions may be submitted to Marie Whitaker, President of Hospitality Circle or to Walter Faggett, Chair of the Rupert Clark Service Award Committee at hospitalitycircle@gmail.com

Vacation Bible School is back! with five full days of in-person learning and fun!

Make Waves: What You Do Today Can Change the World Around You. Starting August 1-5, 2022, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. Bible lessons, community service, outdoor activities, music, and more! More information soon to come.

In Memoriam



Alvanette Jones

Passed on January 3, 2022

Shauna Fields

Passed on January 14, 2022

Paula McKann

Passed on January 5, 2022

Diane Fitzhugh-Sollers

Passed on March 9, 2022

Georgiana Baird

Passed on May 7, 2022

Continuing Through the Pandemic

In-Church Worship Services, Activities and Events remain suspended until further notice.

In order for us to continue to operate safely and comply with CDC Guidelines as well as the DC government guidelines, we have put new practices in place.

Schedule: *Since we can only have a limited number of **individuals** in the building at any one time, a schedule has been set in place. If you need to come to the Church, contact the Office Staff either by calling 202-829-5511 or by email: info@peopleschurchucc.org, and the staff will put your name on the schedule.*

Contact Tracing: *In compliance with the District of Columbia guidelines, **ALL** persons entering the facility **MUST** complete a Contact Tracing Form. The information is kept confidential unless requested by the Contact Trace Force of the District of Columbia.*

Accessing the Facility: *Strict procedures are in place, which you will find posted at the front door (see below)*

