



THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
IN MORRISTOWN

November 3, 2019

The Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost
All Saints' Service of Remembrance

Celebration of Worship

Prelude

Eternal

Jason Krug

The Chancel Ringers

*** Call to Worship** (*responsively*)

The Reverend Dr. David Smazik

One: Giving thanks for all the saints, who from their labors rest.

Many: We gather to worship God, who loves beyond life or death.

One: With the cloud of witnesses, by the grace of Christ,

Many: in the presence of the Spirit, let us worship God.

*** Hymn 326**

For All the Saints

Sine Nomine

Confession and Pardon

Pastor Linda Gaden

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

As we remember the saints of our faith, and all your children in the church triumphant, look kindly on our memories and forgive us where they falter. If we were unkind or unjust, forgive us. If we missed opportunities for compassion, convict us. If we turned our back on a neighbor, heal us. If we failed to recognize your image in the faces of people long gone, enlighten us to your presence and wash us in your mercy. Amen.

Kyrie: Hymn 575

Lord Have Mercy Upon Us

Pardini

* Please rise in body or in spirit.

Silent Prayer

Assurance of Pardon *(responsively)*

One: In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance,

Many: having been destined to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will,

One: so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ,

Many: might live for the praise of his glory as forgiven people.

* **Response: Hymn 587**

Alleluia

Celtic Alleluia

* **Passing of the Peace**

A Time for Young Christians

Alexandra Mead

Prayer for Illumination *(unison)*

Gracious God, we do not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from your mouth. Make us hungry for this heavenly food, that it may nourish us today in the ways of eternal life; through Jesus Christ, the bread of heaven. Amen.

All Saints' Remembrance

In the past year, these church members have entered the Church Triumphant:

Russell Polo
December 12, 2018

Alta Struning
April 6, 2019

Grace Akillian
July 29, 2019

Jean O'Melia
January 3, 2019

Jennifer Lawlor
June 2, 2019

Jean Dinsmore
August 26, 2019

Julie Ramseyer
February 6, 2019

William Trumpf
July 25, 2019

Donald Burt
September 18, 2019

Musical Offering

Scripture Reading:

Luke 19:1-10

(New Testament, page 77)

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God.

Musical Offering

Lux Aeterna

Morten Lauridsen (b. 1943)

I. Introitus

II. In Te, Domini, Speravi

III. O Nata Lux

The Chancel Choir and Kevin Graf, organ

Moment for Mission

Greeting/Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

(Please sign and pass the friendship pad, found in the pew, to the person next to you. Offering envelopes and prayer request cards are located in the pew pockets for your convenience. Cards will be collected with the offering.)

Musical Offering

Lux Aeterna

Morten Lauridsen

IV. Veni, Sancte Spiritus

V. Agnus Dei – Lux Aeterna

The Chancel Choir and Kevin Graf, organ

* **Doxology: Hymn 607** Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow *Old Hundredth*
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Christ, all people here below;
praise Holy Spirit evermore;
praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

* Prayer of Dedication

Sacrament of Communion

Communion Meditation and Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The leader continues...

...Therefore with angels and archangels and the whole company of heaven,
we worship and adore your glorious name, praising you forevermore.

Sung Response *(Music for Response S4, Glory to God Hymnal, p. 9)*

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

Heaven and earth are full, are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The leader continues...

... Great is the mystery of faith:

Sung Response *(Music for Response S5, Glory to God Hymnal, p. 10)*

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

The leader continues...

...Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all glory and honor are yours, almighty God,
now and forever.

Sung Response *(Music for Response S6, Glory to God Hymnal, p. 11)*

Amen, amen, amen.

Words of Institution

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

(Communion today is by Intinction. Please take a piece of bread and dip it into the cup. If you would like someone to serve you in your seat, please indicate this to an usher. The cups contain grape juice.)

Communion Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

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.

* Hymn 821

My Life Flows On

How Can I Keep from Singing

* Benediction

Postlude

Fugue sur le nom d'Alain

Maurice Duruflé (1902-1986)

Kevin Graf, organ

Special Congregational Meeting to Elect Officers

WORSHIP LEADERS

The Reverend Dr. David Smazik

Pastor Linda Gaden

Dr. Matthew Webb, Director of Music

Alexandra Mead, Director of Christian Education

Kevin Graf, Organ Scholar

The Chancel Choir

The Chancel Ringers

GREETERS

Sue Grassmyer, Vicky Willson, and Susan & Kevin Hubbard

USHERS

Rich Schwartz, Head Usher; Cheryl Smith, Gretchen Doner,
Gayle Pearson, Nancy Niemann, Ray Stark, and Bob Davies

COMMUNION SERVERS

Jeff Cramer, Betty Darcy, Janeen Dougherty,
Jinnie McDonnell, Ginny Pontious, and Susan Wood

ACOLYTES

Michael Hoppes and Lily Crean

FLOWERS

In loving memory of Vera & Bob Anderson
Given by the Johnson Stewart Family

TODAY'S MUSICAL OFFERING

...is dedicated to the loving memory of those who have left us in the past year, particularly **Julie Ramseyer**, our late Director of Children's Music and devoted Chancel Choir member.

Morten Lauridsen: *Lux Aeterna*

I. Introitus

Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis. Te decet hymnus Deus in Zion, et tibi redetur votum in Jerusalem: exaudi orationem meam, ad te omnis caro veniet. Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis.

Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. A hymn befits thee, O God in Zion, and to thee a vow shall be fulfilled in Jerusalem: Hear my prayer, for unto thee all flesh shall come.

Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

II. In Te, Domine, Speravi

Tu ad liberandum suscepturus hominem non horruisti Virginis uterum. Tu devicto mortis aculeo, aperuisti credentibus regna coelorum. Exortum est in tenebris lumen rectis. Miserere nostri, Domine, miserere nostri. Fiat misericordia tua, Domine, super nos quemadmodum speravimus in te. In te Domine, speravi: non confundar in aeternum.

To deliver us, you became human, and did not disdain the Virgin's womb. Having blunted the sting of death, You opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers. A light has risen in the darkness for the upright. Have mercy upon us, O Lord, have mercy upon us. Let thy mercy be upon us, O Lord, as we have trusted in thee. In thee, O Lord, I have trusted: let me never be confounded.

III. O Nata Lux

O nata lux de lumine, Jesu redemptor saeculi, dignare clemens supplicum laudes preces que sumere. Qui came quondam contegi dignatus es pro perditis. Nos membra confer effici, tui beati corporis.

O born light of light, Jesus, redeemer of the world, mercifully deem worthy and accept the praises and prayers of your supplicants. Thou who once deigned to be clothed in flesh for the sake of the lost ones, grant us to be made members of your holy body.

IV. Veni, Sancte Spiritus

Veni, Sancte Spiritus, et emitte coelitus Lucis tuae radium. Veni, pater pauperum, Veni, dator munerum, ceni, lumen cordium. Consolator optime, dulcis hospes animae, dulce refrigerium. In labore requies, in aestu temperies, in fletu solatium. O lux beatissima, reple cordis intima tuorum fidelium. Sine tuo numine, nihil est in homine, nihil est innocuum. Lava quod est sordidum, riga quod est aridum, dana quod est saucium. Flecte quod est rigidum, fove quod est frigidum, rege quod est devium. Da tuis fidelibus, in te confidentibus, Sacrum septenarium. Da virtutis meritum, da salutis exitum, da perenne gaudium.

Come, Holy Spirit, and send forth from heaven the ray of thy light. Come, father of the poor, come, giver of gifts, come, light of hearts. Thou best of consolers, sweet guest of the soul, sweet refreshment. In labor, thou art rest, in heat, the tempering, in grief, the consolation. O light most blessed, fill the inmost heart of all thy faithful. Without your grace, there is nothing in us, nothing that is not harmful. Cleanse what is sordid, moisten what is arid, heal what is hurt, flex what is rigid, fire what is frigid, correct what goes astray. Grant to thy faithful, those trusting in thee, thy sacred seven-fold gifts. Grant the reward of virtue. Grant the deliverance of salvation, grant everlasting joy.

V. Agnus Dei—Lux Aeterna

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona eis requiem. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona eis requiem. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona eis requiem sempiternam. Lux aeterna luceat eis, Domine: Cum sanctis tuis in aeternum: quia pius es. Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis. Alleluia. Amen.

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world, grant them rest. Lamb of God, who takest away the sin of the world, grant them rest. Lamb of God, who takest away the sin of the world, grant them rest everlasting. May light eternal shine upon them, O Lord, in the company of thy Saints for ever and ever; for thou art merciful. Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Alleluia. Amen.

Announcements

Young Professionals Small Group – Wednesday, November 6 at 7 a.m. in the Conference Room

Our new weekly breakfast small group is for young professionals looking to network and grow their faith in Christ. Note that the meeting date has moved from Thursday to Wednesday. Please RSVP to dsmazik@pcmorristory.org

All Church Dinner – Wednesday, November 6 at 6 p.m. in Sheffield Hall.

Stay after our Midweek programming or come at 6 p.m. and join us for a time of fellowship. Please RSVP to bettydarcy55@gmail.com.

Faith on Film: *Amazing Grace* – Sunday, November 10 at 4 p.m. in the Erdman Room

Only released in 2018, *Amazing Grace* features Aretha Franklin recording her 1972 live album at the New Temple Missionary Baptist Church backed by the Southern California Community Choir. A time of discussion over pizza and salad will follow.

Fellowship Luncheon – Tuesday, November 12 at 12 p.m. in the Erdman Room

This month, our lunch menu is roasted chicken and potatoes with meringues topped with fruit and whipped cream for dessert. For reservations, contact Cathie Eyre at cdeyre@aol.com or 973-635-6044. To help her with planning, please let her know of any dietary restrictions.

Cooking Together: Thai Food – Saturday, November 16 at 4:30 p.m. in Sheffield Hall

Enjoy an evening of cooking and learning about Thai foods. Space is limited and RSVPs are required. The cost is \$40 per person. Visit the What's Up Table to sign up.

Cook Book Sale – Visit the What's Up Table

Circle 11 has reprinted copies of their 1960s cook book! This little gem is only \$3 and all proceeds will go towards local missions.

Jan's Closet – Now Accepting Donations

New or gently used clothes and shoes are needed for our clothing bank Jan's Closet. Men's clothes are especially in-demand. Please drop off your donations at the Parish House during weekday office hours.

WELCOME

We are a historic church, part of a historic denomination, and we celebrate this history while exploring ways to bring passion and freshness to our worship and congregational life. Join us as we seek to discover

Fresh Traditional ways to **proclaim, gather, and nurture**, all toward continuing Jesus Christ's earthly ministry of building God's Kingdom.

Visiting with Children?

- **Activity materials** for young worshippers are located in the vestibule by Howard House.
- **Infant and child care** is provided in Howard House during the service, the building to the right of the sanctuary.
- **Restrooms:** Please accompany children (under age 10) to the restrooms. (Located through the left front door.)

Special Needs?

- **Feel free to ask** ushers and greeters for assistance if you have any questions or special needs. **Large print bulletins** are available from the ushers in the Narthex at the back of the church.

Please come again

- **Sunday Schedule:**
 - 8:00 a.m. Worship with Communion in the Chapel
 - 8:30 a.m. Adult Education Seminar at 65 South Street
 - 8:45 a.m. Children's Sunday School at 65 South Street
 - 10:00 a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary



The Presbyterian Church in Morristown

Sanctuary and Chapel: 57 East Park Place,

Parish House and Offices: 65 South Street,

Morristown, NJ 07960

(973) 538-1776 www.pcmorristown.org