



SEQUOYAH HILLS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 A.M.
WORSHIP SERVICE 8:30 and 11:00 A.M.

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY February 24, 2019

GATHERING

WELCOME

Rev. Rachel Hamburger

PRELUDE

Gymnopédie
Tina Erickson, flugelhorn

Erik Satie

OPPORTUNITIES FOR DISCIPLESHIP

MOMENT FOR MISSION

Andrew Attia

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: This is the day the Lord has made.

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

* HYMN OF PRAISE #293 *This Is My Father's World*

TERRA BEATA

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*in unison*)

Rev. Mark Lampley

Our Father, forgive us for thinking small thoughts of you and for ignoring your immensity and greatness. Lord Jesus, forgive us when we forget that you rule the nations and our small lives. Holy Spirit, we offend you in minimizing your power and squandering your gifts. We confess that our blindness to your glory has resulted in shallow confession, tepid conviction, and only mild repentance. Have mercy upon us. In Jesus' name. Amen.

* ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* ACT OF PRAISE #478, vs. 1 (*Congregation sings.*)

LAUDA ANIMA

**Praise, my soul, the King of heaven: to His feet thy tribute bring;
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, evermore His praises sing:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.**

* PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

(During flu season, you are welcome to touch elbows!)

THE WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME

(As the children come forward, the congregation shall sing "Jesus Loves Me!")

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to Him belong, they are weak, but He is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

(Children age four through first grade meet Children & Worship greeters. Children should be picked up below the Sanctuary after the service.)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (11:00)

Susan Hyde

FIRST READING Mark 9:2-8

Pew Bible, p. 44

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SOLO (8:30)

How Great Thou Art
Lindsey Fuson, soprano

arr. Mark Hayes

ANTHEM (11:00)

One Faith, One Hope, One Lord
SHPC Chancel Choir and Tina Erikson, trumpet

Craig Courtney

SECOND READING Numbers 9:15-23

Pew Bible, p. 127

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

"The Cloud"

Rev. Rachel Hamburger

HYMN #322 (seated)

Spirit of the Living God

LIVING GOD

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me;

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.

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

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.

RESPONDING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / 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.

THE OFFERING

*Attendance registers are in the pews, next to the center aisle.
Please sign and pass them on to the person sitting next to you.*

OFFERTORY

Te Deum
Tina Erickson, trumpet

Marc-Antoine Charpentier

* DOXOLOGY (*Congregation sings.*)

**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.**

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

SENDING

* HYMN OF DEDICATION #281 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* CWM RHONDDA

* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

arr. Diane Bish

Prayer is available after worship at the front of the Sanctuary.

*Large-print bulletins, Bibles, hymnals, and assisted-listening devices
(Bluetooth and t-coil compatible) are available upon request.*

*Lightweight shawls are hanging on the coat rack for
anyone who would like a little extra warmth.*

*Ushers are available to assist you with these items.
Please let us know how we can further assist you.*

*If you feel the Spirit of God moving you to affirm your faith in Jesus, please speak to a
pastor following the Service or contact one this week at the church.*

May applause resound in our hearts as we ascribe to the Lord the glory of His Name!

** Please stand if you are able.*

CALENDAR

TODAY

- 8:30 A.M. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 9:30 A.M. - Confirmation Class (The Loft)
- Sunday School (see CE brochure)
- 10:30 A.M. - Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 11:00 A.M. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 6:30 P.M. - Middle School Sunday Night Fellowship (The Loft)

MONDAY

- 10:00 A.M. - Staff Meeting (Fowler Conference Room)
- Sit and Be Fit Exercise (The Loft)
- 11:15 A.M. - Yoga Class (The Loft)
- 3:00 P.M. - Monday Movie Matinee (Media Room)
- 6:00 P.M. - Grief Care (Room 320)
- 6:30 P.M. - Disciple I Small Group (The Loft)

TUESDAY

- 6:45 P.M. - Deacon Meeting (Room 322)

WEDNESDAY

- 10:30 A.M. - Wednesday Bible Study (Fowler Conference Room)
- 4:30 P.M. - Joyful Praise Choir (Upper Conference Room)
- Joyful Noise Choir (Children & Worship Room)
- 5:15 P.M. - Wednesday Night Fellowship (Barron Hall)
- 6:00 P.M. - Dr. Eason's Bible Study (Barron Hall)
- Young Women's Bible Study (Fowler Conference Room)
- Infant/Toddler Childcare (Room 204)
- Preschool/Elementary Childcare (Media Room)
- Youth Small Groups (The Loft)
- 7:00 P.M. - Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

THURSDAY

- 10:00 A.M. - Sit and Be Fit Exercise (The Loft)
- 11:15 A.M. - Yoga Class (The Loft)

FRIDAY

- 7:00 A.M. - Men's Bible Studies (various locations)
- 9:30 A.M. - Beginner's Tai Chi (Barron Hall)
- 10:00 A.M. - Tai Chi (Barron Hall)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ARE YOU A VISITOR WITH US TODAY? We are delighted that you are here. If you would like more information about Sequoyah Hills Presbyterian Church, please speak to an usher or visit our website at www.sequoyahchurch.org.

PRINTED COPIES OF PREVIOUS SERMONS are available in the back of the Sanctuary and in the church office. Sermons and recorded Worship Services are available on the church website under the Sermons & Media tab.

WE WELCOME TO TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICES Tina Erickson, Lecturer of Trumpet at the University of Tennessee.

SMALL GROUPS FOSTER DISCIPLESHIP AND FELLOWSHIP, so register now for a short-term group in March and April: Mondays 5:30 to 6:30 P.M. video and Bible study *He Chose the Nails: What God Did to Win Your Heart* led by Mark Lampley; Thursdays 7:30 to 8:30 A.M. *The Daniel Plan: 40 Days of a Healthier Life* led by Rosemary Gilliam and Becky Guyton; Wednesdays 6:00 to 7:00 P.M. New Testament Gospel Parables large-group presentation and discussion led by clergy; and Wednesdays 6:00 to 7:00 P.M. women's study *Following God by Treasuring His Wisdom* led by Erin Saunders. Registration available after worship in the Bell Tower, at Wednesday Night Fellowship, or by calling 522-9804.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR OUR HABITAT BUILD: Please consider helping build a home for a local family. Registration is available in the Bell Tower or on the main page of the church website.

MONDAY MOVIE MATINEE is tomorrow at 3:00 P.M. in the Media Room. This month's movie is "The Old Man and the Gun" featuring Robert Redford and Sissy Spacek. Free refreshments will be provided. Bring a friend.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP features hamburgers, baked beans, chips, salad, and dessert. The serving line is open from 5:15 to 6:00 P.M.

DR. EASON'S BIBLE STUDY continues on Wednesday in Barron Hall at 6:00 P.M. He will explore the texts that will be the source of the upcoming Sunday sermon. All ages welcome. Hope you will join us!

PASTORS' PICKS are on display and ready for check-out in the church library.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO HELP UNLOAD the Second Harvest truck at the West Knoxville Fish Pantry on Tuesday, February 26, at 10:00 A.M. Contact Denise Anderson at 368-8005 to volunteer.

ATTENTION, ALL WOMEN: Every other year our women gather on-site for a mini-retreat. Join us for a Lunch and Learn on Sunday, March 10, from 12:15 to 2:00 P.M. in Barron Hall. Following a warm lunch and fellowship, Hanley Roach will speak on anxiety and depression and ways to offer help and hope. Lunch is \$5 and childcare is available with reservation. RSVP at 522-9804. Contact Chandra Becker, Women's Ministries Chair, at 214-499-7532 with any questions.

THE DEACONS OF SEQUOYAH HILLS are calling every member of the church between now and Easter simply to find out where you are in life and how you are doing. We hope you will take this call. Just hearing from you will be invaluable.

HELP IS NEEDED sorting through the abundant donations recently received at KARM Stores. If you could help on a Saturday in February or March, contact Dan Gaubas at 356-2475.

COLLEGE STUDENT DISASTER RELIEF WORK GROUP: Knoxville Fellows is helping organize a group heading to Panama City Beach area in Florida for disaster assistance work March 16 through 22. Contact Rick Kuhlman at 250-5479. If you'd be interested in possibly going with SHPC the following week, call 522-9804.

JOIN AN ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS: (1) Chapel – Acts; (2) Spitzer Room 322 – John Ortberg's *All the Places We Will Go*; (3) Spitzer Room 320 – 2 Peter; (4) Spitzer Room 318 – Book of John; (5) Spitzer Room 317 – Life of Jesus through Gospels. All are welcome to attend any class at any time.

DELICIOUS, HEALTH-ENHANCING HOLY LAND OLIVE OIL is available for purchase. The oil, produced by Palestinian farmers, is extra virgin, certified organic, and fair trade. The oil (\$15 per 500ml bottle or \$168 for twelve bottles) is available by contacting Sherry Shepherd at 621-5073 or chshepherd4@aol.com.

AFTER EACH WORSHIP SERVICE two members of our Lay Prayer Team are available at the front of the Sanctuary to pray with and for you. ". . . *pray for one another, so that you may be healed.*" James 5:16

THIS SUNDAY'S VOLUNTEERS: Greeter – Andy Cheadle; Ushers – Ned Babb, Joe Bruner, Sandy Gillespie, Beau Hannifin, Lee Hyde, Vance Link, Jim Mitchell, Jerry Sinclair, Judd Spitzer, and Beth Sterchi. January Flowers – Midge Ayres, Sunny Biden, Victoria Frazier, Adrienne McPeake, Mary Annie McPeake, and Ashley Stamper.

IN THE NURSING HOMES AND ASSISTED-LIVING CENTERS: Arbor Terrace – Donna Stevens; Avenir Memory Care – Barbara Knoph; Elmcroft – Mamie Vohs; NHC

Farragut – Barbara Patterson; Northshore Senior Living – Phyllis Marks; Park Place of West Knoxville – Jim Patteson; Westmoreland – Betty Benson and Pat Gray.



A Stephen Ministry Congregation

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