

### OUR MISSION

*In response to the profound love of God through Jesus Christ toward all, we welcome everyone to join us as we study and proclaim the gospel, seek the will of God, grow in spiritual maturity, share our resources, and respond in service to the needs of our members and our neighbors.*

### ORDER FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

Sunday, August 19, 2018 10:00 AM

13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Peach Sunday

### WE GATHER IN THE LORD'S NAME

PRELUDE "Shout to the Lord" by Darlene Zschech Matthew J. Russell

WELCOME AND SHARING OUR LIFE TOGETHER IN MINISTRY

WE GREET ONE ANOTHER IN CHRIST

INTROIT "Thy Word" by Amy Grant Praise Choir

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

CALL TO WORSHIP IN UNISON

**We are in the mind of God; hour after hour, day after day, and year after year. We are in the heart of God; all the days of our lives and in life beyond this life. We are also a part of the character of the world; not as bystanders or observers, but as essential reflectors of God's light. We build up the human community by proclaiming that all glory, honor, majesty, dominion, power, authority, and praise belongs to God and to God alone. Let our worship be a reflection of our proclamation!**

\*HYMN "All Creatures of Our God and King" Red Hymnal No. 23

### WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**God of wisdom, we love Your Word in scripture. It is a guide, comfort and inspiration. Blow Your Spirit on the pages we read today and enliven them with Your goodness, Your love, and Your humor. Open the eyes of our hearts so that we may understand Your will for Your church. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT Isaiah 40:28-31 Pew Bible, OT, p. 668

ANTHEM "How Great Thou Art" by S Hine, P Baloche, arr. Dan Galbraith Praise Choir

NEW TESTAMENT Hebrews 11:1, 6 Pew Bible, NT, p. 225

*I Love You Lord, and I lift my voice to worship You, O my soul, rejoice! Take joy my King, in what You hear; may it be a sweet, sweet sound in Your ear. (Repeat) (pg. 85 red hymnal)*

SERMON "Automated Faith ?" Rev. Stephany D. Graham

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

HYMN "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" Red Hymnal No. 419

### WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

OFFERING

\*The Doxology No. 592

\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING (In Unison)

**Wonderful God, You created us in Your own image and called Your creation good. As we ponder Your mystery and Your loving intentions for us, help us to value all that You have allowed us to have and share. Help us to reflect Your love by the way we live and serve each day. Amen.**

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Forgive us gracious God when we forget to praise You, and instead turn Your love into legalism, and Your freedom into bondage. Forgive us God of unconditional acceptance, when we turn Your promises and gifts into demands and duties. Forgive us impartial Lord, when we shrink from our identity and prefer to make Your church an exclusive club. Forgive us as we acknowledge our weaknesses and turn our hearts back to Your truth. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

God of font and flowing water, God of Cup and Open Table, we come to You knowing that we belong. We come knowing that we are welcomed to meet Christ who stands with open arms. Amazing Love, touch us with Your blessing and grant us the courage to live in the assurance of Your unmerited favor.  
**People: In Jesus Christ we are reconciled and forgiven. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

### WE GO INTO THE WORLD TO SERVE

\*HYMN "I Am Thine, O Lord" Red Hymnal No. 408

DANCE MINISTRY God's Disciples

\*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE "Lord I Lift Your Name On High" by R Founds Praise Choir

POSTLUDE "Worthy of Worship" by TW York & M Blankenship Matthew J. Russell

\*Please stand if you are able.

### SERVICE TO OUR LORD AND HIS CHURCH

CLERK OF SESSION: Elder Charlene Woods; LITURGIST: Dick Crawford; GREETER: Deacon Marilyn Tropiano; USHERS: Robert Kalmer; DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY: Matthew J. Russell; PRAYER CHAIN: Philena Bolden; COFFEE HOUR: Congregational Life; FLOWERS: The flowers in the Memorial Vase are provided by Marilyn & Vincent Tropiano in loving memory of their parents. The Pink Rose is to welcome Elianna Mae Russell, born on August 3, 2018, and to congratulate her parents, Matthew and Joanna.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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Office Hours: Wed: 10AM-3PM, Thurs: 4-7PM,

On Call Friday and Saturday

<b>Sunday</b>	9:15 AM	Praise Choir Rehearsal
<b>August 19, 2018</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>Worship (with Communion)</b>
<i>13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</i>	11:30 AM	Coffee Hour (Social Hall)
<i>Peach Sunday</i>	12:00 PM-2:00 PM	Gates of Heaven Worship Service/Coffee Hour
Monday	5:00 PM-6:30 PM	Community Dinner (Social Hall)
	11:00 AM-2:00 PM	Vacation Bible Camp
	7:00 PM-9:00 PM	N.A. Meeting
Tuesday	11:00 AM-2:00 PM	Vacation Bible Camp
	6:45 PM	Fit Club (Social Hall)
	7:30 PM	Gates of Heaven
Wednesday	7:30 AM	Morning Prayer call 1.641.715.3277, 703366#
	11:00 AM-2:00 PM	Vacation Bible Camp
	6:30 PM	AA
Thursday	11:00 AM-2:00 PM	Vacation Bible Camp
	7:30 PM	“Thirsty” (Social Hall)
Friday	11:00 AM-2:00 PM	Vacation Bible Camp
	4:30 PM-8:30 PM	Youth Ministry (Social Hall)
	7:30 PM	Gates of Heaven Bible Study
Saturday	5:00 PM-8:00 PM	“Spirit Fest” (On the Grounds)
<b>Next Sunday</b>	9:15 AM	Praise Choir Rehearsal
<b>August 26, 2018</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>Worship</b>
<i>14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</i>	11:30 AM	Coffee Hour (Social Hall)
<i>Youth Sunday</i>	12:00 PM-2:00 PM	Gates of Heaven Worship Service/Coffee Hour

Flowers are needed for upcoming Sundays. Call Fay Meneses, 737-4675

Can we pray for you? Join us each Wednesday for prayer by phone.

**Pastor Stephany can be contacted for appointments or emergencies at: 410.493.6748**

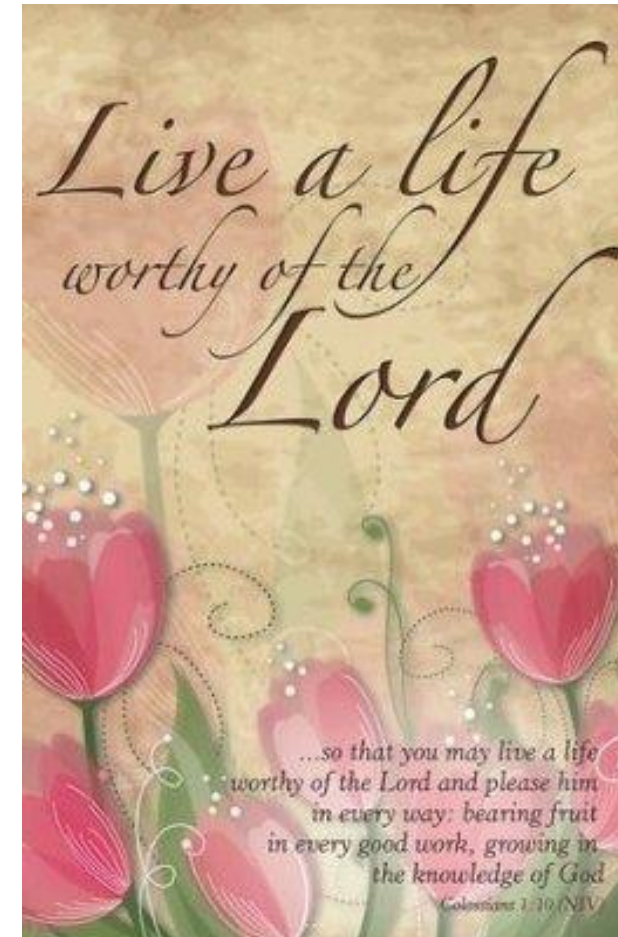
### Vision Statement

The Peekskill Presbyterian Church is a faithful and diverse community of Christians with varied backgrounds, ethnicities, talents, and ages. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we are committed to nurturing individual and corporate faith through: *Vibrant Worship; Committed Stewardship; Relationship Building Fellowship; Mission Focused Discipleship; and Servant Leadership.*

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*Welcome to the*  
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*Praying, Serving and Sharing Together*  
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