

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, September 16, 2018 10:00 AM
17th Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER IN THE LORD'S NAME

PRELUDE "Revive Us, O Lord" by J Mohr & R Dennis, arr L Evans Matthew J. Russell

WELCOME AND SHARING OUR LIFE TOGETHER IN MINISTRY

WE GREET ONE ANOTHER IN CHRIST

INTROIT "You Are My All in All" by Dennis Jernigan Praise Choir

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: How lovely is Your dwelling place, O God! My soul longs for Your courts; my heart and soul sing in Your presence.

People: I love the habitation of Your house, and the place where Your glory dwells.

Leader: In the great congregation, I will bless You. I will praise You for as long as I live.

People: I will call to mind Your deeds, O God; yes, I will remember Your wonders of old.

All: Your way is holy, there is no god so great! Let us worship God!

*HYMN "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" Red Hymnal No. 446

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

All: Lord open our eyes to undiscovered secrets in Your Word. We thank You that in Your transcendence and hiddenness You have made Yourself known through revelation. We thank You that despite the limitation and fallibility of human language, You have it made it possible for divine revelation to be expressed through human stories and experiences. Inspire us through Your Spirit. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT Psalm 42:7-8 Pew Bible, OT, p. 515

ANTHEM "10,000 Reasons" by Matt Redman Praise Choir

NEW TESTAMENT Luke 5: 1-11 Pew Bible, NT, p. 62

DANCE MINISTRY God's Disciples

All: Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto You, Alleluia, Alleluia. Ask and it shall be given unto You, seek and ye shall find; knock and the door shall be opened unto You, Alleluia, Alleluia

SERMON "Deeper Water" Rev. Stephany D. Graham

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

HYMN "Lord, You Have Come To The Lakeshore" Red Hymnal No. 347

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

OFFERING

*The Doxology No. 592

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING (In Unison)

Thank You, O Lord our God, for all that You have done to sustain us. In a world where many are lonely, we thank You for our friendships. In a world where many are captive, we thank You for our freedom. In a world where many are hungry, we thank You for Your provision. We pray that You will enlarge our sympathy, deepen our compassion, and give us grateful hearts. Thank You above all else for Your beloved Son Jesus Christ; for his life, his mission, his teaching, his suffering, his death and his resurrection. Amen.

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God, whose costly life in the world often challenges our small ideas about what it means to be Your people, we make our confessions before You. We have become so engrossed in our many activities that it has been a long time since we stopped to ask whether our gods have become false gods.

We have become so confident at Your table that we have not searched our lives to see whether we are excluding the very people who need You most. Forgive us, O God; forgive us. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

Pastor: God gives us a future, daring us to go into dreams and dangers; a path unknown in the Spirit's power. We must leave behind us the sins of yesterday, for God's new beginning is a better way. Fear and doubt and habit must not hold us back: God gives hope, and insight, and the strength we lack. The Spirit will teach us how to read the signs, how to meet the challenges of our troubled times, love us into action, and stir us into prayer, till we choose God's life and find our future there.

All: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Adapted from, *Songs for a Hopeful Church* by Elizabeth Smith

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

WE GO INTO THE WORLD TO SERVE

*HYMN "Open My Eyes, That I May See" Red Hymnal No. 480

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE "Fill My Cup" by Isaiah Jones, Jr Praise Choir

POSTLUDE "Great Is The Lord" by MW Smith & DD Smith, arr L Evans Matthew J. Russell

*Please stand if you are able.

SERVICE TO OUR LORD AND HIS CHURCH

LITURGIST: Jacob Mercado, Amari Rooms; GREETER: Deacon Nancy Horton; USHERS: Julianna Asare and Manny Asare; DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY: Matthew J. Russell; PRAYER CHAIN: Philena Bolden; COFFEE HOUR: Carole Apolinario & Nancy O'Hare; FLOWERS: The flowers in the Memorial Vase are provided by Marjory Trainor for Andy.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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

On Call Friday and Saturday

Sunday	9:15 AM	Praise Choir Rehearsal
September 16, 2018	10:00 AM	Worship (with Communion)
<i>17th Sunday after Pentecost</i>	11:30 AM	Coffee Hour (Social Hall)
	12:00 PM-2:00 PM	Gates of Heaven Worship Service/Coffee Hour
	5:00 PM-6:30 PM	Community Dinner (Social Hall)
Monday	7:00 PM-9:00 PM	N.A. Meeting
Tuesday	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#
	1:00 PM	Ladies Bridge (at E. Brown's)
	6:30 PM	AA
	7:00 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	8:00 PM	Praise Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	7:00 PM	Session Meeting (Library)
	7:00 PM	Head Start Parents Meeting (Social Hall)
Friday	12:00 PM	Women of HOPE Pot Luck Luncheon (Social Hall)
	4:30 PM-8:30 PM	Youth Ministry (Social Hall)
	7:30 PM	Gates of Heaven Bible Study
Saturday	9:00 AM-3:00 PM	Mission Food Drive (Stop & Shop)
	6:00 PM	"Spirit Talk" (New Worshipping Center)
Next Sunday	9:15 AM	Praise Choir Rehearsal
September 23, 2018	10:00 AM	Worship (with Communion)
<i>Back to Church Sunday</i>	11:30 AM	Coffee Hour (Social Hall)
<i>Apple Fest</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.*

Save the Date

October 13, 2018 – Saturday, 6:00 PM, "Spirit Talk" (Visual Arts), New Worshipping Center
 October 16 & 30, 2018 – Tuesday, All Day, Photos for new directory by appointment, Social Hall
 October 27, 2018 – Saturday, 8:30 AM-12:00 PM, Work Bee, Cleaning Chandeliers/Painting
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