



Hopewell Reformed Church
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*denotes, if possible, please stand

We Approach God

Prelude

Introit

I Come With Joy
by Brian Wren
Traditional American

*Call To Worship

One: Praise the Lord! Sing to God a new song.

**All: As long as we live we will sing aloud
God's praises in the assembly of the faithful.**

One: Let God's children be glad, let all God's children rejoice!

**All: With our whole being we will sing
and dance giving praise to the God of
our salvation.**

*Salutation and Greeting

*Opening Hymn No. 22

Come, We That Love the Lord

Opening Prayer

Choral Response (SEE BELOW)

From All That Dwell Below the Skies
Psalm 117/William Billings

CONGREGATION PLEASE JOIN IN SINGING

Children's Message

Offering

Offertory Anthem

Give Thanks to God On High
by Timothy Dudley-Smith/K. Lee Scott
Chancel Choir

CONGREGATION PLEASE JOIN IN
SINGING VERSES 3 AND 4 (next page)

FROM ALL THAT DWELL BELOW THE SKIES

Psalm 117
Isaac Watts, 1674-1748

William Billings, 1746-1800
New England Psalm Singer

1.



From all that dwell be - low the skies,

2.



Let the Cre - a - tor's praise a - rise;

3.



Let the Re - deem - er's name be sung,

4.



Through ev - ery land by ev - ery tongue.

Give Thanks to God on High

Timothy Dudley-Smith

BLUFF PARK

K. Lee Scott

Stanzas 1-4



Choir: 1. Give thanks to God on high for saints of oth - er
Choir: 2. Their vi - sion long - ful-filled, our prayer is still the
All: 3. New tasks to - day are ours who serve a world in
All: 4. Give thanks to God on high for all the fu - ture



days, whose hope it was to live and die in
same: up - on their work of faith to build, their
pain, new calls to chal - lenge all our pow'rs of
sends, in praise of Christ to live and die who



love's con - sum - ing blaze, for Christ and His
word of truth pro - claim, for Christ and His
heart and hand and brain, for Christ and His
calls His ser - vants friends, for Christ and His



king - dom, His glo - ry and His praise, for
king - dom, and for His ho - ly name, for
king - dom, while life and breath re - main, for
king - dom, whose glo - ry nev - er ends, for



Christ and His king - dom, His glo - ry and His praise.
Christ and His king - dom, and for His ho - ly name.
Christ and His king - dom, while life and breath re - main.
Christ and His king - dom, whose glo - ry nev - er ends!

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***Doxology** (SUNG IN UNISON)

**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.**

Offertory Prayer RESPONSIVE

One: Lord, we bring gifts to you this morning out of gratitude for everything you have given to us. We are grateful that you have called us to yourself and marked us with the image of the cross.

All: Help us to engage the world through our gifts. Help us to be Christ as we reach out with the gospel message, as we share in missions, as we use this facility to enhance our ministry.

All: Amen

Hymn No. 442

O Come to Me, the Master Said

We Hear God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: 1 Peter 2: 9-17 (NRSV)

⁹ But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. ¹⁰ Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy. ¹¹ Beloved, I urge you as aliens and exiles to abstain from the desires of the flesh that wage war against the soul. ¹² Conduct yourselves honorably among the Gentiles, so that, though they malign you as evildoers, they may see your honorable deeds and glorify God when he comes to judge.

¹³ For the Lord's sake accept the authority of every human institution, whether of the emperor as supreme, ¹⁴ or of governors, as sent by him to punish those who do wrong and to praise those who do right. ¹⁵ For it is God's will that by doing right you should silence the ignorance of the foolish. ¹⁶ As servants of God, live as free people, yet do not use your freedom as a pretext for evil. ¹⁷ Honor everyone. Love the family of believers. Fear God. Honor the emperor.

Message

**Jesus for President:
A Peculiar Party**
Pastor Mark Mast

We Respond to God

Prayer of Confession (UNISON)

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

Silent Prayer

Words of Assurance

Communion

Communion Anthem

In Communion With Me

by Mary McDonald and Linda Serino
Chancel Choir

Prayers of The People

Lord's Prayer (spoken in unison)

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.

All Saints Remembrance

Opening Sentences from Hebrews 12:1

One: Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely,

All: and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us.

Remembering with Gratitude

Prayer of Thanksgiving

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

One: God of the ages, we praise you for all your servants, who have done justice, loved mercy, and walked humbly with their God. For apostles and martyrs and saints of every time and place, who in life and death have witnessed to your truth,

All: we praise you, O God.

One: For all your servants who have faithfully served you, witnessed bravely and died in faith, who are still shining lights in the world,

All: we praise you, O God.

One: For those we have known and loved, for teachers and students, colleagues and friends, for parents and grandparents, husbands and wives, brothers and sisters, for all who by their faithful obedience and

steadfast hope have shown the same mind that was in Christ Jesus,

All: we praise you, O God.

One: Keep us grateful for their witness, and, like them, eager to follow in the way of Christ. Then at last, bring us together to share in the inheritance of the saints in light;

All: through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen

***Closing Hymn # 751**
For All the Saints

***Benediction**

***Benediction Response**

Christ Is the King
Text: George Bell
Tune: Gelobt Sei Gott
CONGREGATION PLEASE JOIN IN SINGING:

**Christ is the King! O friends, rejoice:
Brothers and sisters, with one voice
Let the world know he is your choice.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

Postlude

TODAY'S ASSISTANTS:

Greeters: Cheryl & Randy Federighi

Ushers: Carl & Karen Nuessle, Ann Hack, Stu Silvern.

Liturgist: KC Schuster

Coffee Hosts: Tony & Maryann Congi

Communion Servers: Dave Barlow, George Blasch, Bob Merillat, Harry Miller, Sam Patton, Stephanie Patton, Henry Mikhail.

ARTS & WORSHIP
Sherri Hondorp, Director

The flowers that beautify the sanctuary this morning are given by Kevin & Cyndy Warren in honor of their parents.

If you would like to give flowers in memory of or in honor of someone, please sign up on the flower chart at the "Get in the Game" kiosk. Please be sure to mark "T" if you are taking the flowers home following the second service, or "L" if you are leaving them for a shut-in. You are responsible for ordering and delivering the flowers. Please call Judy Phillips (221-2361) with any questions.

Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart: Next Sunday, **November 2nd**, Pastor Taylor will begin a new series on gratitude, "Radical Gratitude". One of the intentions of this series is to bring us the opportunity to exercise gratitude. Each Sunday we will focus on an area of our lives to express gratitude:

Nov. 9 *Gratitude for God's Creation and Nature; "Breathing Thanks"*

Nov. 16 *Gratitude for Life; "Living Thanks"*

Nov. 23 *Gratitude for Gifts; "Giving Thanks"*

The series will conclude on Wednesday, Nov. 26 at 7:30 for our **Thanksgiving Eve service**. We will celebrate all of God's goodness with communion, as we express gratitude for the over-flowing gift of grace, mercy and redemption through God's Son, Jesus Christ. It will be a special, and unique service that will add deeper meaning to your Thanksgiving holiday.

As a part of this series, on Nov. 9, each member will be presented with a Gratitude Journal. Some of our members have graciously written testimonials of thankfulness that will be shared within the pages. The journal will also encourage each of us to exercise our own gratitude.

Please join us for this special series as we grow in gratitude together.

Little Lambs Choir: The Little Lambs Choir needs a larger flock! Please consider having you child experience singing with the cutest choir this side of the Mississippi. It is for children pre-school age through kindergarten. The director is Tricia Hanna, and she can be reached at 244-7352, or email at thanna@pvcisd.org. The choir sings about four times each year and rehearses Sunday between services, the 3-4 weeks before singing. You can find them in Room B. They will sing Nov 16 –and rehearsals are taking place, so come join the fun!

OPERATIONS
Karen Gomba, Director

TURKEY SUPPER
NOVEMBER 8, 2008
4:30 - 7:00 PM

TURKEY SUPPER SIGNUP: Please sign up to volunteer for working on the Turkey Supper. We need a lot of volunteers. Sign up is in the fellowship hall between services and after the 10:30 service. Call Donna Bernstein at 592-1029 or Paula Engel 226-7517, if you have any questions.

TURKEY SUPPER TICKETS: Tickets are on sale **TODAY** in the fellowship hall. You can purchase them or make reservations. Call Carol Bean at 223-3766.

MISSING BASKETS: We are missing a lot of bread baskets from the kitchen. They have been missing for a few weeks. Please return them, as we need them for the Turkey Supper.

OUTREACH
Mark Mast, Director

2ND ANNUAL SQUARE DANCE: Join us on **Saturday, November 15**, from 7:30 PM to 9:30 PM (Cost is \$10 per person) at Tymor Park Hall. No need to know how to dance or to have a partner! The Square Dance caller will lead beginners and experienced alike through the easy steps of square dancing. Recommended for children ages 8 - 88. Tickets will be available for purchase on November 2 and November 9 in the fellowship hall during coffee hour. For more information, call Linda Smith at 226-8263 or email her at mom4smith@yahoo.com

CALLING ALL TECHIES! Are you interested in learning how you can use your skills to minister to others? The video team is looking for additional members to tape and edit our Sunday morning services. Training and coaching are free, the rewards are priceless! Please contact Jeff Gerlach at 896-0821 or at tgerlach@verizon.net.

GAME BALL RECIPIENT: Last Sunday, the game ball was given to Julie Cordisco to recognize her many years of service to the music program, from acting as the Music Team leader to being an integral part of the Chancel Choir, Praise Choir, and the Gatherings service. Thanks Julie for all you do!

LOVE INC CONCERT: Love, INC (In the Name of Christ) will be presenting their first annual inter-church Choir Fest on Saturday, **November 8** at 7:00 PM at the Poughkeepsie United Methodist Church. Participating will be a bell choir, praise dance, youth choir, adult choir and more. A free-will offering will be taken. For more information, see www.mid-hudsonloveinc.org.

INVITATION TO HEAR MISSIONARIES: We would like to invite you all to come and listen to Kevin and Robin Froelich (daughter and son-in-law of Rich and Faye Lotze), a fascinating missionary family who have recently returned from a trip to China where they were able to minister to those effected by the earthquakes. The Froelichs are currently working with Youth With a Mission and have a passion to reach the peoples of the world with the message of Christ. The purpose for their visit is to build up their support team and they would love to meet anyone interested in hearing of their work and possibly partnering with them. We will meet at the home of Mauricio and Shauna La Borde from 6:30pm to 8:30pm, **November 21st**. Address: 13 Lynbrook Rd., Poughkeepsie, Phone: 845-471-7696, light refreshments will be served. .

SPIRITUAL GROWTH
Randy Prentiss, Director

4TH/5TH GRADE GAME NIGHT: 4th and 5th graders are invited to a game night on **November 1st** from 6:30-8:00 in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a friend and a snack to share. Sign up at the "Get in the Game" kiosk.

DONATE YOUR "EXTRA"

HALLOWEEN CANDY: The Tuesday night Christcare group will be collecting halloween candy to send to our soldiers. We will have pick up buckets in the fellowship hall during services on **November 2nd**. The last day for drop offs at the Bright Beginnings classroom is **Tuesday, November 4th**. **DONATIONS** for **SHIPPING** will be gladly accepted. Also, if anyone has an address of a soldier please e-mail to Nancy Geysen @ Lab2puppies@aol.com.

WOMEN'S GUILD: Women's Guild will meet on **Tuesday, November 4** (Election Day) at 11:30 in the fellowship hall. We will have a brief business meeting and spiritual life presentation followed by lunch. Bring your own sandwich and our hostesses will provide desserts and beverages. Due to a family situation, our speaker from last month, Dr. Lynn Kavulich, was rescheduled to this month. Her topic will be "The Nervous System and its Effect on Aging." I hope all women will seriously consider joining us for this important topic. Bring a friend!

BARNES AND NOBLE BOOK FAIR: On Election Day, **November 4**, you can help support children in the Dominican Republic by using a coupon to make a purchase at Barnes and Noble on Rt. 9. If you present the coupon (available at the kiosk) at the time of purchase, a percentage of your sale will go towards the purchase of Spanish Bibles and educational books, which we will send to a school in the Dominican Republic. Any questions, please contact Susan Nieves at 592-0764.

CALLING ALL MEN: On **November 8** from 7:57 – 9:00 AM, there will be a Men's Breakfast. Come and hear Bernard Neufville share his faith journey. A continental breakfast will be provided.

BANK NEWS: BANK Fund Raising Team Meeting this **Sunday, October 25th** after the second service. Any questions contact Kim Goerg at Goergny@frontiernet.net,

BANK General Meeting on **November 9th**, after second service, at the youth house. Any questions contact Toni Viau at Tonisbug39@aol.com

YOUTH GROUP FUNDRAISER FOR SUMMER 2009 MISSION TRIPS: On "Black Friday", **November 28th** the youth will provide a babysitting service from 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM. You can leave the kids while you shop till you drop! Look for registration sheets at the kiosk. Contact Kim Goerg, at Goergny@frontiernet.net, for more information.

PASTORAL CARE

WE EXTEND OUR CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY to the family of Larry Wright, who passed away last week. Please keep this family in your prayers.

NEW MEMBERS GROUP: We will be meeting **this evening, November 2,** in the narthex at 5:00 PM. Pastor Prentiss will be leading the group in Pastor Holbrook's absence.



STEPHEN MINISTRY: A Great Way You Can Help a Hurting Friend - Do you have a friend, neighbor, coworker, or relative who has suffered a loss or is going through a difficult time? Here's a great way you can help them--tell them about our Stephen Ministry! Stephen Ministers are members of HRC who have received special training to provide high quality, confidential, one-to-one, Christian care to hurting people. Stephen Ministers meet weekly with their care receivers to listen, care, encourage, and provide emotional and spiritual support. (Males are matched with males, and females are matched with females.) The caring relationship lasts for as long as the person needs care. It's free, and it's a powerful way you can help a hurting friend. To learn how to connect someone you know with a Stephen Minister, talk with Pam Hansen on 221-9542 or Sara Irvin on 221-9075 Our Stephen Ministers are there to care!

YOUTH EVENTS:

November 9	Duct Tape Party 6:00 - 8:00 PM Grades 6-12	Youth House
November 15	Rock the Sound Concert	Contact Lourdes Kleid for information
November 23	Evening Worship 6:00-7:15 PM ALL ARE WELCOME	HRC Sanctuary
WEEKLY	Thursday evening prayer time 7:00 - 9:00 PM	Youth House

COMMUNITY EVENTS

ST. COLUMBA HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR: St. Columba's Craft Fair will be held at the St. Columba School Hall on **Saturday, November 8, 2008**, from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. There will be over 50 tables of handcrafted items. Also, there will be numerous raffles, a baked goods table, a treasure chest table, and much more!

ORGAN RECITAL: Donald Filkins will have an organ recital at the First Presbyterian Church in Wappingers Falls on **Saturday, November 15, 2008** at 7:00 PM. He will play Bach, Beethoven & Broadway! A free-will offering (suggested donation of \$10) will be collected. Proceeds to benefit the Organ Restoration Fund.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY: The regular monthly informational meeting will be held on **Thursday, November 6** at 7:30 PM at the Trinity United Methodist Church, South Cross Road, Lagrangeville. This meeting is for prospective families and volunteers. Join us and help to eliminate poverty housing in Dutchess County. Please call the Habitat office at 845-221-0126 for directions and further information.

Extended Care Family of the Week

Evelyn Devine
HVSF #210, 80 Washington Ave., Kingston,
NY 12401

PLEASE PRAY FOR AND SEND A GREETING TO OUR EXTENDED CARE FAMILY MEMBER.

PRAYER CORNER

Maureen McGrane; Pete Jaeger; Vincent & Crawford Roddy (Norma Roddy); Joe Luhrs (The Jackson Family), Judy Phillips (Susan), Bob Lawson (Diana Lawson), Jimmy Skellan, Peggy Sue O'Donnell (Carol Bean), Eric Tomlins (Diane Boujikian), Savanna Sergio, the Tedore family, the Pernesiglio family (Toni Viau), Tom Walker (Judy Phillips), Kathy Perez (Les Jackson); Leona Silvern (Sheryle Silvern); Dobbie Koke and Leonora Kok (Evelyn Dehn, Dorler Family (Mark MacConnell).

TO PLACE SOMEONE IN THE PRAYER CORNER, COMPLETE A GREEN PRAYER CARD AND CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX.

Sermon Notes:

HRC WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

At Hopewell Reformed Church:

The Gathering	Sundays at 8:45 AM
Foundations	Sundays at 10:30 AM

At Arlington Reformed Church:

Common Ground	Sundays at 4:00 PM
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At Tymor Park

HRC journey	Sundays at 10:00 AM
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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Su 2	8:45 AM	The Gathering	S
	9:50 AM	Cherubs Rehearsal	F
	10:00 AM	HRCjourney	OS
	10:30 AM	Foundations	S
	12:00 PM	ChristCare Training	F
	12:00 PM	BANK Fundraising Team	YH
	12:00 PM	BANK Food Team	CSR
	4:00 PM	Common Ground	ARC
	5:00 PM	New Members Group	N
	7:00 PM	Troop 48 Committee Mtg	CSR
Mo 3	7:00 PM	CC-R.Lotze	F
	9:00 AM	CC-J.Collins	F
	10:00 AM	Loving Stitches	YH
	10:00 AM	AI-Anon Serenity Group	CR
	6:30 PM	SCLS	F
	6:30 PM	CC-B.Lazzaro	OS
	7:00 PM	Stephen Ministry - PS	CR
	7:00 PM	Stephen Ministry Training	CSR
	7:00 PM	CC-M.Shenkman	OS
	7:00 PM	CC-P.Boyd	OS
Tu 4	7:00 PM	Bells of Praise	MR
	6:30 AM	CC-H.Mikhail	N
	9:00 AM	CC-P.Hansen	F
	11:30 AM	Women's Guild	FH
	3:30 PM	CC-R.Prentiss	YH
	6:45 PM	uTurn Rehearsal	YH
	7:00 PM	CC-S.Phillips	OS
	7:15 PM	CC-S.Nieves	F
	7:30 PM	AA - Carry the Message	FH
	7:30 PM	CMP	CSR

We 5	6:30 AM	CC-B.Levy	N
	7:00 AM	Elders Meeting	TWH
	9:00 AM	CC-J.Campbell	F
	9:30 AM	BB Chapel	S
	10:00 AM	Director's Meeting	TWH
	10:00 AM	Yoga	CR
	12:30 PM	CC-N.Herrmann	CSR
	1:00 PM	BB Chapel	S
	4:30 PM	Brownie Troop 10026	CR
	7:00 PM	Financial Peace Seminar	FH
Th 6	7:00 PM	CC-T.Congi	OS
	7:00 PM	Boy Scout Troop 48	YH
	7:00 PM	Bible 101	F
	8:00 AM	CC-D.Bushey	CSR
	9:00 AM	CC-J.Bushey	OS
	9:15 AM	CC-B.Brofman	F
	10:00 AM	Grounds Crew	TL
	1:00 PM	CC-B.Cassaro	F
	1:00 PM	CC-K.Gomba	CSR
	6:30 PM	CC-A.Herbert	F
Fr 7	7:00 PM	Power Hour Prayer Team	CSR
	7:00 PM	CC-J.Young	OS
	7:00 PM	CC-K.Phillips	OS
	7:00 PM	CC-C.Barclay	OS
	7:00 PM	Chancel Choir	MR
	7:00 PM	YF Prayer Meeting	YH
	7:00 PM	Support Group	TWH
	8:00 PM	AI-Anon-Hpwell Friendship	CR
	6:45 AM	CC-B.Pearson	OS
	7:30 AM	CC-T.Holbrook	OS
Sa 8	8:00 AM	Grounds Crew	TL
	9:30 AM	CC-L.Eckhardt	OS
	5:00 PM	Private Event	YH
	7:00 PM	CC-R.Rieland	OS
	7:00 PM	CC-T.Gerlach	OS
	7:30 PM	AA - Carry the Message	CR
	7:00 AM	CC-C.Davis	F
	7:30 AM	CC-T.Holbrook	OS
	7:57 AM	Men's Breakfast	CR
	8:00 AM	CPR Course	CSR
3:00 PM	Turkey Supper	FH	

CALENDAR KEY

KEY	*=Upstairs	FH	Fellowship Hall	PL	Parking Lot
A*	Room A	HS	Homeless Shelter	S	Sanctuary
ARC	Arl Ref	I*	Room I	TL	Tool Shed
CR*	Community Rm	MR*	Music Room	TP	Tymor Pk
CSR*	Consistory Rm	N	Narthex	TWH	Lead Pastor's Office
F*	Room F	OS	Off-Site	YH	Youth House