



July 3, 2022



**UNITED CHURCH
of PITTSFORD**

American Baptist & United Methodist

Worship Leader: Judi Yaneka
Guest Minister: Rev. Lawrence Hargrave
Organist/Pianist: Chen Liang

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GATHERING MUSIC

WORDS OF WELCOME

PRELUDE

March in D major

Bach

*CALL TO WORSHIP

PSALM 30 RSV

One: I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up, and did not let my foes rejoice over me.

All: O Lord my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.

One: O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit.

All: Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name.

One: For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime.

All: Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with morning.

One: As for me, I said in my prosperity, "I shall never be moved."

All: By your favor, O Lord, you had established me as a strong mountain lion; you hid your face; I was dismayed.

One: To you, O Lord, I cried, and to the Lord I made supplication:

All: What profit is there in my death, if I go down to the Pit? Will the dust praise you? Will it tell of your faithfulness?

One: Hear, O Lord, and be gracious to me! O Lord, be my helper!

All: You have turned my mourning into dancing; you have taken off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy, so that my soul may praise you and not be silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.

Unison Prayer:

Gracious God, mend our brokenness and our sadness. Give us spirits of joy and enthusiasm for service to you by serving others. Lift us and place us on your pathways of peace and hope,

**that with our lives we will witness to your redeeming love.
AMEN.**

***HYMN #728**

Come Sunday

CHILDREN'S TIME

Judi Yaneka

***HYMN #393**

Spirit of the Living God

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 10:1-11 RSV

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. ²He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. ³Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. ⁴Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. ⁵Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" ⁶And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. ⁷Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. ⁸Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; ⁹cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." ¹⁰But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, ¹¹"Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near."

Sermon

Peace to This House

***HYMN#593**

Here I am Lord

MORNING PRAYERS/ SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who are 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

GIVING OUR TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND GIFTS OF FOOD

Offertory: *Air* Haydn

* Prayer of Dedication

***Response:**

God is so Good, God is so good,
God is so good, God's so good to me.

COMMUNION (The United Methodist Publishing House C.1989)

Leader: Christ invites us to this table, asking that we truly repent, and make intention to live in love with God and our neighbors. So we now draw near with faith to take this meal even as we make our humble confession to God.

Almighty God, father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things and judge of all people: We acknowledge and are sorry for our sins in thought, word, and deed against You. We are truly sorry. Have mercy on us according to your great love that because of Jesus we might be forgiven. Grant us strength and courage that we might serve and please you in newness of life to your glory and honor. Amen.

Leader: Hear this good news. If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and will cleanse us from all that is not right within us.

Leader: The Lord be with you

All: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord

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

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

Leader: It is right and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you God almighty, creator of heaven and earth. And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

All: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth of full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Leader: Holy are you and blessed....as we proclaim the mystery of our faith.

All: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Leader: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them for us the body of Christ and that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

All: By your Spirit make us one with you O Christ, one with each other and one in ministry to all the world until you come again in the fullness of time. Amen.

You are invited to come forward to pick up your bread and cup as the piano is played. We share the bread and Cup together.

***HYMN**

Bless Be The Tie That Binds

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love; the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

Battle Hymn of the Republic

**Those who are able may stand!*

Please join us outside for Lemonade on the Lawn.

Our Guest Minister



Rev. Lawrence Hargrave

A native of Buffalo, New York, the son of the late James and Aliscena Hargrave, Rev. Hargrave was nurtured in his childhood in the Historic First Shiloh Baptist Church. He is a graduate of the University of Buffalo and Colgate Rochester Crozer Divinity School, receiving the Louis Trost Award. He retired from the Procter and Gamble Company after 27 years in Sales and Marketing. He was the host of a local jazz radio show for 16 years.

Rev. Hargrave is an ordained American Baptist minister and has served as Minister of Mission Support and Co-interim Executive Minister of the American Baptist Churches of the Rochester Genesee Region. Rev. Hargrave has been involved in Ecumenical and Interfaith work for over 25 years, receiving the American Baptist Luke Mowbry Award for his work.

Rev. Hargrave has served as pastor of the “Church on the Hill” and interim pastor of the Mt. Olivet Baptist Church. At Colgate Rochester Crozer Divinity School, he has served as Director of Alumni/ae, Church and Community Relations, Acting Dean of the Program of Black Church Studies and later, as Special Assistant to the President. He recently retired after serving three

and a half years as Pastor for Outreach and Connectional Ministries at Asbury First United Methodist Church.

Rev. Hargrave has received numerous awards for his community service including receiving the Mayors Renaissance Award (Mayor William A. Johnson), the first Rev. Raymond Graves Social Justice Award given by the Colgate Rochester Crozer Black Student Caucus, and most recently the “Making Democracy Work Award from the League of Women Voters, an Appreciation Award from the Project Exile Board and the Colgate Rochester Crozer Divinity School Distinguished Alumnus Award.

Rev. Hargrave is married to Brenda D. Lee, a winner Women of Vision Award of the Program of Women and Gender Studies of CRCDS. She recently retired as Assistant Dean of Student Services and Medical Education and Assistant Professor of Medical Humanities at the University of Rochester School of Medicine. She received the University of Rochester’s prestigious Eastman Medal in 2022.

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serving, caring, and learning together
for transformation in our world.**

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FOOD CUPBOARDS

Food donations from the first three Sundays of each month will be delivered to the Community Food Cupboard of Rochester. Donations received on the remaining Sundays will be delivered to the Pittsford Food Cupboard. See the Friday email blast for the list of items needed by each.

The Community Food Cupboard of Rochester's primary mission is to provide monthly food service to qualified seniors and emergency provisions to families in need in zip codes 14604, 14605, 14609, 14617, 14621, and 14622. Each month they serve 160 qualified seniors and 120 households with emergency needs.

The Pittsford Food Cupboard opened in March 1998 by the Pittsford Clergy Association and serves the needs of people in nine zip codes in Monroe County. In the past year, the Pittsford Food Cupboard provided food supplies to over 4,000 households, totaling over 9,400 people.

Pittsford Food Cupboard is looking for a Backroom Coordinator. Tuesday and Friday from 8:00-11:00am. Flexible schedule. Responsible for sorting donations, storing inventory and scheduling food pick-ups. Located at 3800 Monroe Ave. Door #26. For more information contact Daniel Traina at 585-208-6839 or dtraina@rochester.rr.com.