

# All Are Welcome in God's House

June 23, 2024

9:30 am

## Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

The Chimes

Welcome and Announcements

*(Persons nearest the aisles are asked to sign and pass the Act of Friendship pad toward the middle of the pew. Please keep the cover open as the pad is returned toward the aisles.)*

Prelude

*Minuet from Cello Suite No. 1*  
Josh Hadfield, Double Bass

J.S. Bach

Call to Worship

— from Isaiah 40: 21-31

They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength.

**Lord, we wait patiently in your presence.**

They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength.

**God gives power to the faint and strength to those without power.**

Lift us up!

**Lift us up!**

Make us strong!

**Make us strong!**

Help us walk!

**Help us run, make us fly!**

**They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength.**

Come, let us worship the Lord.

\*Hymn 664

*Morning Has Broken*

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Prayer of Confession

**Lord,**

**today we confess that we often live as those who have never heard of you.**

**We plan and strategize as though the outcome depended solely upon us.**

**We worry and fret like those who have no advocate.**

**Forgive us Lord, for the scheming and conniving we do to make sure that we have our own way.**

**Forgive us Lord, for grasping at power when you are the power,  
for seeking glory when all glory belongs to you,  
for not leaning upon you when we feel weak, or alone.**

**Forgive us Lord, for relying upon ourselves and other mortals  
when we should turn to you.**

**Teach us how to live more like those who belong to you  
and less like those who belong to the world.**

**Hear us as we silently confess our sin...**

*(a moment for Silent Reflection and Confession)*

*\* Those who are able, please stand  
Bolded text invites the congregation to respond*



Offertory

*Sonata in E minor (Mvt 1 & 2)*  
Josh Hadfield, Double Bass

B. Marcello

\*Congregational Response 606 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD HUNDREDTH  
**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

\*Hymn 700

*I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me*

I'M GONNA LIVE

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

*Postlude in D*

Healey Willan

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*Welcome to Worship at Doylestown Presbyterian Church!*  
*Whether in-person or joining us from home, we are glad that you are with us!*

**Assisting:** Rev. Pauline Sexton **Lay Leader:** Doug Barnett

Today we install Terry Herring as a Ruling Elder and ordain and install Kathy Maclin as a Deacon.

**In the spirit of worship**, we remind you:

- To please silence your cellphones.
- If you need to enter or exit the sanctuary during the worship service, please do so by way of the rear of the sanctuary and side aisles.
- Children are welcomed in worship. However, if your child becomes uncomfortable, feel free to use the nursery for children aged 9 months to 4.5 (just across the bridge), or the Pray-Ground (a space to watch worship while kids participate in quiet activity) in the Celtic Cross Room, located below the sanctuary. Ushers are here to assist you.

The **flowers** are given today in loving memory of Ginger Hoch, Marjorie and Ward Hoch, and Eleanor and William Steinhart by Wayne Hoch and family.

**Next Sunday**, experience something new for our church as we gather for **Laity Sunday**. What is Laity Sunday? In the Reformed Tradition of our faith, both clergy and members (laity) share together in the ministry of the church. On Laity Sunday, the entire worship service will be led by DPC members—no clergy allowed. This year's theme is "We Walk By Faith." Join together for this special worship service as we celebrate the gifts of all members.



**Let's Connect!** Do you have a Prayer Request? Would you like to share a joy or concern with the pastors, or other members of your DPC family? We want to hear from you! Visit [www.dtownpc.org](http://www.dtownpc.org) and click "Connect" at the top of the page to contact us or scan this QR code with your smart phone camera. This is also the place to learn more about our various ministries, programs, mission efforts and the many ways that you can get involved.

## **Just for Today**

By Kenneth Holmes (selections)

Just for today,

**I will try to live through this day only and not tackle my whole life problem at once.**

Just for today,

**I will adjust myself to what is and not try to adjust everyone and everything to me.**

Just for today,

**I will do somebody a good turn...and not be found out.**

Just for today,

**I will be agreeable.**

Just for today,

**I will not criticize anyone...or anything.**

Just for today,

**I won't try to improve anyone, except myself.**

Just for today,

**I will have a few moments of quiet just for myself and get a better perspective on my life.**

Just for today,

**I will enjoy what is beautiful.**

Just for today,

**I will believe that what I give to the world is far more important than what the world gives to me.**

Just for today,

**I will believe with all of my heart, mind, and soul that I am a child of God... and so is everyone I meet.**



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