8:15 AM  CHAPEL WORSHIP

WE PREPARE FOR GOD’S WORD

PRELUDE
Prelude and Fugue in E Minor, BWV 555  Johann Sebastian Bach

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER

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that we might reflect Your love to a needy world; through Jesus Christ, Our Lord.
Amen.

*HYMN 455  All Creatures of Our God and King  LASST UNS ERFREUEN

PRAYER OF CONFESSION
Merciful God, we confess that we have not followed Your way.
You call us to seek justice, yet we ignore the poor.
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* The congregation may stand.
Forgive us, God of grace.
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ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

WE LISTEN FOR GOD’S WORD

SCRIPTURE
Proverbs 1:1-7, 9:10, 3:5-6

*HYMN 282
If Thou but Trust in God to Guide Thee
WER NUR DEN LIEBEN GOTT

SERMON
The Path of Wisdom (Part Six):
Fear of the Lord

Rev. Liz Junod

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We believe in God’s resurrection created world,
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We believe in God above, beside, within,
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We believe in God.

- from the Lenten series A Journey into Wholeness by Christine Sine
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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING

*HYMN 224
Bless The Lord, My Soul and Being
RUSTINGTON

*COMMUNION

*CHARGE AND BLESSING
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9:00 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING SONGS

Nothing Like Your Love, Broken Vessels, This I Believe

Children leave to join their Sunday School small groups after the first song.

BIDDING PRAYER

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PRELUDE Selections from Works for Musical Clock Franz Joseph Haydn

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Silent prayer

KYRIE Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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*GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be; world without end. Amen.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE  Children leave to join their Sunday School small groups.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE LISTEN FOR GOD’S WORD

HYMN  Eternal Light, Shine In My Heart

E-t-e-r-nal Light, shine in my heart; e-t-e-r-nal Hope, lift up my eyes;
e-t-e-r-nal Power, be my sup-port; e-t-e-r-nal Wis-dom, make me wise.

SCRIPTURE  Proverbs 1:1-7, 9:10, 3:5-6  Cheryl Mensing

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**OFFERING**

**OFFERTORY ANTHEM**

*In Thee, O Lord*

Franz Joseph Haydn

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Bow down Thine ear unto me.
Be Thou also my guide, O Lord.
Draw me out of the net the wicked have thrown
to ensnare me, for Thou art my God.
Into Thine hands I commend my spirit.
In Thee, O Lord, have I put my trust,
for Thou hast redeemed me, O Lord,
Thou God of truth.

*DOXOLOGY*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all people here below;
praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God whom we adore. Amen.

**PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING**

**WE RESPOND TO GOD’S CALL**

*HYMN 224* Bless the Lord, My Soul and Being

*RUSTINGTON*

*CHARGE AND BLESSING*

**POSTLUDE**

Allegro

Henry Schultz

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WHAT’S HAPPENING

There’s Still Time to Sign Up for Summer Choir School
This unique summer experience, now in it 47th year, combines joyful music with faith formation and community. It runs from **August 19 to 23**, and rising 2nd to 8th graders are invited to join in the fun. Brochures are available in the Narthex, or you can register and pay by credit card at westside.org. **Deadline: August 1.** Encourage your kids to give it a try this year!

60 More Backpacks to Go!
Thanks to your incredible generosity—and Marion Strauch’s incredible shopping skills—we’ve collected 50 backpacks and supplies for Oasis in Paterson. Just 60 more to go by **August 18**! Please pick up a flyer in the Narthex today and take a trip to Staples or Five Below...or you can write a check for $35 and let us (a.k.a. Marion—thank you!) do the shopping for you.

Want to Carpool to the Earth Care Conference?
West Siders are heading to the Presbyterians for Earth Care Conference at nearby Stony Point Center on **August 7 and 8**. Carpools will be leaving the church at 8:00 am and returning by 9:00 pm (unless otherwise arranged by the carpool). The conference includes keynote speakers from across the country, faith-based environmental workshops, networking opportunities and more. For program details and to register, visit presbyearthcare.org/events. If you would like to participate in a carpool, please reach out to Sue Barbuto (ssbnj313@verizon.net).

See You at First Pres in Two Weeks
We’re worshiping at First Presbyterian Church (722 E. Ridgewood Ave.) on **August 11** at 10:00 am! Pastor Marc will be preaching, West Siders will be singing and ushering, and the service will be followed by a church picnic, with music provided by the Contemporary Worship Band. Volunteer to bring a salad or side dish by contacting Anne Lee (alee@westside.org).

Wanted: Mission Volunteers
Can you help serve lunch at **Eva’s Village** on **August 17**? We’ll meet in the church parking lot at 10:45 am, carpool to Paterson and return by 1:30 pm. If you’d like to be part of this rewarding experience, please contact Craig Matthews (craiggmatthews@aol.com or 917-952-1840).

In partnership with **Habitat for Humanity**, members of West Side, First Pres of Ridgewood and First Pres of Elmira, NY, are coming together to help build affordable homes for hard-working families in Paterson. We need 7 volunteers for **August 23** and 7 for **August 24**. We’ll meet in the West Side parking lot at 7:30 am and return by 4:15 pm. No special skills or experience are required! Please reach out to Eric Koskinen (exk150@gmail.com) for more info and to sign up.
New Fall Schedule for Children and Middle School Youth
Starting **September 12**, kids in grades K-8 will have a midweek opportunity to deepen their faith and relationships with their church friends AND enjoy the rewards of singing in a choir. Drop off your children at **4:30 pm on Thursdays** for choir and Kids Club/Middle School BARN followed by a pizza dinner. You won’t have to worry about feeding them one night a week, and they’ll enjoy fellowship and faith formation through singing, dancing, fun games, team-building activities and much more. Pick up a schedule in the Narthex, mark your calendar and join us for this exciting new program.

New Opportunity for High School Youth
Starting **September 8**, High School Choir is moving to **6:00 pm on Sundays** to give youth in grades 9-12 a chance to participate in an hour of singing before getting together at High School BARN at 7:00 pm. Singing in the choir is a terrific way for youth to connect, grow and serve at West Side. Added bonuses: It builds confidence, boosts self-esteem and improves critical-thinking skills. Studies also have shown that singing in a group relieves anxiety, lessens feelings of loneliness and contributes to overall quality of life. No experience is required...and we can work around extracurricular schedules. Questions? Please reach out to Debbi Holden-Holloway (dholden-holloway@westside.org).

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**IS THIS YOUR FIRST TIME VISITING?**

Welcome! We’re so glad you’re here. We look forward to helping you connect with others, grow more deeply in your faith and enrich your own life by serving others. Wherever you are on life’s journey, there’s a place for you at West Side.

Please stop by the visitor table located just inside the front doors, fill out a Let’s Connect card and pick up a visitor bag. And please stay after worship to enjoy coffee/tea and refreshments in the Narthex and meet our members and pastors:

Rev. Marc Oehler, pastor, moehler@westside.org
Rev. Penny Hogan, associate pastor, phogan@westside.org
Rev. Liz Junod, pastoral associate, ljunod@westside.org

To learn more about our faith community, please visit westside.org.