



## Nassau Presbyterian Church

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July 2, 2017 10:00 a.m.



## Gathering

God calls us together to offer praise, acknowledge sin,  
and celebrate our adoption as forgiven children.

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Prelude

“When We Are in Deepest Need”  
“If Thou But Trust in God To Guide Thee”

J. S. Bach

Choral Introit

“Make Your Face to Shine”

Jay Weldon Wilkey

Make your face to shine upon your servant,  
and in your loving kindness save me.  
But as for me, I trust in you, O Lord.  
I have said, “You are my God.  
My times are in your hand, O God.  
You deliver me.”

\*Call to Worship

Psalm 13:1-2

At the sign \* you may stand. Bold text is read or sung in unison.

I trusted in your steadfast love.

**My heart shall rejoice in your salvation.**

I will sing to the Lord because the Lord has dealt bountifully with me.

**We come to worship the God of steadfast love,  
the God of our salvation.**

Let us worship God!

\*Opening Hymn

“The Lord’s My Shepherd I’ll Not Want”

Hymn 801

*Hymn* indicates the red pew hymnal *Glory to God*.

Prayer of Confession

**O God, our creator,  
who gave us all that we are and have,  
release us from self-centeredness  
to be able to share what we are, what we know, what we have,  
with one another in this worship and in the world, which you love.  
In the name of Christ, who makes our witness possible. Amen.**

## Assurance of Forgiveness

Friends in Christ, hear and believe the good news of the Gospel.  
**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.**

\*Response of Praise “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

Hymn 475

Verse 1

**Come, thou Fount of every blessing; tune my heart to sing thy grace;  
streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above;  
praise the mount! I’m fixed upon it, mount of God’s unchanging love!**

## Words of Welcome



## Proclaiming the Word

We encounter the Word in speech and song  
as we interpret and expound scripture.

## Time with Children

Children, age two to rising grade two, may leave for Summer Church School classes. Teachers and ushers can assist in finding classrooms.

## Prayer for Illumination “Listen to the Word That God Has Spoken”



Lis-ten to the word that God has spo-ken; lis-ten to the



One who is close at hand; lis-ten to the voice that be-



gan cre - a - tion; lis-ten e - ven if you don't un - der - stand.

Text and music, anon. Canadian, adapt. *The Church Hymnary*, 4th ed. 2005; reprinted for convenience from *Glory to God* ©2013 Westminster John Knox Press.

First Scripture Lesson	Romans 8:31–39	pg 158
Second Scripture Lesson	Genesis 22:1–14	pg 17
Sermon	“Provision”	David A. Davis



## Thanksgiving

We respond by presenting our offerings, setting the table, lifting prayers, and praising the triune God.

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*Sermon Hymn	“If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee”	Hymn 816
Offertory	“They That Shall Endure to the End” (from <i>Elijah</i> )	Felix Mendelssohn Matthew 24:13

They that shall endure to the end shall be blessed.

### Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

We invite all followers of Jesus Christ to the table. Pass the tray to your neighbor, who will hold it for you as you receive the bread and grape juice. Cups on the bread tray hold gluten-free bread.

#### Invitation

#### Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

... Therefore we join our voices with all the saints and angels and the whole creation to proclaim the glory of your name.

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory!**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

...Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:  
**Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**

Words of Institution

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Concluding Prayer



## **Sending**

We follow the Word into the world, sent forth with  
God's blessing to lives of service and love.

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*Closing Hymn	“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”	Hymn 65
*Benediction		
Postlude	“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”	Paul Manz

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Preacher

David A. Davis

Liturgist

Andrew Scales

Time with Children

Julie Erkel Hagee

Musicians

*Summer Choir*

Noel Werner, director

Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Robert and Jane Duncan and Norman and Coranelle Sheppard, parents of Bob and Helen Duncan.

Cover

“Chalice and Cross,” a linocut by Elizabeth Steele Halstead

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# The Week Ahead

July 3 – 9

## MONDAY, JUL. 3

Office closed - Independence Day

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## TUESDAY, JUL. 4

Office closed - Independence Day

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## WEDNESDAY, JUL. 5

No scheduled events

## THURSDAY, JUL. 6

10:00 AM

*Al-Anon*

Music Room

7:30 PM

*Finance Committee*

Davis Study

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## FRIDAY, JUL. 7

7:00 AM

*Women's Early Morning*

*Bible Study*

Contact Doodie Meyer

(609-275-9647)

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## SATURDAY, JUL. 8

3:00 PM

*Joseph Hsia Violin Recital*

Sanctuary

4:00 PM

*Bethany Community Garden*

426 Hamilton Ave, Trenton

## SUNDAY, JUL. 9

Appalachia Service Project Youth

Mission Trip departure

9:00 AM

*Summer Choir*

Music Room

10:00 AM

*Worship*

Sanctuary

11:00 AM

*Fellowship*

Front Plaza

11:15 AM

*Adult Education*

Assembly Room

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## Today at Nassau

Summer Choir  
9:00 AM *Music Room*

Worship  
10:00 AM *Sanctuary*

Fellowship  
11:00 AM *Front Plaza*

Adult Education  
11:15 AM *Sanctuary*

## Welcome to Nassau Church

*Children.* Children are always welcome in our services of worship.

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers in the Nursery (Lower Level) during the service.

Summer Church School classes begin following “Time with Children.” Children ages three to four attend class in Room 07 (Lower Level). Children rising kindergarten to grade two may go to a story and activity time in Room 04 (Lower Level).

Visit the website for more information about our September-to-May Church School program.

*Order CDs of the service.* Stop by the sound room.

*Connect to our online community life.* Visit [nassauchurch.org](http://nassauchurch.org) for information and join our Facebook group for community life. Follow our Facebook page and Twitter and Instagram feeds (@nassauchurch) for news, recaps of events, and snapshots of life at Nassau.

*Connect to pastors or staff.* Contact the office.

*Online giving.* See “Give Now” on the website.

*Accessibility.* The church lot has reserved parking, and there are six reserved street spaces on Sundays. Ramp access to the building is from the parking lot. Ask an usher for an assistive hearing device, a large-print bulletin or hymnal, an accessible pew, or a wheelchair. Ushers can also direct you to the elevator to access other floors.

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