



Nassau Presbyterian Church

October 7, 2018 9:15 and 11:00 AM



Gathering

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

Prelude 9:15 AM

“Be Thou My Vision”

arr. Guy Ragan

11:00 AM

“Organ Concerto in D Minor”
Largo e spiccato

Antonio Vivaldi
arr. J. S. Bach

♦ Introit

“Give Us Light”
(India)

At the sign ♦ you may stand.



- 1 Give us light; give us light; give us light, O Lord.
- 2 Give us life; give us life; give us life, O Lord.
- 3 Grant us peace; grant us peace; grant us peace, O Lord.
- 4 Save us now; save us now; save us now, O Lord.
- 5 Give us grace; give us grace; give us grace, O Lord.

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♦ Call to Worship

Psalm 106:1, 47

Bold text is read or sung in unison.

Praise the Lord!

O give thanks to the Lord, for God is good;

God’s steadfast love endures forever.

Save us, O Lord our God,

and gather us from among the nations,

that we may give thanks to your name

and glory in your praise.

Come, people of God, let us worship God!

♦ Opening Hymn

“Come, All You People”
(Zimbabwe)

Psalter 66 B
pg 406

Psalter indicates the blue pew psalter *Psalms for All Seasons*.

Prayer of Confession

Loving God, we confess we have sinned against you by not honoring you or loving one another. When we ignore injustice in the world our worship brings you no delight. Make haste to help us, that we may stand in right relationship with you and the whole of your creation and sing your praises through the mercy of Christ, our resurrected Savior. 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

“Gloria a Dios”
(Peru)
Verse 1

Hymn 585

Hymn indicates the red pew hymnal Glory to God.

¡Gloria a Dios, gloria a Dios, gloria en los cielos!
¡Gloria a Dios, gloria a Dios, gloria en los cielos!
¡A Dios la gloria por siempre!
¡A Dios la gloria por siempre!
¡Alleluia, Amén!
¡Alleluia, Amén!

Glory to God in the highest. To God be glory forever.

Words of Welcome

Anthem 11:00 AM

“A Jubilant Song”

Victor. C. Johnson

Cantate Domino canticum novum. Lift up your voice in jubilant song!
Cantate Domino canticum novum. Lift up your voice, sing and rejoice, alleluia!
O let your heart sing a jubilant new song, and let your spirit be glad!
Come let us raise a song of praise. Alleluia!

Setting the Table

9:15 There is no regular Church School today. Families are welcome to continue worshipping together in this special World Communion Sunday service. Children age two to grade one may go to a Bible story and craft time in Room 07 (Lower Level). 11:00 Children age four to grade three may leave for Worship Explorers in Room 302.



Proclaiming the Word

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

Prayer for Illumination

**God of all wisdom,
give us your Word
and send us your Spirit
so that we may know Christ. Amen.**

Psalm	“El Señor es mi pastor/My Shepherd Is the Lord” (South America) Refrain – all, Verses – choir	Psalter 23 I pg 142
Gospel Lesson	Mark 6 : 30–44	pg 41
Sermon	“5 + 2 = 5,000”	David A. Davis



Thanksgiving

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

♦ Sermon Hymn	“Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken” (Appalachian Folk Tune)	Hymn 498
Offertory	“Psalm 23” (United States)	Bobby McFerrin Psalm 23, adapt.

The Lord is my shepherd, I have all I need.
She makes me lie down in green meadows.
Beside the still waters she will lead. She restores my soul; she rights my wrongs.
She leads me in a path of good things, and fills my heart with songs.
Even though I walk through a dark and dreary land,
there is nothing that can shake me.
She has said she won’t forsake me. I’m in her hand.
She sets a table before me in the presence of my foes.
She anoints my head with oil, and my cup overflows.

Surely goodness and kindness will follow me all the days of my life,
and I will live in her house forever and ever.
Glory be to our creator, and to her Son, and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

We invite all followers of Jesus Christ to the table. Communion will be served by intinction at several stations in the church. All bread is gluten-free, and the chalices contain grape juice.

Invitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Chants from Taizé, France

Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and never be hungry.

Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and you will not thirst.

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

In the Lord, I'll be ever thankful. In the Lord, I will rejoice.

Look to God, do not be afraid. Lift up your voices, the Lord is near.

Lift up your voices, the Lord is near.

Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's holy name.

Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads you into life.

Come and fill our hearts with your peace. You alone, O Lord, are holy.

Come and fill our hearts with your peace, Alleluia!

Concluding Prayer



Sending

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

◆ Benediction

◆ Response

“Siyahamba”

Hymn 853

Siyahamb'ekukhanyen' kwenkhos.'

We are marching in the light of God.

Postlude

“Organ Concerto in D Minor”

Allegro

Antonio Vivaldi

arr. J. S. Bach

Preacher

David A. Davis

Liturgists

Lauren J. McFeaters

Len Scales 9:15

Corrie Berg 11:00

Musicians

Chamber Ringers 9:15

Robert Lamb, director

Cantorei 11:00

Ingrid Ladendorf, director

Adult Choir

Noel Werner, director

Michael Ryan, student organist

Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Dane and Don Grove by their daughter Ellen Petrone.

Cover

“Wheat and Cup,” a linocut by Elizabeth Steele Halstead.

The Week Ahead

October 8 – October 14

Fall Small Groups take place throughout the week. See *My Nassau* or the web calendar for the schedule.

Monday, Oct. 8

8:30 AM *Office Closed*
Columbus Day

Tuesday, Oct. 9

9:30 AM *Staff Devotions*
Niles Chapel

10:30 AM *Staff Meeting*
Conference Room

1:00 PM *Grace Notes Singers*
Kingston Presbyterian Church

6:30 PM *Presbytery Meeting*
Lawrence Road Presbyterian
Church

Wednesday, Oct. 10

4:00 PM *Homework Hangout*
Room 302

4:15 PM *Carol Choir*
Music Room

4:15 PM *In Choir Bible Study*
Conference Room

4:15 PM *Joyful Noise*
Nile Chapel

5:15 PM *Choir 3-4-5*
Music Room

5:15 PM *Choir Family Co-Op
Dinner*
Assembly Room

7:00 PM *Small Groups Committee*
Assembly Room

7:30 PM *Adult Choir*
Music Room

Thursday, Oct. 11

9:00 AM *Walk Talk Pray*
Meet on Front Steps, end in
Room 304

10:00 AM *Al-Anon*
Conference Room; Library

5:00 PM *Handbell Coaching and
Training*
Room 202

5:30 PM *Nassau Festival Ringers*
Room 202

6:45 PM *Nassau Chamber Ringers*
Room 202

7:00 PM *Youth Ministry Committee*
Room 304

Friday, Oct. 12

7:00 AM *Women's Early Morning
Bible Study*
Contact Doodie Meyer 609-
275-9647

7:30 AM *Men's Breakfast*
Assembly Room

5:30 PM *Club 3-4-5*
Assembly Room

Saturday, Oct. 13

5:00 PM *Confirmation Retreat #1*
Room 304

Sunday, Oct. 14

9:15 AM *Education for all ages*
Assembly Room and classrooms

9:15 AM *Worship*
Sanctuary

9:30 AM *Inquirers Class*
Niles Chapel

10:15 AM *Fellowship*
Front Plaza

11:00 AM *Worship*
Sanctuary

11:15 AM *Worship Explorers*
Room 302

12:15 PM *Deacon Retreat*
Assembly Room

5:00 PM *Cantorei*
Music Room

5:30 PM *Middle School Fellowship*
Room 302

6:00 PM *Youth Dinner*
Assembly Room

6:30 PM *Breaking Bread*
Niles Chapel

6:40 PM *Middle School Choir*
Music Room

6:40 PM *Senior High Fellowship*
Room 304

TODAY AT NASSAU

Adult Education
9:15 AM *Assembly Room, etc.*

Worship—Communion
9:15 AM *Sanctuary*

Fellowship
10:15 AM *Assembly Room*

Worship—Communion
11:15 AM *Sanctuary*

International Students Lunch
12:00 PM *Assembly Room*

Kazimierz Juryta Memorial Service
2:00 PM *Niles Chapel*

Cantorei
5:00 PM *Music Room*

Middle School Fellowship
5:00 PM *Room 302*

Breaking Bread Music Rehearsal
5:30 PM *Niles Chapel*

Youth Dinner
6:00 PM *Assembly Room*

Breaking Bread
6:30 PM *Niles Chapel*

Middle School Choir
6:40 PM *Music Room*

Senior High Fellowship
6:40 PM *Room 304*

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), 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM.

Church School takes place during the 9:15 AM service. Classes for age 2 and grades 6 to 12 begin at 9:15 AM. Preschoolers to grade 5 participate in the first part of the service and are then dismissed to their classes. All classes conclude at 10:30 AM.

Worship Explorers is a child-focused alternative worship setting during 11:00 AM worship for children age 4 to grade 3. Children attend the first part of the service and are then dismissed to Room 302 (Third Floor).

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

Connect to our online community life. Visit 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 or give via the Church Life app.

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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