



What must I do to inherit eternal life?  
Lord, do you not care that my sister has  
left me to do all the work by myself?  
Teacher, which commandment in the Law is the greatest?  
If I tell you, Lord, do you not care that we are perishing?  
Lord, will you only a few be saved?  
Teacher, do you not care that this is about to take place?  
Who is it who gave you this authority?  
When will this be?  
What will be the sign that this is about to take place?  
Teacher, which commandment in the Law is the greatest?  
If I tell you, Lord, do you not care that we are perishing?  
Lord, will you only a few be saved?

# Nassau Presbyterian Church

April 7, 2019 9:15 and 11:00 AM  
LENT V



# Gathering

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

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Prelude 9:15

Finlandia

arr. Guy Ragan

11:00

What Wondrous Love Is This

arr. Harold Stover

## ♦ Call to Worship

Philippians 3:10, 12–14

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

I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection  
and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in death.  
Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal;  
but I press on to make it my own,  
because Christ Jesus has made me his own.

**Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own;  
but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind  
and straining forward to what lies ahead,  
I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call  
of God in Christ Jesus.**

**We come to worship God in Jesus Christ.  
The One who has made us his own!**

## ♦ Opening Hymn

How Great Thou Art

Red Hymnal 625

## Prayer of Confession

**In the blazing light of your love,  
our failings are illuminated:  
our failure to give, our failure to respect,  
our failure to follow, our failure to serve,  
our failure to be the people you would have us be.  
Forgive us and renew us.  
Have mercy upon us.  
Enfold us in your arms  
that we might daily know  
your forgiveness and healing love. Amen.**

*Silence.*

Response

Kyrie  
(congregation echoes soloist)

Kathleen Hart Brumm

Kyrie

Lord, have mercy.

Christe

Christ, have mercy.

Kyrie

Lord, have mercy.

Kyrie

eleison.

**Kyrie**

**Lord, have mercy.**

**Christe**

**Christ, have mercy.**

**Kyrie**

**Lord, have mercy.**

**Kyrie**

**eleison.**

### 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.**

### Words of Welcome



## Proclaiming the Word

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

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### Time with Children 9:15

Children may leave for Church School classes. Teachers and ushers can assist in finding classrooms.

### Reception of New Members 11:00

Children pre-kindergarten or age four to grade three may leave for Worship Explorers in Room 302.

## Prayer for Illumination

**God of abundant life,  
your grace is our daily bread.  
Nourish us by your Word  
and fill us with your Spirit  
so that we may grow in faith and love;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

First Scripture Lesson

Isaiah 43 : 16–21

pg 672

Anthem

My Lord, What a Morning

African American Spiritual  
arr. Melva Costen

My Lord! what a morning; my Lord! what a morning;  
O my Lord! what a morning, when the stars begin to fall.  
You will hear the trumpet sound to wake the nations underground,  
looking to my God's right hand when the stars begin to fall.  
You will hear the sinner cry...  
You will hear the Christian shout...

Second Scripture Lesson

Luke 17 : 20–37

pg 80

Sermon

Not Wait and See

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

Heaven Shall Not Wait

Red Hymnal 773

♦ Affirmation of Faith

**This is the good news  
which we have received,  
in which we stand,  
and by which we are saved,  
if we hold it fast:  
that Christ died for our sins  
according to the scriptures,**

**that he was buried,  
that he was raised on the third day,  
and that he appeared  
first to the women,  
then to Peter, and to the Twelve,  
and then to many faithful witnesses.  
We believe that Jesus is the Christ,  
the Son of the living God.  
Jesus Christ is the first and the last,  
the beginning and the end;  
he is our Lord and our God. Amen.**

Offertory

Give Me Jesus

African American Spiritual  
arr. Mark Patterson

In the morning when I rise, give me Jesus.  
You can have all this world, give me Jesus.  
And when I feel afraid, give me Jesus...  
And when the trumpet sounds, give me Jesus...

♦ Doxology

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
praise God all creatures here below,  
praise God above, ye heav'nly host,  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

The Lord's Prayer is recited in the language closest to your heart. The common English text may be found in the hymnal on pg 11, the traditional, pg 35; Spanish, pg 40; and Korean, pg 45.



**Sending**

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

♦ Closing Hymn

In the Cross of Christ I Glory

Red Hymnal 213

♦ Benediction

♦ Response

Live in Charity

Live in char - i - ty and stead - fast love.  
*U - bi ca - ri - tas et a - mor,*

Live in char - i - ty; God will dwell with you.  
*u - bi ca - ri - tas De - us i - bi est.*

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Postlude

“Little” Prelude a Minor  
 BWV 559

J. S. Bach

Preacher

David A. Davis

Liturgists

Lauren J. McFeaters

Taylor Austin 9:15

Nathan Seppi 11:00

Time with Children

Nancy Lammers Gross 9:15

Musicians

*Chamber Ringers* 9:15

Robert Lamb, director

*Adult Choir*

Carol Fagundus, clarinet

Noel Werner, director

Michael Ryan, student organist

Cover

“Questioning Jesus,” by staff member, Sarah Finbow.

Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Margaret W. Migliore by her husband.

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# The Week Ahead

April 8– April 14

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

## Monday, Apr. 8

1:00 PM *Nassau Stitches*  
Conference Room Room

## Tuesday, Apr. 9

9:30 AM *Staff Devotions*  
Niles Chapel

10:30 AM *Staff Meeting*  
Conference Room

## Wednesday, Apr. 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*  
Niles Chapel

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

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

7:30 PM *Adult Choir*  
Music Room

## Thursday, Apr. 11

9:00 AM *Stretch Center Pray*  
Room 301

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

3:00 PM *Nassau at Windrows  
Lenten Communion*  
Wilson Gallery, Windrows

5:00 PM *Handbell Coaching and  
Training*  
Sanctuary

5:30 PM *Nassau Festival Ringers*  
Sanctuary

6:45 PM *Nassau Chamber Ringers*  
Sanctuary

7:00 PM *Youth Ministry Committee*  
Conference Room

## Friday, Apr. 12

7:00 AM *Women's Early Morning  
Bible Study*  
Contact Carol Wehrheim

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

## Saturday, Apr.13

5:00 PM *Confirmation Retreat #3*  
Room 304

## Sunday, Apr. 14

9:15 AM *Worship–Palm Sunday*  
Sanctuary

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

10:15 AM *Fellowship*  
Assembly Room

11:00 AM *Worship–Palm Sunday*  
Sanctuary

11:15 AM *Worship Explorers*  
Room 302

12:15 PM *Mass Incarceration Task  
Force*  
Conference Room

5:00 PM *Cantorei & Middle School  
Choir*  
Music Room

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

6:00 PM *Joint Youth Dinner &  
Fellowship*  
Assembly Room

6:30 PM *Breaking Bread*  
Niles Chapel

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## TODAY AT NASSAU

### Worship

9:15 AM *Sanctuary*

### Education for all ages

9:15 AM *Assembly Room  
and classrooms*

### Fellowship

10:15 AM *Assembly Room*

### Summer Trips Forms

10:15 AM *Niles Chapel*

### Worship

11:00 AM *Sanctuary*

### Worship Explorers

11:15 AM *Room 302*

### Summer Trips Forms

12:15 PM *Niles Chapel*

### Family & Friends CPR Class

12:15 PM *Assembly Room*

### Taizé Trip Organizational Meeting

1:30 PM *Room 304*

### New School for Music Study

#### Faculty Recital

2:30 PM *Sanctuary*

### Joint Youth Choir Rehearsal

5:00 PM *Music Room*

### Breaking Bread Music Rehearsal

5:30 PM *Niles Chapel*

### Joint Youth Dinner & Fellowship

6:15 PM *Room 304*

### Breaking Bread

6:30 PM *Niles Chapel*

## 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.

9:15 Children may leave for Church School classes. Teachers and ushers can assist in finding classrooms. 11:00 Children pre-kindergarten or age four to grade three may leave for Worship Explorers in Room 302.

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](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 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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