



# Nassau Presbyterian Church

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June 30, 2019 10:00 AM



# Gathering

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

Prelude

Forest Murmurs  
Prelude in D-flat Major  
Soaring

William Gillock  
Catherine Rollin  
William Gillock

♦ Introit

Hallelujah, Amen

anon. Haiti

Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le - lu - jah, A - men. Hal - le - lu -  
jah Hal - le - lu - jah A - men.

♦ Call to Worship

Psalm 98

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

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth;  
break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

**Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre,  
with the lyre and the sound of melody.**

With trumpets and the sound of the horn  
make a joyful noise before the Lord.

**Let the sea roar, and all that fills it;  
the world and those who live in it.**

Let the floods clap their hands;  
let the hills sing together for joy  
at the presence of the Lord, for the Lord is coming!

**Let us worship God!**

♦ Opening Hymn

When Morning Gilds the Skies

Red Hymnal 667

## Prayer of Confession

Colossians 3 : 12–17

**You, O God, feed us with compassion,  
hold us up with hope,  
and clothe us with grace.  
And you call us to feed others, hold others up,  
and clothe them with joy.  
But we worry about the food on our own plates  
before offering it to others.  
We attend to our own survival  
before the well-being of others.  
We ensure our own backs are covered  
before protecting the most vulnerable.  
Lord, we ask for your forgiveness.  
Help us to be messengers of humility and  
bind us together, so that we may  
follow the Lord of mercy. 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

Know That God Is Good  
Shona text first, followed by English verse

Red Hymnal 659

## 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

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

## Prayer for Illumination

**Prepare our hearts, O God,  
to accept your Word.  
Strengthen our souls, O God,  
to love your Word.  
Silence in us any voice but your own,  
that we may obey your will and walk in your ways;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Old Testament Lesson	1 Kings 17 : 8–16	pg 324
Psalm	I Will Walk in the Presence of God Verse 1 – choir Verse 2 – all	Blue Psalter 116 E pg 736
Gospel Lesson	Luke 7 : 11–17	pg 65
Sermon	Just a Closer Walk	Lauren J. McFeaters



## Thanksgiving

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

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- ♦ Sermon Hymn      Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life      Red Hymnal 343
- ♦ Affirmation of Faith      Philippians 2 : 5–11

**Christ Jesus,  
though he was in the form of God,  
did not regard equality with God  
as something to be exploited, but emptied himself,  
taking the form of a servant, being born in human likeness.  
And being found in human form he humbled himself  
and became obedient to the point of death— even death on a cross.  
Therefore God also highly exalted him  
and gave him the name that is above every name,  
so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend,**

**in heaven and on earth and under the earth,  
and every tongue should confess to the glory of God:  
Jesus Christ is Lord! Amen.**

Offertory

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

music: John Helgren  
text: Horatius Bonar

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Come unto me and rest;  
lay down, O weary one, lay down your head upon my breast."  
I came to Jesus as I was, so weary, worn and sad;  
I found in him a resting place, and he has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Behold, I freely give  
the living water, thirsty one; stoop down and drink and live."  
I came to Jesus, and I drank of that lifegiving stream;  
my thirst was quenched, my soul revived, and now I live in him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "I am this dark world's light;  
look unto me, your morn shall rise, and all your day be bright."  
I looked to Jesus, and I found in him my star, my sun;  
and in that light of life I'll walk till traveling days are done.

♦ Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

G C Am7 Dsus D G  
Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; praise Christ, all

D Am7 Dsus D Am7 D G Am7  
peo - ple here be - low; praise Ho - ly Spir - it ev - er -

G C Am7 G Am7 D G  
more; praise Tri - une God, whom we a - dore.



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Preacher  
Lauren J. McFeaters

Liturgist  
David A. Davis

Musicians  
*Summer Choir*  
Richard Spotts, organist  
Ian Lewono, pianist

Time with Children  
Nancy Lammers Gross

Cover  
“Cross and Sun Rays,” a linocut by Elizabeth  
Steele Halstead.

Flowers  
The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the  
glory of God and in loving memory of Marius B.  
Jansen by his wife Jean and family.

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## The Week Ahead

July 1 – July 7

### Monday, Jul. 1

No Scheduled Events

### Tuesday, Jul. 2

No Scheduled Events

### Wednesday, Jul. 3

No Scheduled Events

### Thursday, Jul. 4

Office Closed- Independence Day

### Friday, Jul. 5

Office Closed- Independence Day

### Saturday, Jul. 6

No Scheduled Events

### Sunday, Jul. 7

9:00 AM *Summer Choir*  
Conference Room

10:00 AM *Worship*  
Sanctuary

11:00 AM *Fellowship*  
Front Plaza

11:15 AM *Adult Education*  
Assembly Room

## TODAY AT NASSAU

### Summer Choir

9:00 AM *Music Room*

### Mass Incarceration Task Force

9:00 AM *Conference Room*

### Worship

10:00 AM *Sanctuary*

### Congregational Meeting

11:00 AM *Sanctuary*

### Fellowship

11:00 AM *Front Plaza*

### Adult Education

11:30 AM *Assembly Room*

### Deacon Education

11:30 AM *Room 301*

## 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 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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