



Nassau Presbyterian Church

October 13, 2019 9:15 & 11:00 AM



Gathering

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

Prelude

Trio Sonata No. 6 in G Major
I. Allegro

J. S. Bach

Introit

Come into God's Presence

Anonymous

1 2 3 4
Come in - to God's pre-sence sing - ing Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

♦ Call to Worship

I Peter 2 : 9-10

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

♦ Opening Hymn

Morning Has Broken

Red Hymnal 664

Prayer of Confession

**Holy and merciful God,
in your presence we confess
our failure to be what you created us to be.
You alone know how often we have sinned
in wandering from your ways,
in wasting your gifts,
in forgetting your love.
By your loving mercy,
help us to live in your light
and abide in your ways,
for the sake of Jesus Christ our 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.

¡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



Proclaiming the Word

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

Time With Children

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.

Prayer for Illumination

**Gracious God,
 we do not live by bread alone,
 but by every word that comes from your mouth.
 Make us hungry for this heavenly food,
 that it may nourish us today
 in the ways of eternal life;
 through Jesus Christ, the bread of heaven. Amen.**

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 4 : 1–11

pg 3

Psalm

It Is Good to Give Thanks to You, Lord
 lower voices—verses 1, 3, 5
 higher voices—verses 2, 4, 6
 all—refrain

Blue Psalter 106 A
 pg 680

Sermon

Wilderness Formation

David A. Davis



Thanksgiving

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

- ♦ Sermon Hymn By Gracious Powers Red Hymnal 818
choir—verse 1
all—verse 2, 3, 4

- ♦ Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
 Maker of heaven and earth,
 and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
 who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
 born of the Virgin Mary,
 suffered under Pontius Pilate,
 was crucified, dead, and buried;
 he descended into hell;
 the third day he rose again from the dead;
 he ascended into heaven,
 and sitteth on the right hand
 of God the Father Almighty;
 from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost;
 the holy catholic church;
 the communion of saints;
 the forgiveness of sins;
 the resurrection of the body;
 and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Offertory

Lord, How Long Wilt Thou Be Angry

Henry Purcell
Psalm 79 : 5, 8, 9, 14

Lord, how long wilt thou be angry;
shall thy jealousy burn like fire forever?
O, remember not our old sins, but have mercy upon us,
and that soon, for we are come to great misery.
Help us, O God of our Salvation, for the glory of thy name.
O deliver us, and be merciful unto our sins, for thy name's sake.
So we that are thy people and the sheep of thy pasture
shall give thee thanks forever
and will always be showing forth thy praise
from one generation to another.

◆ Doxology Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures here below.
Praise God above, ye heavenly 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

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Red Hymnal 65

◆ Benediction

♦ Response

Siyahamba
(First time in Chichewa)

Tiri kwenda kwala kwa mbuye, tiri kwenda kwala kwa mbuye.

Tiri kwenda, tiri kwenda kwala kwa mbuye.

Tiri kwenda, tiri kwenda kwala kwa mbuye.

We are marching in the light of God.

Postlude

Prelude in C Minor
BWV 549

J. S. Bach

Preacher

David A. Davis

Liturgists

Madison Roberts

Ingrid Ladendorf 9:15

Lauren J. McFeaters 11:00

Time with Children

Heather Riehl

Musicians

Adult Choir

Marissa Chalker, George Somerville,

Elem Eley, soloists

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 Calvin and Adelaide Bull and Paul Detwiler, Jr. from Roby, Joann, Alyssa, Miranda, Thomas, Griffin and Brennan.

Cover Art

“Wilderness Formation”, created by staff member, Sarah Finbow.

Tending the Flock

Death—The Rev. Bruce Freeman, father of David, Mark, and Judy, on October 8, 2019, in Princeton, New Jersey.

The Week Ahead

October 14 – October 20

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

Monday, Oct. 14

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

7:30 PM *Pastrix Small Group*
Conference Room

Tuesday, Oct. 15

9:30 AM *Staff Devotions*
Niles Chapel

10:30 AM *Staff Meeting*
Conference Room

Wednesday, Oct. 16

4:00 OM *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, Oct. 17

9:00 AM *Stretch Center Pray*
Room 301

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

12:15 PM *Westminster Conservatory
at Nassau*
Niles Chapel

5:30 PM *Handbell Choirs*
Room 202

7:00 PM *Session*
Assembly Room

Friday, Oct. 18

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

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

Saturday, Oct. 19

1:30 PM *Joint Choir Rehearsal:
Cantorei & Adult Choir*
Music Room

Sunday, Oct. 20

9:15 AM *Worship*
Sanctuary

9:15/30 AM *Church School for
Children and Youth*
Classrooms

9:30 AM *Adult Education*
Assembly Room

9:30 AM *Inquirers Class*
Niles Chapel

10:15 AM *Fellowship*
Conference Room

10:15 AM *Session - Receive New
Members*
Niles Chapel

11:00 AM *Worship*
Sanctuary

11:15 AM *Worship Explorers*
Room 302

12:00 PM *Senior Adult Lunch*
Assembly Room

5:00 PM *Cantorei*
Music Room

5:00 PM *Middle School Fellowship*
Room 304

6:00 PM *Youth Dinner*
Assembly Room

6:30 PM *Breaking Bread Worship*
Niles Chapel

6:40 PM *Chorale*
Music Room

6:40 PM *Senior High Fellowship*
Room 304

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TODAY AT NASSAU

Worship

9:15 AM *Sanctuary*

Church School for Children and Youth

9:15/9:30 AM *Classrooms*

Adult Education

9:30 AM *Assembly Room*

Inquirers Class

9:30 AM *Niles Chapel*

Fellowship

10:15 AM *Conference Room*

Worship

11:00 AM *Sanctuary*

Worship Explorers

11:15 AM *Room 302*

Nassau Book Group

12:15 PM *Room 202*

Princeton Cemetery Tour

1:00 PM *Princeton Cemetery*

Interfaith Stitchers

2:00 PM *Assembly Room*

Cantorei

5:00 PM *Music Room*

Middle School Fellowship

5:00 PM *Room 304*

Youth Dinner

6:00 PM *Assembly Room*

Breaking Bread Worship

6:30 PM *Niles Chapel*

Chorale

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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