



Nassau Presbyterian Church

November 10, 2019 9:15 & 11:00 AM



Gathering

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

Prelude 9:15 The Church's One Foundation arr. Robert Lamb

11:00 All Things Bright and Beautiful arr. Larry Sue

♦ Introit Jesus, We Are Here Red Hymnal 392
At the sign ♦ you may stand.

♦ Call to Worship Psalm 107 : 1-3

Bold text is read or sung in unison.

**O give thanks to the Lord, for God is good;
God's steadfast love endures forever!
Let the redeemed of the Lord say so;
God delivers from trouble and gathers us in.
From east and west, from north and south,
we're here to give God our thanks and praise.
Come, let us worship God!**

♦ Opening Hymn Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty Red Hymnal 403

Prayer of Confession

**Holy God, you call us to follow wherever you lead,
and you tell us, "Do not fear."
But we are afraid:
We are afraid of the neighbors we know,
and fearful of strangers you call us to love.
We are afraid of the future
when we forget your faithfulness of the past.
This is not how you want us to live.
We confess we have not been good stewards of your gifts,
and we have not trusted your promises.
By your Spirit, call us again to life:
to walk in Christ's ways, to love our neighbors without fear,
and to live in your resurrection hope. 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 Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me Red Hymnal 582

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

**Speak to us today, living God,
so that we may hear your Word, Jesus Christ,
in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

New Testament Lesson	I Corinthians 3 : 1–11	pg 167
Psalm	When God First Brought Us Back	Psalter 126 A pg 830
Old Testament Lesson	Haggai 2 : 1–9	pg 878
Sermon	Courage for Something New	Andrew Scales



Thanksgiving

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

♦ Sermon Hymn

Let Us Build a House
verses 1, 2, 4, 5

Red Hymnal 301

♦ Affirmation of Faith

from A Brief Statement of Faith PC(USA)

**In a broken and fearful world
the Spirit gives us courage
to pray without ceasing,
to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior,
to unmask idolatries in Church and culture,
to hear the voices of peoples long silenced,
and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.
In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit,
we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks
and to live holy and joyful lives,
even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth,
praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!"
With believers in every time and place,
We rejoice that nothing in life or in death
can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.**

Offertory

Cantate Domino

Thomas Hale
Psalm 96:1-4

Cantate Domino canticum novum.

Sing to the Lord a new song.

Sing to the Lord and bless God's name; proclaim salvation from day to day.

Declare God's glory among the nations, the wonders for all people,

for the Lord is great, greatly to be praised, and is feared among all other gods.

♦ Doxology

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures here below. Alleluia, alleuia!
Praise God above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Alleluia, alleluia,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

Preacher
Andrew Scales

Liturgists
David A. Davis
Len Scales 9:15
Lauren J. McFeaters 11:00

Time with Children
Corrie Berg

Musicians
Festival Ringers 9:15
Chamber Ringers 11:00
Robert Lamb, 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 honor of all who have served our country in the military and are currently serving including our son, by the Loupos Family.

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“Healing and Wholeness,” a linoleum block illustration by Martha Kelly from the Book of Common Worship.

Tending the Flock

Ordination and Installation—Eliseo Morales to pastor of the Morningside Presbyterian Church, Fullerton, California by the Presbytery of Los Ranchos on November 3, 2019.

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The Week Ahead

November 11 – November 16

Monday, Nov. 11

No Scheduled Events

Tuesday, Nov. 12

- 9:30 AM *Staff Devotions*
Niles Chapel
- 10:30 AM *Staff Meeting*
Conference Room
- 1:30 PM *Grace Notes Singers*
Kingston Presbyterian Church
- 6:45 PM *Presbytery of New Brunswick*
Flemington Presbyterian Church

Wednesday, Nov. 13

- 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, Nov. 14

- 9:00 AM *Stretch Center Pray*
Room 301
- 10:00 AM *Al-Anon*
Conference Room; Library
- 5:30 PM *Handbell Choirs*
Room 202
- 7:00 PM *Youth Ministry Committee*
Conference Room

Friday, Nov. 15

- 7:00 AM *Women's Early Morning Bible Study*
Contact Carol Wehrheim
- 7:30 AM *Men's Breakfast*
Assembly Room
- 5:30 PM *Club 3-4-5*
Assembly Room

Saturday, Nov. 16

No Scheduled Events

Sunday, Nov. 17

- 8:00 AM *Teacher Appreciation Breakfast*
Conference Room
- 9:15 AM *Worship*
Sanctuary
- 9:15/30 AM *Church School for Children and Youth*
Classrooms
- 9:30 AM *Adult Education*
Assembly Room
- 10:15 AM *Fellowship*
Conference Room
- 11:00 AM *Worship*
Sanctuary
- 11:15 AM *Worship Explorers*
Room 302
- 12:15 PM *Christmas Pageant Rehearsal*
Music Room
- 12:45 PM *Nassau Book Group*
Home of Ken and Mary Brown
- 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*

Fellowship

10:15 AM *Conference Room*

Worship

11:00 AM *Sanctuary*

Worship Explorers

11:15 AM *Room 302*

Interfaith Stitchers

2:00 PM *All Saints Episcopal Church,
Princeton*

Cantorei

5:00 PM *Music Room*

Middle School Fellowship

5:00 PM *Room 304*

Youth Dinner

6:00 PM *3rd floor*

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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