



Nassau Presbyterian Church

January 1, 2023 10:00 AM

If you are worshipping with us in the Sanctuary at 10:00 AM, please be aware that you may be visible on the livestream camera at any time during worship.

A large print supplement (scripture and hymns) for those who require it is available in the narthex.

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



Gathering

Prelude

Sonata in E-flat Major, no. 348
Arioso

Johann Joachim Quantz

♦ Introit

Raise a Song of Gladness

Red Hymnal 155

Raise a song of gladness, peoples of the earth.

Christ has come, bringing peace, joy to every heart.

Alleluia, alleluia, joy to every heart!

Alleluia, alleluia, joy to every heart!

♦ Call to Worship

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

There is good news of great joy for all!

Our Savior is born: the Messiah, the Lord.

Let us worship God.

♦ Opening Hymn

He Came Down

Red Hymnal 137

Prayer of Confession

Silence

Kyrie, kyrie eleison. **Kyrie, kyrie eleison.**

Christe, Christe eleison. **Christe, Christe eleison.**

Kyrie, kyrie eleison. **Kyrie, kyrie eleison.**

(Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy)

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, Gloria Red Hymnal 583
- Gloria, gloria in excelsis Deo!**
Gloria, gloria, alleluia, alleluia!
(*Glory to God in the highest*)

Words of Welcome

Proclaiming the Word

Time with Children

Children age 3 to grade 1 may leave for Bible story and craft time in Room 07, lower level.

Prayer for Illumination Wait for the Lord Psalm 27

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near.
Wait for the Lord; be strong; take heart!

First Scripture Lesson John 1:1-8 pg 91

Second Scripture Lesson Isaiah 40:1-5 pg 667

Sermon Andrew Scales

Thanksgiving

- ◆ Sermon Hymn Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song Red Hymnal 737
- Offertory Gesù Bambino Pietro A. Yon

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Words of Institution

Sharing of the Bread Eat This Bread

Red Hymnal 527

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

Eat this bread; drink this cup; trust in me and you will not thirst.

Sharing the Cup Jesus, Remember Me

Red Hymnal 227

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

Be Not Afraid

Red Hymnal 243

Be not afraid; sing out for joy! Christ is risen, alleluia!

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Concluding Prayer



Sending

◆ Benediction

◆ Response

In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful

Red Hymnal 654

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.

Postlude

Sonata in E-flat Major, no. 348

Johann Joachim Quantz

Allegro assai

Preacher

Andrew Scales

Liturgist

Len Scales

Musicians

Ingrid Ladendorf, soloist

Noel Werner, organ

Peggy Mankey, cello

Kim Kleasen, flute

Laura Carter, flute

Carol Fagundus, clarinet

Sound Engineer

Nick Mastalesz

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The Week Ahead

Monday, Jan. 2

8:30 AM *Office Closed - New Year's Holiday*

Tuesday, Jan. 3

11:30 AM *Staff Epiphany Lunch*

Wednesday, Jan. 4

4:15 PM *Carol Choir*
Music Room

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

7:30 PM *Adult Choir*
Music Room; Sanctuary;
Niles Chapel

Thursday, Jan. 5

10:00 AM *Al-Anon*
Assembly Room

7:30 PM *HR Committee*
Davis Study

Friday, Jan. 6

8:00 AM *Men's Breakfast*
Zoom

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

Saturday, Jan. 7

No Events

Sunday, Jan. 8

9:15 AM *Education for All Ages*
All Classrooms

9:15 AM *Worship*
Sanctuary

10:05 AM *Joyful Noise*
Niles Chapel

10:15 AM *Fellowship*
Assembly Room

10:30 AM *Carol Choir*
Niles Chapel

11:00 AM *Worship*
Sanctuary

11:15 AM *Worship Explorers*
Room 302

12:15 PM *Nassau Book Group*
Conference Room

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TODAY AT NASSAU

Worship - Communion
10:00 AM *Sanctuary*

Bible Story and Craft Time
10:15 AM *Room 07*

Welcome to Nassau Church

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.

Next Sunday, 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 3 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.

Livestream Worship. Livestream worship can be found at NassauChurch.org/livestream-worship. If you are worshipping with us in person, please be aware that you may be visible on camera at any time.

Connect to our online community life. Visit nassauchurch.org for information and join our Facebook group for community life. Follow our Facebook page 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

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