

**HYATTSTOWN CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(DISCIPLES OF CHRIST)**

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October 23, 2022 Proper 25 Sunday (Year C)

Rev. Monica Banks – Pastor



PRELUDE : Matt Dohm

ANNOUNCEMENTS Elder

MISSION STATEMENT

OPENING PRAYER Rev. Banks

***HYMN:** “Dear Lord, and Father of Mankind” #594 v1,5

Dear Lord, and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways! Re-clothe us in our rightful mind, in purer lives thy service find, in deeper reverence, praise.
Breathe through the heats of our desire thy coolness and thy balm; let sense be dumb, let flesh retire; speak through the earthquake, wind, and fire, O still, small voice of calm.

RESPONSIVE READING Psalm 84:1-7 Liturgist

***GLORIA PATRI:**

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world
without end! Amen. Amen.*

FIRST READING: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 Liturgist

***GOSPEL READING:** Luke 18:9-14 Liturgist

This is the Word of Our Lord: . . . **Thanks Be To God**

HYMN: “Be Still My Soul” #566 v1

Be still, my soul; for God is on your side; bear patiently the cross of grief or pain. Trust in your God, your savior and your guide, who through all changes faithful will remain. Be still, my soul; your best, your heavenly friend through thorny ways leads to a peaceful end.

SERMON: Rev. Banks

“Read Kin-dom Building” Luke 18:9-14

PRAYER CONCERNS Elder

PASTORAL PRAYER Rev. Banks

The Eucharist – the Giving and Receiving of Gifts

INVITATION AND RECEIVING OF OUR GIFTS Elder

***THE DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***OFFERTORY PRAYER** Elder

COMMUNION HYMN: “Come to the Table of Grace”

Come to the table of grace. Come to the table of grace.

This is God's table; it's not yours or mine. Come to the table of grace.

(Second verse use ‘Love’)

We practice an Open Table!

All who believe are welcome to share the sacrament!

INVITATION TO COMMUNION Rev. Banks

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PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING Elder

PARTAKING OF THE BREAD & THE CUP

THE LORD’S PRAYER (unison) Elder

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done – on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen.

***HYMN:** “All Things Bright and Beautiful” #61 v1,2

(Refrain) All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, in love God made them all.
(V1) Each little flower that opens, each little bird that sings, God made their glowing colors, and made their tiny wings.

(V2) The purple headed mountain, the river running by, the sunset, and the morning that brightens up the sky.

BENEDICTION: Rev. Banks

POSTLUDE: Matt Dohm

Sharing in the spirit of fellowship (on Zoom) All

SUNDAY PRAYER REQUESTS:

October 23, 2022 Christian Temple, Catonsville, MD
Bryan Parrish, Democratic Republic of Congo

October 16, 2022 Monica said she will be traveling this Wednesday and Thursday. Hugh said the Regional Assembly was held on Friday and Saturday – he and Monica attended via Zoom. Monica reminded folks of the request for all to fill out the Regional Minister survey (it's available online). Debbie Flook was thankful for the meeting of the property committee and all the accomplishments that occurred. Josh (our pianist this week) said he has become an uncle as of yesterday (a boy named Roah). Barb said she's had snow already and that she finished up her rehab therapy this week.

October 9, 2022 The recorded prayer requests for this Sunday were misplaced. Martha Cooley died this past week.

October 2, 2022 Beth has COVID, with relatively minor symptoms. Andrew goes back to electro-shock therapy, his 263rd treatment, and a joy that Rebecca has received a beauty shop treatment gift.. Monica said her son is doing better, the funeral she helped officiate was on Wednesday, prayers for Lisa; a joy that Ryan will be installed as pastor at 3pm at Palisades Community Church. Debbie Flook remembers the Hurricane victims, Rebecca said her mom has a place to live now. Barb said she is using a cane and moving forward in recovery, Gabrielle said her sister is dealing with multiple root-canals. Debbie Blair said her Florida family fared well in the hurricane, brother-in-law, Jay, has COVID.

September 25, 2022 Andrew said Sharon is diagnosed with diabetes; Mary asked prayers for Sandy Isaacson who has ALS. Monica said son Brennan has a high fever from an infection; Her friend Lisa's father (Martin) died – she will help with the service.

A cure to cancer and those who are living with it: Dana Miller; Elaine Silver; Tammy Lynn; Mary Jodrie; Gillian Anderson; Fred Stockum; Ron Chalfant; Eddie's sister; Sharon Turman, David Stickerod

October Celebrations:

Birthdays: 10/2 Chuck McIntire, 10/20 Ginny Wagner, 10/23 Joyce Cook

Anniversaries: 10/4 Chuck & Pierrette McIntire



ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

October 23, 2022

Sermon Schedule

October 23, 2022 "Read Kin-dom Building" Luke 18: 9-14

Our Web Site: HyattstownChristianChurch.org

Our Region's Web Site: CCCADisciples.org

**Potluck Luncheon – Sunday November 6th
(A celebration of the life of Martha Cooley)**

**Advent Begins November 27th
(Devotional materials have been ordered)**

Blue Christmas – December 21st

----- Mission Statement -----

"Hyattstown Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) is the little church with the big heart. We are an Open and Affirming welcoming group of individuals seeking to bring God's love and service to our broader community, meeting people where they are."

CCLI—license numbers 20917473 & 20917480

SERVING SCHEDULE

Servers	October 23, 2022	October 30, 2022	November 6, 2022
Elder:	Hugh Howard	Chris Moore	Ginny Wagner
Deacons:	S. Stickerod	B. Sweeney	A. Blair
Liturgist:	Gail Howard	Ginny Wagner	Miranda Barrientos

Attendance for October 16, 2022: 18 (8-zoom)

September – General Fund Collection(w/Zelle) – \$4218

Southside – \$2100, Feed the hungry – \$125

Free pantry \$25, Open & Affirming – \$100

Around the Church:

October 2022

I thought I would add this area as a way to update folks on a variety of items of interest, that you might not have heard of.

- You may notice that as of this first Sunday in October, we are back to using bulletins addressed for the correct date. For the past three or four years I have been using up the blank bulletins from past years. We are just about out of the old stock so have moved on to ordering and using new bulletins. (In case someone was wondering..)

-Eddie Flook is getting estimates for the re-painting and repairing of the North side house. If we are going to rent this property, it must pass Montgomery County standards for rental property.

-Thanks to Andrew who gave a computer monitor to us to replace one damaged by vandals.

-Eddie and Debbie are working to get security cameras installed around the church perimeter. (At no charge to us!!)

-We have received two estimates; the one for the repairs and repainting of Northside is \$7,000; the one for repair and replacement of the roofing on the back of the church is \$15,750. The Trustees are meeting this week to consider our actions.

-A church pot-luck luncheon is in the planning stages for November 6th after church. I hear that a turkey will be one meat course as will deviled eggs. Please plan on attending if at all possible.

- The property committee has approved the proposals for work on Northside and for the roof repair/replacement. All wanted to get these activities under way as soon as possible. The security camera work is expected to begin soon.