

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

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November 13, 2022 Proper 28 Sunday (Year C)

Rev. Monica Banks – Pastor



PRELUDE : Matt Dohm
ANNOUNCEMENTS Elder
MISSION STATEMENT
OPENING PRAYER Beth Sweeney
***HYMN:** *“Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me”* #266 v1,5
Gracious Spirit, dwell with me: I myself would gracious be, and, with words that help and heal, would thy life in mine reveal, and, with actions bold and meek, would for Christ my Savior speak.
Holy Spirit, dwell with me: I myself would holy be, break from sin and choose the good, cherish what my Savior would, and whatever I can be, give to God who gave me thee.

RESPONSIVE READING Isaiah 12 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 Thessalonians 3:6-13 Liturgist
***GOSPEL READING:** Luke 21:5-19 Liturgist
This is the Word of Our Lord: . . . **Thanks Be To God**

HYMN: *“Your Love, O God”* #71 v1,4
Your love, O God, is broad like beach and meadow, wide as the wind, and our eternal home. You leave us free to seek you or reject you, you give us room to answer “yes” or “no”.
O judge us, God, and in your judgment free us, and set our feet in freedom’s open space; take us as far as your compassion wanders among the children of the human race.

SERMON: Beth Sweeney
“It’s A Wheat & Tares World “ Matthew 13: 24-30
From the files of Rev. Robert L. Cook

PRAYER CONCERNS Elder

PASTORAL PRAYER Beth Sweeney

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 Beth Sweeney-

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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:** *“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”* #86 v1

Great is thy faithfulness O God my Father, there is no shadow of turning with thee; thou chang-est not, thy compassions, they fail not; as thou hast been thou forever wilt be. Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed thy hand hath provided – Great is thy faithfulness Lord, unto me!

BENEDICTION: Beth Sweeney

POSTLUDE: Matt Dohm

Sharing in the spirit of fellowship (on Zoom) All

SUNDAY PRAYER REQUESTS:

November 13, 2022 University Christian Church, Hyattsville, MD
Zeda Zakarison, Lebanon

November 6, 2022 Prayers for the celebration of the life of Martha Cooley – the service and luncheon will commence at noon today. Thanks for all who have helped with cleaning and setting up for the service.

October 30, 2022 Debbie Flook asked that we add her neighbors, Bonnie and Hoody Geisbert to our prayer chain. Pam was glad her neighbor Pricilla was here with her. Mary said she has postponed her knee surgery to early next year.

October 23, 2022 Mary asks prayers for the loved ones of Ellen Raswell who died of breast cancer a week ago. Monica had a joy of seeing her daughter in NY and seeing a Broadway play “ the Kite Runner”. (Matt had also recently been in NY) Miranda shared her apprehension for her mom's upcoming surgery and asked prayers for guidance and recovery.

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.

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, Bonnie and Hoody Geisbert.

November Celebrations:

Birthdays: 11/4 Andy Blair, 11/6 David Stickerod, 11/10 Kris Wilson
11/21 Jack Sweeney, 11/.. Rebecca Turman

Anniversaries: none listed



ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

November 13, 2022

Sermon Schedule

November 13, 2022 "It's A Wheat & Tares World “ Matthew 13: 24-30

Our Web Site: HyattstownChristianChurch.org

Our Region’s Web Site: CCCADisciples.org

Board Meeting – Tuesday, November 15th 7PM – Zoom

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

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	November 13, 2022	November 20, 2022	November 27, 2022
Elder:	Stacey Wilson	John Wilson	Debbie Blair
Deacons:	M. Barrientos	J. Clark	E. Flook
Liturgist:	John Wilson	Stacey Wilson	Beth Sweeney

Attendance for November 6, 2022: 18 (2-zoom)
October – General Fund Collection (w/Zelle) – \$5978
Southside – \$2100, Feed the hungry – \$100
Network for Good – \$600, Reconciliation - \$100
BuildingFund – \$3600, Cooley Memorial – \$200

Around the Church:

November 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.

11/1/22 -Painting on Northside began on Tuesday, November 1st.

11/6/22—The painting in Northside is completed. Next effort will be to replace the flooring.

- The roof replacement work is currently scheduled for January 2023.

-On Saturday, Eddie and Hugh replaced the sump pump in the church kitchen (It failed just as the cleaning effort was under-way).(Eddie did most of the dirty work).

-Thanks to Andy and Debbie for bringing us a PC monitor to replace one damaged a few weeks ago.

- We had 80+ folks attend the memorial service—around 60 stayed for the luncheon.