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March 16, 2025, Second Sunday in Lent

PRELUDE : Matt Dohm
ANNOUNCEMENTS Elder
OPENING PRAYER Pastor Santos
*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.
RESPONSIVE READING Psalm 27 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.
FIRST READING: Philippians 3:17-4:1 Liturgist
*GOSPEL READING: Luke 13:31-35 Liturgist
This is the Word of Our Lord: . . . Thanks Be To God
HYMN *Fairest Lord Jesus* 97 v 1,3
1 Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nature, O thou of God to earth come down; thee will I cherish, thee will I honor, thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown. 2 Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands, robed in the blooming garb of spring: Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, who makes the woeful heart to sing. 3 Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight, and all the twinkling, starry hosts: Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer, than all the angels heaven can boast.
SERMON *Opposite Desires* Pastor
PRAYER CONCERNS Elder
PASTORAL PRAYER Pastor

The Eucharist – the Giving and Receiving of Gifts

INVITATION TO PRESENT GIFTS Elder
RECEIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

*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: "Let Us Break Bread Together"

1 Let us break bread together on our knees. Let us break bread together on our knees. (Refrain) *When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun, O Lord have mercy on me.* 2 Let us drink wine together on our knees. Let us drink wine together on our knees. (Refrain).

We practice an Open Table! All who believe are welcome to share the sacrament!

INVITATION TO COMMUNION Pastor
WORDS OF INSTITUTION #389
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING Elder
PARTAKING OF THE BREAD & THE CUP Pastor)

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: *Community of Christ* v1-2
1 Community of Christ, who make the cross your own, live out your creed and risk your life for God alone: the God who wears your face, to whom all worlds belong, whose children are of every race and every song. 2 Community of Christ, look past the church's door and see the refugee, the hungry, and the poor. Take hands with the oppressed, the jobless in your street, take towel and water, that you wash your neighbor's feet.

BENEDICTION: Pastor
POSTLUDE Matthew Dohm

PRAYER REQUESTS:

March 9 Miranda is joyful that her friends Nathan and Vincent joined us today. **Barb L.** was glad to be able to join us on zoom for Lenten Bible Study. **Pastor Santos** asks continued prayers for Chuck and Ginny Wagner as Chuck recuperates from his hip surgery. Also prayers for Andrew, that his next treatment, on March 19th, goes well. Debbie asks prayers for her friend Jenn Lilly, who fractured her tibia and is awaiting surgery when the swelling goes down. **Beth** asks prayers for Marianne Rathman she is having hip surgery Monday.

March 2 Prayers for Chuck Wagner as he has his 2nd hip operation. **Barb Lang** shared the joy that her granddaughter Shawna is expecting. **Chris** concerned for Anne Larmer's health, also for the People of Ukraine. **Beth** asked prayers for Aaron and other homeless. She also shared concern about Theresa and Gracie (from Merimac) who knew 15 of the skaters who perished. Pastor Santos also included Pope Francis, all those under medical treatment, immigrants and the thousands of Civil Servants who have lost positions and those who worry they will be next. **February 23 Beth** asked prayers for Pat Griffith. Her husband Harry "Griff" Griffith passed away on January 23rd. In addition, Pat is making a slow recovery from hip surgery. **Pastor Santos** asked prayers for Pope Francis, "Papa Francisco" and his catholic family.

A cure for cancer and those who are living with it: *Ron Meeks, Elaine Silver; Tammy Lynn; Eddie's sister. Also remembering Sharon Turman, David Stickerod.*

March Celebrations:

Birthdays: Jessica Moore Wertz 3/8, Meghan Blair 3/16

Anniversaries:

CCLI—license numbers 20917473



ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

Join us for Lenten Study on Zoom,
Fridays at 7 PM.

Feed the Hungry Dates: April 12, May 10,
July 12 and August 9.

Our Web Site: HyattstownChristianChurch.org

Our Region's Web Site: CCCADisciples.org

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Hyattstown Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) is the little church with a 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."

SERVING SCHEDULE

	March 16, 2025	March 23, 2025	March 30, 2025
Elder:	Gail Howard	Chris Moore	John Wilson
Deacons:	Pam Bernard	Walt Moore	Ann Larmer
Liturgist:	M. Barrientos	Beth Sweeney	Stacey Wilson

Attendance for March 9 __

February -General Fund Collection (w/o Zelle)- \$2925.