

Postlude "Let Use Ever Walk With Jesus" Richard Hillary



A poem for my friends at Westhampton

THE PEACE OF WILD THINGS

by Wendell Berry

When despair for the world grown in me
and I wake in the night at the least sound
in fear of what my life and my children's lives may be,
I go and lie down where the wood drake
rests in his beauty on the water, and the great heron feeds.

I come into the peace of wild things
who do not tax their lives with the forethought of grief.

I come into the presence of still water.
And I feel above me the day-blind stars
waiting with their light. For a time
** I rest in the grace of the world, and am free.*

Faithfully Friendly For All – Always
Welcome ☩ Include ☩ Involve



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on Quogue

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SUNDAY WORSHIP
9 AM QUOGUE CHAPEL
10:15 AM SANCTUARY



Ninth Sunday after Pentecost July 21, 2024

**Please stand as able*

Please silence all cell phones

PREPARATION

Silent Meditation Psalm 148:11-13

Prelude 1st Gymnopedie Eric Satie

Greetings and Announcements

Ringling of the Bell

***Call to Worship**

One: Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth! Young men and women alike, old and young together!

All: Let us praise the name of the Lord, for God's name alone is exalted; God's glory is above earth and heaven.

*Hymn No. 22 "God of the Sparrow" ROEDER

CONFESSION AND PARDON

***Unison Prayer of Confession:**

Eternal God, we confess that we tend to avoid You and Your grace, like the prodigal son who dissociates from his father, we do likewise with You, O God, and with parts of Your creation and falsely separate into differences of clean and unclean, good and bad. Yet, You love us all and call us to care for one another, and make more space at the Table of Belonging with all our siblings. Forgive our exclusion and judgments of You and Your Kingdom. Cleanse us of the errors that distort Your truth. May we be still long enough before You to know You are with us here and wherever we travel. As we consider our wayward tendencies, and missed opportunities, we pause for a time of quiet reflection. (A moment of silence)

Assurance of Pardon

*Response of Praise No. 581 "Gloria Patri"

Exchange of Christ's Peace

L: The peace of Christ be with you. **P: And also with you.**

HEARING THE WORD OF GOD

Children's Sermon and the Lord's Prayer (10:15 service only)

Anthem Victoria Petrocelli

Prayer of Illumination

Guide us into Your word, God our helper, that we might hear the message You intend for us to hear today. **Amen.**

Scripture Readings Ephesians 2:11-22; Luke 15:1-13

L: This is the Word of the Lord. **P: Thanks be to God!**

Sermon "Lost things both then and now"
Rev. Dr. James Barnum

*Hymn No. 451 "Open My Eyes, That I May See"
OPEN MY EYES

Pastoral Prayer

DEDICATION AND RESPONSE

Thanking God through the Offering

*Doxology No. 606 "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"
OLD HUNDREDTH

Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn No. 722 "Lord Speak to Me, that I May Speak" (v.1,3,5)
CANONBURY

Charge and Benediction

All: Christ is risen! Christ is risen, indeed!
Live into the hope of Christ's resurrection!
Honor the God who redeems and renews!
*Rest in the grace of the world and be free**
and May God's hope, peace and love of our
Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer
be with you now and always. Amen.

TODAY **9th Sunday after Pentecost**
Rev. Dr. James Barnum
9:00 AM Quogue Chapel Worship Service
10:15 AM Sanctuary Worship Service followed by
Refreshment Hour

TUESDAY
2:00-3:30 PM E.E.H. Adult Bereavement Group

SUNDAY **10th Sunday after Pentecost**
Rev. Kymberley Clemens-Jones
9:00 AM Quogue Chapel Worship Service
10:15 AM Sanctuary Worship Service followed by
Refreshment Hour
3:00 PM Concert #3: Red Door Chamber Players



The church office will be operating under summer hours:
Mon-Fri. 9am-12pm, please call or email between 12pm-3:30pm for assistance.

-A.A. Meetings: Sat. 10am (parking area or choir room); Wed. & Sun. 6:30pm Parish Hall; Sun. 12pm classroom

-Bulletin announcements must be received to the office by Wednesday each week to be included in the Sunday bulletin.

-Tidings Articles are due by the 20th each month to be included in the monthly newsletter. All are welcome to participate!

*We welcome you as we would welcome
Christ Himself!*

ANNOUNCEMENTS for July 21, 2024

*Please sign the guest book so that the church can stay connected with you.

*Large print bulletins have been created as a full page for easy reading. Ask an usher for assistance.

*Large Print Hymnals are available in the rear of the sanctuary, please ask an usher for assistance.

*Prayer Concerns

Recent: Ozman Family; Miller family; Chelsey Carter Collins, Hamptons Center for Rehab; Hana Cutler, cousin to Holly Hubbard; Gloria Johnson; Harry Chung, recovery (Friend of Mary & John Hull); Leslie Johnson, cancer (Stephanie Miller's mother); Pat Bebon; Raphael Hidalgo, chemo (Seth Stevens' uncle); Libby Hirsch, cancer (Tom Rogers' cousin); Raymond Hann; Terry Heffernan, chemo (friend of Mimi & Stu Wood); Ralph Neubauer; Helen Fitzsimons; Marjorie Ridgway, home
Long Term: Phyllis Styrzo, Hamptons Center for Rehab; Kimberly Rogers Murawski; Ralph Downs, Florida; Dana Barrett, friend of Nancy Miller



Sound/Audio/Visual Operator

Bruce Qua, Bill McDaris, Leigh Wanamaker

Ushers

Chapel: Jane Otis and Louise Smith

Sanctuary: Lynne Jones and Joy Sobhani

Flowers

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Welcome Rev. Dr. James Barnum to the pulpit!

Rev. Dr. James Barnum has served the Presbytery of Long Island most of his ordained vocation as a Minister of Word and Sacrament serving both at The First Presbyterian Church of Babylon, and then 34 years at the Bellmore Presbyterian Church, before retiring last December.

Jim started his interest in Reformed Theology and the Presbyterian Church by going to Gordon Conwell Theological Seminary in Beverly, MA. Prior he worked with YFC/Campus Life from 1976-1980 here on Long Island after graduating as a Religion and Christian Education major from Taylor University in Upland, IN.

Jim and his wife, Linda married in 1977 have two adopted Korean children, Matthew, 37 (who lives with autism and is in a group home run by Eden II/Genesis) and their youngest Melissa, 35, an RN with Northwell Hospital. They are blessed with two grandchildren: Alya, 7, and J.J., soon to be 3 years old.

Christian sympathy

We give our deepest Christian sympathy to Harry & Nancy Miller and their entire extended family on the passing of his mother Carol Miller. A Memorial service will be held at Werner-Rothwell Funeral Home in Westhampton Beach on Saturday, October 11, 2024 from 3:00-6:00 pm.

Equipment/Consumables/Maintenance

The church is always running, not just on Sunday mornings! Supplies are part of the function of the church and need to be replenished. An itemized list has been placed on the Bulletin Board in the Parish Hall. You are able to pledge toward any of the items listed. Thank you for the support you give to WPC!

SUNDAY AFTERNOON CONCERT #3

The next performance in the Westhampton Beach Presbyterian Church Sunday Afternoon Concert Series will feature the Red Door Chamber Players String Quartet on July 28 at 3PM in the Sanctuary at 90 Meetinghouse Road, Westhampton Beach. The

program, titled "By The Sea", will feature pieces of different musical styles and genres all with a "watery" theme! Tickets are \$30 for adults; \$15 for seniors 65+ and students 12-18; and \$10 for children 5-11, and they can be purchased after church in the main sanctuary; in the church office during the week (Monday-Friday 9AM-12PM); or at Lynne's Cards and Gifts on Main Street in Westhampton Beach. Tickets can also be purchased at the door the day of the concert. For more information, call the church office at 631-288-2576 weekdays from 9am-12pm.

CONCERT SPONSORS

The fundraising committee is seeking sponsors for the remaining two concerts in our series. We have been very blessed so far to have generous members of our congregation volunteer to offset the performance fees for the artists. You do not have to sponsor the entire cost. You will be acknowledged in the concert program (if you wish) or you can make an anonymous donation. If you are interested in sponsoring all or part of one of the performances, please speak to Betsy Doyle or any member of the fundraising committee. You can also call Betsy at 631-495-5179 or email her at muzikalady@aol.com.

Denim Jeans Wanted

One of our crafters is working on a project that requires medium weight jeans in good condition. If you have a pair you would like to donate to her project, please contact the church office.