



**We are Christians committed to discerning and doing God's will
through worship, study, fellowship, and mission.**

**We seek to continue to grow as an open, supportive,
and compassionate community of neighbors.**

Welcoming everyone. Including all.

Session, March 2025

The doors of this church are as wide as God's love.

The Rev. Dr. Frank Irvine, Founding Pastor, 1958

Sunday, October 18, 2026

The Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

*** At the asterisk, please rise in body as you are able.**

Our worship service begins with Prelude music at 10:10 am.

***We kindly ask that conversations come to a close so that worshipers may enter a spirit of quiet meditation
and for our livestream broadcast to begin.***

ALL HYMNS ARE FOUND IN THE GLORY TO GOD HYMNAL

PRELUDE

Adoration

Florence Price

WELCOME & NEWS OF THE CHURCH

CHORAL INTROIT

Holy Spirit, Fall on Me

Mary Kay Beall

Holy Spirit, fall on me, guardian, guide, and comfort be;
Let your love pour over me, O Holy Spirit, fall on me.

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Sing to the Lord and bless God's name.

Tell of God's saving power from day to day.

Worship the Lord in Holy splendor.

Tremble before God, all the earth.

Let us worship the Lord!

***HYMN No. 12**

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

St. Denio

PRAYER OF THE DAY

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of grace, for our failure to love others
as you have loved us, forgive us.**

For wasting your gifts and hoarding our goods, forgive us.

For losing heart and abandoning hope, forgive us.

For all the ways we turn from you, forgive us.

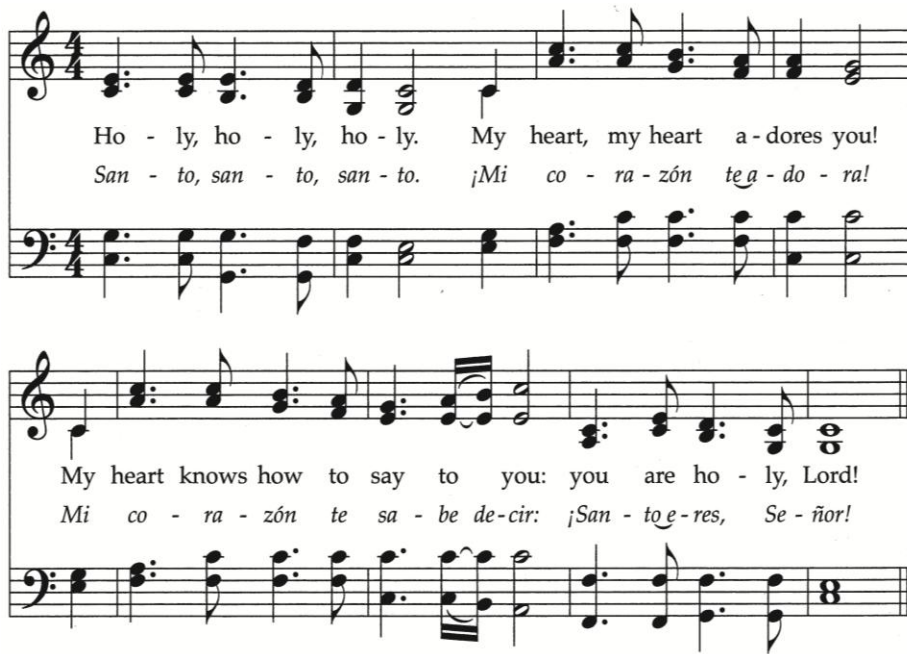
We offer our prayer in the name

of the One who saves us, Jesus Christ.

Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

RESPONSE



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly. My heart, my heart a - dores you!
San - to, san - to, san - to. ¡Mi co - ra - zón te a - do - ra!

My heart knows how to say to you: you are ho - ly, Lord!
Mi co - ra - zón te sa - be de-cir: ¡San - to e - res, Se - ñor!

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Believe the good news of the Gospel:

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

*RESPONSE



In the Lord I'll be ev - er thank - ful; in the Lord I will re -
joice! Look to God; do not be a - fraid. Lift up your
voic - es; the Lord is near. Lift up your voic - es; the Lord is near.

CHOIR ANTHEM

With a Voice of Singing

Martin Shaw

With a voice of singing declare ye this and let it be heard: Alleluia.
Utter it even unto the ends of the earth.
The Lord hath delivered His people: Alleluia.
O be joyful in God all ye lands. O sing praises to the honor of His name.
Make his praise to be glorious.

SCRIPTURE

Acts 10:34-43

SERMON

"Whose Image Do You Carry"

Matthew 22:15-22

***HYMN 720**

Jesus Calls Us

Galilee

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

We believe in a bold God, Creator of splendor,
spinning stars into night skies,
warming the planet with life-giving sunshine,
filling the earth with all creatures great and small.
We believe in a big God,
Creator of 150 billion galaxies,
who is big enough to receive our praise
and loving enough to answer our prayer.
We believe in the risen Christ,
who meets us in the brokenness of life,
accompanies us on all our wanderings,
and forever seeks to welcome us home with open arms.
We believe in the Holy Spirit,
guide and companion,
who fills the church with windy hope
and fiery compassion.
We believe in the church,
where we can taste some of the heavenly banquet
and live as renewed people for the world.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

***DOXOLOGY, No. 606**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

Almighty God,
may these simple offerings we bring
be a sign of the great glory
that is due to your holy name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***HYMN No. 65**

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Cwm Rhondda

***BENEDICTION**

***HYMN OF GOING FORTH**

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I the Lord will bless and keep you and give you peace.

I the Lord will smile upon you and give you peace.

**I the Lord will be your Father,
Savior, Comforter, and Brother.**

Go, my children, I will keep you, and give you peace.

POSTLUDE

Postlude on *Cwm Rhondda*

Paul Manz



SERVING THIS MORNING

Preacher

Rev. Teresa Peterson

Director of Music & Organist

Charles Miller

Liturgist

Jan Holmes

Greeters

Shirley Mayland, James Flynn, and Janet Reickel

Security

Walt Siegl

Coffee Hour

Jim and Sherry Brown

WELCOME TO CHERRY HILL CHURCH: We are grateful you have joined us in worship today! Inspired by the radical hospitality of Christ, we welcome everyone, without exception, into the life of this congregation.

OFFERING: Your offering may be placed in the offering plates at each sanctuary door, mailed to the church office, using the QR code below, or by our secure and easy online giving option at our website: **www.cherryhillchurch.org**. Easy instructions are provided. Thank you for supporting the ministry at Cherry Hill!



WORSHIP AIDS: Large print bulletins, Bibles, and large print hymnals are available on the tables in the front of the Sanctuary and in the Narthex. Please ask a greeter for a copy and return them to the tables following the service.

CHILDCARE FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN is provided during the worship service upstairs in the nursery (above the church offices). Please ask a greeter for directions.

THE SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS at 11:45 am, led by Dr. John Whitfield, continues the study of the first eleven chapters of Genesis. This class is held in the Conference Room near the church office.

HELPING HAND FOOD PANTRY is in special need of canned soups, cereal, canned vegetables, rice, and canned tuna. Your donations are truly welcomed and appreciated!

FROM THE ADMIN COMMITTEE: Part-time Custodian position open for non-member candidates. If you know of someone who is looking to fill 10 to 15 hours a week with custodial work, please contact Char Sobieski-Greco or Jan Holmes.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR DEARBORN'S MEALS ON WHEELS: Monday through Thursday, kitchen helpers (no cooking) at 7:00 am, and delivery drivers at 9:00 am. Both jobs take approximately two hours and don't require commitment to all four days. If available, please call Lori at 734-552-1722.

THE NEXT LADIES' LUNCH will take place on October 23, at **11:00 am**, at Buddy's Pizza on Michigan Avenue in downtown Dearborn. No reservation is needed but let Elaine Filiak know if you'll attend so we can get a large enough table. For details, contact Elaine at **dgf1945@comcast.net**.

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY - November 1: On the first Sunday of November we will once again remember members and loved ones who have entered the Church Triumphant this past year. If you have a loved one you would like to include, please fill out the form and place it in the offering plate. Names will be included in the bulletin and read during the service.

SAVE THE DATE – TRUNK OR TREAT: Our annual Trunk or Treat event will take place on Saturday, October 24, from 1:00-3:00 pm in the large parking lot. A sign-up sheet for volunteers is on the large table in Weir Foyer and a bin for candy donations is there as well.

SAVE THE DATE: The first concert of the 2026-2027 Music at Cherry Hill concert series will take place on **Sunday, November 1 at 4:00 pm** in the Sanctuary. The featured musician is cellist Willis Koa, the principal cellist of the Dearborn Symphony, who will be joined by pianist Yuta Sugano and cellist Jennifer Koa in works by Rachmaninoff and Schumann.

MUSIC AT CHERRY HILL CONCERT SERIES BROCHURES are now available in the Narthex and on the large table in Weir Foyer. Please take them and share them with friends who might enjoy attending these concert events!

IN OUR PRAYERS

Members to Remember (Those Unable to Attend Worship)

Lewis Sequin Winnie Murphy
Judy Ewasuk Ekanem Ekenyong Pam Thorpe

Health Concerns & Support

Bob Stead Marvin Oberdier John Nichols Susan Webster
Pamela Moore Judy Tisdale David Murphy (friend of Deb Szwed)
Our New Pastor and her family
as they prepare to move to Dearborn
Staff, Elders, & Deacons of Cherry Hill / The Presbytery of Detroit

BIRTHDAYS THIS COMING WEEK

Tracey Turbett 10/18 Deb Szwed 10/24
Tina Tessadri 10/24

THIS WEEK AT CHERRY HILL

Sunday, October 18	9:00 am	Choir Rehearsal
	10:15 am	Worship / Sunday School
	11:30 am	Coffee Hour
	11:45 am	Bible Study
	11:45 am	Confirmation Class
Monday, October 19	10:00 am	Sew What Group
	1:00 pm	Monday Study Group
Tuesday, October 20	7:00 pm	Session Meeting
Wednesday, Oct. 21	9:30 am	Helping Hand Food Pantry
Thursday, October 22	11:00 am	Colony Club Meeting
Friday, October 23	OFFICE IS CLOSED	
	11:00 am	Ladies' Lunch @ Buddy's Pizza
Saturday, October 24	1:00 pm	Trunk or Treat (Large Parking Lot)
Sunday, October 25	9:00 am	Choir Rehearsal
	10:15 am	Worship / Sunday School
	11:30 am	Coffee Hour
	11:45 am	Bible Study
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