



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

Sunday, October 5, 2025 – Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

** 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

Let Us Break Bread Together

Gilbert M. Martin

CHORAL INTROIT

Eat This Bread

Jacques Berthier

Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to him and never be hungry.
Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in him and you will not thirst.
Jesus Christ, bread of life, those who come to you will not hunger.
Jesus Christ, Risen Lord, those who trust in you will not thirst.

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Sing to the Lord, whose mercy is from everlasting to everlasting!

But how can we sing the Lord's song when so many are without?

Sing to the Lord, whose faithfulness renews us every morning!

But how can we sing the Lord's song when so many are gone?

Sing to the Lord, who has not forgotten the melodies of salvation!

Let us remember the joy of the Lord and sing a new song together!

***HYMN No. 506**

Look Who Gathers at Christ's Table!

Copeland

Glory to God Hymnal

PRAYER OF THE DAY

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, mother of mercy, father of grace:

You have called us to one table,

but we have pursued our own course.

You have promised us the abundance of all creation,

but in our greed, and in our envy, the world goes without.

You have promised us the bread of life itself,

but in our pride, and in our arrogance, the world goes hungry.

You have promised us the waters of peace and justice,
but in our violence, and in our discord, the world goes thirsty. And now we are famished, too, Lord.
Have mercy on us. Forgive us, again.
Transform us, *at this table*, and *for this table*,
and send us *from this table* as servants of your righteousness,
by the power of your Son, our Lord. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

RESPONSE



ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Believe the good news of the Gospel:
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

***RESPONSE Hymn No. 581**

Glory Be to the Father

Glory to God Hymnal

PSALTER (Insert)

Psalm 138

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH

CHORAL ANTHEM

Shepherd of Souls

Lloyd Larson

Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless your chosen pilgrim flock.
With manna in the wilderness, with water from the rock.
We would not live by bread alone, but by your word of grace.
In strength of which we travel on to our abiding place.
Be known to us in breaking bread, but do not then depart.
Savior, abide with us and spread your table in our heart.
Lord, dine with us in love divine, your body and your blood.
Let living bread and heavenly wine be our immortal food. Come fill us, O Love Divine.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 17:5-10

SERMON

"Preventing Pearl Harbor"

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

***HYMN No. 515**

I Come With Joy, a Child of God

Dove of Peace

Glory to God Hymnal

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (The Apostle's Creed)

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ,
His only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified,
dead, and buried;
He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on
the right hand of God
the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come
to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

***DOXOLOGY** Hymn No. 606

Glory to God Hymnal

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**

Receive these gifts of thanksgiving and praise, O God.
May we use them for your glory and the good of all people,
in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is good to give God thanks and praise.

It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks and
praise. . . Therefore with all creation we sing your praise:

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of the
2 Bless - ed is he who comes in the

(A) (D/F#) (F#m) (G) (A) (Bm)
C F/A Am Bb C Dm

pow - er and might, heav - en and earth are the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the

(G) (D) (A) (Bm) (Em7) (A) (Dsus) (D)
Bb F C Dm Gm7 C Fsus F

full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

The Lord's Prayer
Words of Institution
Distribution of the Elements

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Gracious God, we offer our thanks,
for the whole communion of saint's witness to this feast,
and for the ministry of churches around the world
who gather with us today.
By this broken bread may we each be restored
for the work yet to come.
By this shared cup may we each be claimed
for the proclamation of your Kingdom.
At this shared table may we be united
as children of your promise, children of your word,
dying and made new again,
sent boldly together into the world as servants of your peace. Amen.

***HYMN No. 536**
Glory to God Hymnal

Rise, O Church, Like Christ Arisen

Surge Ecclesia

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Postlude in D

Jean François Dandrieu

*This congregation's custom is to remain in the sanctuary for the postlude.
Those wishing to exit may do so quietly.*

SERVING THIS MORNING

Preacher

Rev. Teresa Peterson

Director of Music & Organist

Charles Miller

Liturgist

Ruth Haury

Greeters

Joyce Butykos, Cheryl Hiatt, and Bob Szwed

Coffee Hour

Sue Dalton, John Kill, and Shirley Mayland

Security

John Kill

WELCOME TO CHERRY HILL CHURCH: We are deeply grateful you have joined us in worship today! Inspired by the radical hospitality of Jesus 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, or by our secure and easy online giving option! Follow the online giving instructions on our website, www.cherryhillchurch.org.



WORSHIP AIDS: Hearing assist devices are in the narthex and in Weir Foyer, along with instructions on using the system. Large print bulletins and hymnals are also available. Please ask a greeter for a copy!

CHILDCARE FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN is provided during the worship service upstairs in the nursery. Olivia Gee is our childcare provider. Please ask a greeter for directions.

THE SUNDAY MORNING 9:00 AM BIBLE STUDY CLASS, led by Maged Ramadis, began this morning, focusing on the Book of Zechariah. This class meets in the Conference Room.

THE SUNDAY MORNING 11:45 AM BIBLE STUDY CLASS, led by the Rev. Dr. John Whitfield meets in the Conference Room. The class is focusing on Paul's letter to the Romans.

THE MONDAY AFTERNOON STUDY GROUP meets at 1:00pm in Memorial Parlor. Pastor Teresa is leading the class focusing on Max Lucado's book *Anxious for Nothing*, a roadmap for coping with and healing from anxiety.

THE MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR JUDY FRASER will be held on Sunday, October 19, at 1:00pm in the Sanctuary. Please keep Judy's immediate and extended family in your prayers.

BACH ORGAN MARATHON FUNDRAISING CONCERT ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11! The next pipe organ restoration fundraising event will be held from 10:00 am until 7:00 pm on Saturday, October 11. The schedule of performers is:

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| 10:00 am | Charles Miller | 11:00 am | Nicole Keller |
| 12:00 pm | Joseph Balistreri | 1:00 pm | Jonathan Ryan |
| 2:00 pm | David Hufford | 3:00 pm | Caroline Robinson |
| 4:00 pm | Jeremy David Tarrant | 5:00 pm | David Stultz |
| 6:00 pm | James Kibbie | | |

Each organist will perform a 50-minute recital on the Austin Organ covering the Preludes, Toccatas, Fugues, Trio Sonatas, and Chorale Preludes of the great master Johann Sebastian Bach. Donations will be accepted to support the new organ console project. We are \$28,000 away from reaching the \$190,000 goal. Come and go as you please throughout the day, which will begin and end with the famous "Toccatina and Fugue in D minor". A gala reception in Memorial Parlor will follow the final recital.

BIRTHDAYS THIS PAST WEEK

Leslie Garber 10/04

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK COMING

Aleksander Dewey 10/05 Leah Dewey 10/10

SAVE THE DATE – TRUNK OR TREAT: Our annual Trunk or Treat event will take place on Saturday, October 25, from 2:00-4:00 pm in the large parking lot. Candy donations are solicited once again and a sign-up sheet for volunteers is on the large table in Weir Foyer.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Members to Remember (Those Unable to Attend Worship)

Evelyn Poti Lewis Sequin Winnie Murphy
Judy Ewasuk Ekanem Ekpenyong Pam Thorpe

Health Concerns & Support

Stu Oke and his family on the death of his son, David Oke
Bob Stead John Haury Marv Oberdier Sharon Cloney John Nichols
Pamela Moore Judy Tisdale Yvonne Parks (Pastor's cousin)
The family of Judie Fraser, on her passing last weekend
Cherry Hill Church Pastor Nominating Committee
Staff, Elders, and Deacons of Cherry Hill - The Presbytery of Detroit

THIS WEEK AT CHERRY HILL

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| Sunday, October 5 | 9:00 am | Choir Rehearsal |
| | 9:00 am | Bible Study |
| | 10:15 am | Worship/Sunday School |
| | | World Communion |
| | 11:30 am | Coffee Hour |
| Monday, October 6 | 11:45 am | Bible Study |
| | 10:00 am | Sew What Group |
| | 1:00 pm | Study Group |
| | 6:30 pm | PNC Meeting |
| Tuesday, October 7 | 10:00 am | Peace Circle Meeting |
| | 11:30 am | PWCT Meeting |
| Wednesday, October 8 | 6:30 pm | Worship & Music Committee Mtg. |
| Thursday, October 9 | 9:30 am | Quilters |
| | 6:30 pm | Deacons Meeting |
| Saturday, October 11 | 10:00 am | Bach Organ Marathon (all day) |
| | 7:00 pm | Post-Concert Reception |
| Sunday, October 12 | 9:00 am | Choir Rehearsal |
| | 9:00 am | Bible Study |
| | 10:15 am | Worship/Sunday School |
| | 11:30 am | Coffee Hour |
| | 11:45 am | Bible Study |



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