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11:00 AM

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August 26, 2018 / 26 de agosto de 2018

Nevertheless She Preached: Eve / Aún así ella predicó: Eva

Génesis 2:7, 18-22; 3:20 (NVI) / Genesis 2:7, 18-22; 3:20 (ILB)

So God fashioned an earth creature out of the clay of the earth, and blew into its nostrils the breath of life. And the earth creature became a living being....

Then God said, “it is not good for the earth creature to be alone. I will make a fitting companion for it.” So from the soil God formed all the various wild beasts and all the birds of the air, and brought them to the earth creature to be named. Whatever the earth creature called each one, that became its name. The earth creature gave names to all the cattle, all the birds of the air, and all the wild animals.

But none of them proved to be a fitting companion, so God made the earth creature fall into a deep sleep, and while it slept, God divided the earth creature in two, then closed up the flesh from its side. God then fashioned the two halves into male and female, and presented them to one another...

Adam, or “Humanity,” named the woman Eve, or “Life-giver,” because she became the mother of all the living.”

Y Dios el Señor formó al hombre del polvo de la tierra, y sopló en su nariz hálito de vida, y el hombre se convirtió en un ser viviente.

Luego Dios el Señor dijo: «No es bueno que el hombre esté solo. Voy a hacerle una ayuda adecuada». Entonces Dios el Señor formó de la tierra toda ave del cielo y todo animal del campo, y se los llevó al hombre para ver qué nombre les pondría. El hombre les puso nombre a todos los seres vivos, y con ese nombre se les conoce. Así el hombre fue poniéndoles nombre a todos los animales domésticos, a todas las aves del cielo y a todos los animales del campo. Sin embargo, no se encontró entre ellos la ayuda adecuada para el hombre.

Entonces Dios el Señor hizo que el hombre cayera en un sueño profundo y, mientras este dormía, le sacó una costilla y le cerró la herida. De la costilla que le había quitado al hombre, Dios el Señor hizo una mujer y se la presentó al hombre...

El hombre llamó Eva a su mujer, porque ella sería la madre de todo ser viviente.

We invite you to speak and sing in the language you prefer or try something new.
Te invitamos a hablar y cantar en el idioma que prefieras o que intentes algo distinto.

PRELUDE / PRELUDIO

PRAISE AND WORSHIP / ALABANZA Y ADORACIÓN

There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit / Hay un dulce espíritu aquí

There's a sweet, sweet Spir - it in this place, _____ and I know that it's the
Hay un dul - ce es - pi - ri - tu a - qui, _____ y yo sé que es el Es -
Spir - it of the Lord. _____ There are sweet ex - press-ions on each face, _____
pi - ri - tu de mi Dios. _____ La ex-pre - sión en los ros - tros es se - ñal, _____
— and I know they feel the pres - ence of the Lord. _____
— pues se sien - te la pre - sen - cia del Se - ñor _____

Estríbillo/Refrain

Sweet Ho - ly Spir - it, sweet Heav-en-ly Dove, stay right here with us, fill-ing us with your
Tier - na Pa - lo - ma, fiel con-so-la - dor, mo-ra_en no - so - tros, llé-na-nos de tu a -
love. And for these bless-ings, we lift our hearts in praise, _____ with - out a
mor, Por tus bon - da - des, te he - mos de_a - la - bar; _____ sa - bre - mos
doubt we'll know that we have been re - vived when we shall leave this place.
sin du - dar, que_a-quí es don - de nos re - nue - va nues - tro Dios. _____

Idioma / Language: English and Spanish, *Inglés y español*

Holy, Holy

Oscar Williams, Jr.

Holy, Holy, Holy, Holy.
Holy, Holy are you, God.
You are holy, Oh, so holy.
You are holy, God.

Santo, santo, santo, santo.
Santo, santo, eres Dios
Santo, santo, santo, santo.
Eres santo Dios.

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Welcome (Let's Walk Together)

Mark Miller

Welcome, welcome to this place,
you're invited to come and know God's grace.
All are welcome the love of God to share,
'cause all of us are welcome here.
All are welcome in this place.

Idioma / Language: English, *Inglés*

WELCOME OF VISITORS! / BIENVENIDOS, BIENVENIDAS!

We want to know if you are visiting us for the first time. If you are able, please stand, so that we may welcome you. *Si nos visitas por primera vez, queremos conocerte. Te invitamos a ponerte de pie o levanta la mano para darte la bienvenida.*

Se les insta a las/los hispanohablantes a utilizar sus teléfonos y marcar el siguiente número para escuchar el sermón en español. Si necesita audífonos, por favor, dirígase a un diácono en la entrada para recibir un par. Les recordamos entregar los audífonos a la salida. ¡Gracias!

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PLEGARIAS DEL PUEBLO / THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

ACLAMACIÓN / ACCLAMATION *Tu fidelidad*

Miguel Cassina

Tu fidelidad es grande. Tu fidelidad incomparable es.

Nadie como tú, bendito Dios, grande es tu fidelidad.

**I depend upon your faithfulness. I can journey on, for you are always there.
No compares with you, O blessed One. Oh, how great your faithfulness!**

Idioma / Language: Spanish and English, Español y inglés

SCRIPTURE READING / LECTURA BÍBLICA

MEDITACIÓN MUSICAL / MUSICAL REFLECTION

SERMÓN / SERMON

The Rev. Stephanie Kendall

+HIMNO / HYMN

Mothering God, You Gave Me Birth

Jean Janzen

1. Moth - er - ing God, you gave me birth in the bright
2. Moth - er - ing Christ, you took my form, of - fer - ing
3. Moth - er - ing Spir - it, nur - turing one, in arms of
6
morn - ing of this world. Cre - a - tor, source of ev - ery
me your food of light, grain - of life, and grape - ery
pa - tience hold me close, so that in faith I root and
12
breath, you are my rain, my wind, my sun.
love, your ver - y bod - y for my peace.
grow un - til I flow'r, un - til I know.

Idioma / Language: English, Inglés

THE INVITATION TO THE OFFERING / INVITACIÓN A LA OFRENDA

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OFERTORIO / OFFERTORY

+SONG OF PRAISE / ORACIÓN DE ADORACIÓN

*Gracias, Señor
Gracias, Señor
Por tu bondad, tu poder, por tu amor
Gracias, Señor*

Gracias, Señor / Thanks Be to God

Jorge Lockward

**Thanks be to God!
Thanks be to God!
Your love, and power, and grace fills us all.
Thanks be to God!**

Idioma / Language: Spanish, English, Español y inglés

ORACIÓN DE OFERTORIO / OFFERTORY PRAYER

TE INVITAMOS A LA MESA DE COMUNIÓN / THE INVITATION TO THE TABLE

PREFACE / PREFACIO

We come to the table, *venimos a la Mesa --
all of us welcome, vayamos.*

We come to remember Jesus, *venimos a recordar a Jesús --
to be transformed by the Spirit of love, por el Espíritu de amor.*

We come to be empowered through this meal, *venimos potenciados --
hearts burning with a fire for justice, con hambre de justicia.*

SANTO / SANCTUS ORACIÓN DE ADORACIÓN

Eres santo / You Are Holy

Per Harling

You are ho - ly, you are whole. You are al - ways ev - er more than we
ev - er un - der - stand. You are al - ways at hand. Bless-ed are you com-ing near.
Bless-ed are you com-ing here to your church in wine and bread, raised from
soil, raised from dead. Er - es san - to, You are ho - ly, Er - es Dios. Te sen -
ti - mos. La cre - a - ción te da loor. Let the cos - mos praise you Lord! A - le - lu - ya! A - le -
lu - ya! A - le - lu - ya! A - le - lu - ya our God!

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WORDS OF INSTITUTION and THE BLESSING OF THE ELEMENTS / PALABRAS DE INSTITUCIÓN y BENDICIÓN DEL PAN Y EL VINO

CHRIST'S PRAYER / EL PADRE NUESTRO

Our God in heaven, hallowed be Your name.
Your Kingdom come, Your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
And forgive us our sins/debts/trespasses,
as we forgive those who sin/debt/trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the
glory forever. Amen.

*Padre nuestro que estás en los cielos
santificado sea tu nombre.
Venga a nosotros tu reino, hágase Tu voluntad,
en la tierra como en el cielo.
Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día.
Perdona nuestras deudas/ofensas, como también
nosotros perdonamos a los que nos ofenden.
No nos dejes caer en tentación y líbranos del mal.
Porque tuyo es el reino, tuyo es el poder y la gloria,
ahora y siempre. Amén.*

LA CENA DEL SEÑOR / SHARING THE LORD'S SUPPER

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

Ven, a la mesa de Dios

Barbara Hamm

Ven, a la mesa de Dios.

Ven, a la mesa de Dios.

This is God's table, it's not yours or mine.

Ven a la mesa de Dios.

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING / ORACIÓN DE GRATITUD

+CANTO DE ENVÍO / SENDING FORTH SONG

*Envíame Señor con tu Espíritu/
O Send Me Out, Oh God*

Envíame Señor, con tu Espíritu.

Envíame Señor, con tu Espíritu. (2x)

Y déjame sentir, el fuego de tu amor

Aquí en mi corazón, Señor. (2x)

O send me out, Oh God, with your Spirit.

O send me out, Oh God, with your Spirit. (2x)

And let me feel within, the fire of your love

As it consumes my heart, Oh God. (2x)

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THE BLESSING / LA BENDICIÓN

+THE PASSING OF THE PEACE / COMPARTAMOS LA PAZ

During this moment in our service, we express appreciation, *expresamos nuestro agradecimiento*, to our visitors, a *nuestras visitas*, with a warm welcome, *de manera amable y calurosa*. Say hello, *salude*, stretch your hand, *dele la mano*, especially, *en especial*, to those who are visiting us for the first or second time, *a los que nos visitan por primera vez*.

PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE:

Preaching: The Rev. Stephanie Kendall; **Liturgist:** The Rev. Jeanette Zaragoza-De León; **Lectors:** Sócrates Echavarria Mendez and Darell J. Hunt; **Elders:** Meghan Janssen and Johnson Liu; **Deacons:** Maria Morban and Meghan Janssen; **Multilingual and Cross-sectional Worship Minister:** The Rev. Jeanette Zaragoza-De León; **Interim Director of Music Ministry:** Paul Vasile; **Instrumentalists:** Pablo Eluchans, percussion; Jonathan Mamora, piano; **Soloists/Song Leaders:** Roosevelt Credit and Paul Vasile

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This Week's Mission Offering: Haitian Wells & Poverty Support. The Park is collecting funds for an eighth water well in Haiti. Each well costs \$2,500 and will provide fresh water for an entire village. Our ultimate goal to reach a total of ten wells. Because of your generous gifts, we recently funded the seventh well. Dr. Maklin, our liaison in Haiti, has used the funds to go door to door giving sanitary supplies to over 100 homes. With your support, we can continue to help the impoverished and those in need. Please lift up in prayer the good people of Haiti, while reflecting on your own self and what more you could possibly contribute to fund our eighth well for the people of Haiti.

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Today After Service



Coming Up This Week

SOULFOOD
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LITTLE ROCK

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A circular illustration depicting a historical scene from Little Rock, showing a group of people, likely African Americans, gathered in front of a building. The text "THE LITTLE ROCK" is visible at the bottom of the circle.

THE PARK OFFERS

PRAYERS

THE CONTINUED HEALTH, PEACE, AND JOY FOR OUR COMMUNITY AND ITS BROADER MEMBERS. THE CONTINUED SUPPORT OF OUR CAPITAL CAMPAIGN AND ITS VISION FOR OUR CHURCH. ENERGY FOR (AND TO!) PUERTO RICO. SAFETY FOR THE CARR FIRES, PEACE TO ALL VICTIMS OF GUN VIOLENCE. REST FOR THOSE RECOVERING. LOVE FOR THOSE GRIEVING, AND SECURITY FOR THOSE IN NEED. FINALLY, STRENGTH AND PERSEVERANCE FOR ALL THOSE ON THEIR JOURNEY.



WE ALSO LIFT UP IN NAME: Socrates Echavarria, Maria Morban, Janet Martin, Sarah Mook, Bess Terry, Joyce Clevenger, Gloria Piro, Sally Mills, and Juanita Shacklett.

MAY THE LOVE OF CHRIST BE WITH YOU!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY AUGUST!

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| 1- MARY NORTON | 13- DONA VAUGHN RAINES, DONNA BEVENSEE |
| 2- DOUGLASS ANNE CARTWRIGHT | 14- WADE PAYNE |
| 4- ASHLEY STAFFORD | 18- ONELOVE ALSTON |
| 5- DANNI BAIN, HAYLEY RICHARDS,
JOHN VIRGA | 22- KAJI S. DOUSA, BUD HECKMAN |
| 6- MACKENZIE BURCH, MARY SEARL,
MARY ANNE GLOVER | 23- JACK SHULER, NANCY NICALO |
| 7- NORMA LOPEZ-EICHER | 24- WENDY BAGGER, NOEL CLINE |
| 8- TRAVIS FRASER | 25- ERIC GUY |
| 9- MONA BUNNEMANN, CLAUDIA HIGHBAUGH | 27- PETER LYNETT |
| 11- GRACE NOTICE | 28- LAURA V. FELIZ |
| | 29- JENNIFER CRUMPTON |
| | 31- JEANNIE WALDEN |

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Events & Opportunities

Nurturing A 21st Century Faith:
Social Justice &
Spiritual Disciplines

Senior Adult Fall Conference
September 4-7, 2018

Rev. Allen V. Harris & Rev. Sydney Avent, Leaders

THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH CONFERENCE CENTER
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(Young Adult SocialS)

SEPTEMBER 9, 2018 1-3PM

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Events & Opportunities

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Inside the Evangelical Movement that Shamed a Generation of Young Women and How I Broke Free
LINDA KAY KLEIN



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"Together" (Psalm 133)
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WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION

WORSHIP AT 11AM
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CELEBRATION FROM 1-3PM
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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2018
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AT THE HOME OF
REV. JOHN AND MRS. JENSENE PAYNE,
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