

SOUTH HILLS CHRISTIAN CHURCH

*Welcome
to worship!*

SEPTEMBER 2, 2018 | 10:30 AM



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Sunday Morning Worship

Welcome to South Hills Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
We are glad you are here to worship this morning!
September 2, 2018 10:30am Worship

The Community Gathers

OPENING MUSIC

Mark Metcalf

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Don Tatlock

*SUNG CALL TO WORSHIP

CH 16

*“Here we gather as God’s people with our friends from far and near;
Let our voices sound with praises knowing Christ has called us here.
Now we seek and greet each other, now in joy approach our friends.
Here we mingle, bound together as to all our love extends.”*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Rob Laney

One Voice: O God, open our hearts this morning to hear you.

All: Help us to truly listen to you.

One Voice: Your message calls for love; your truth speaks to justice for all.

All: May we be faithful doers of your word, and instruments in your holy vision for all creation.

One Voice: Allow your spirit to guide us, so that we might be people of the spirit.

All: For all that you are, O Merciful God, we give you thanks and praise. Amen.

*HYMN

“Take My Life and Let It Be”

CH 609

The Community Listens for God

JOYS & CONCERNS

Rev. Don Tatlock

CALL TO PRAYER

“O Lord, Hear our Prayer”

Taize Community

*“O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord hear our prayer. When we call answer us.
O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer. Come and listen to us.”*

(Sing twice)

PASTORAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE

Luke 4:17-21

New Testament p.61

ANTHEM

Rise Up, My Love, My Fair One

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SERMON

“How To: Say “Amen” ”

Mason Wagner

*HYMN

“When Love is Found”

CH 499

The Community Shares God's Gifts

OFFERING

Offertory Statement
Receiving of Offering

Evan Stanfill

*HYMN OF DEDICATION

CH 491, *alt.*

***“As grain on scattered hillsides, when gathered makes one bread
God, gather all your people as one in Christ our head
Renewed, sustained, and given by token, sign, and word
The pledge and seal of heaven, the love of Christ our Lord.”***

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Arch Mayfield

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

Words of Institution
Prayer for Bread** and Cup
“The Lord’s Prayer” (sung, CH 310)

Evan Stanfill
Emily Gabehart-Weuste

All who believe in Jesus Christ are invited by Christ to share in the Lord’s Supper. After the words of institution are spoken and prayers offered, the congregation is asked to remain seated as the deacons serve the bread and cup; partake and place cup in pew back.

UNISON PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

God, who loves us and has made an everlasting commitment to us, we thank you for these powerful symbols of the bread and cup that remind us of all you gave to bring us to you. As we take this bread and cup, fill us with your Spirit of love, that we can reach out with that love to our world and your children. In the name of Jesus, our Christ, AMEN

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Mason Wagner

*HYMN

“All Who Love and Serve Your City”

CH 670 v. 1, 5

*BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH

“We are walking in the Light of God”

CH 442

***“We are walking in the light of God, we are walking in the light of God. We are walking in the light of God.
We are walking (walking, we are walking) Oo - we are walking in the light of God.”***

POSTLUDE

Mark Metcalf

*Please stand as you are able.

**Gluten-free wafers are on each communion tray.

Words in bold are said by the congregation. CH abbreviation means Chalice Hymnal.

To welcome new members, CH 341.

Restroom facilities and Nursery Care for infants & preschoolers (Rm.4) are across the portico in the education building.

The symbols in the 8 stained-glass windows represent a single word with rich meanings.

They make a statement about our faith and life as Christians. Each window design is based in scripture and can serve inspiration for prayer and reflection.

Begin in the rear of the sanctuary on left-hand side and then move forward, crossing to the right side and moving from front to back.

God: *The gold and red represents light filtering through the window. Creation is portrayed in blue and green glass suggesting the waters and growth.*

Christ: *Hands in crimson pierced by gold spikes.*

Reconciling: *The chalice and loaf as signs of Christ's presence in holy communion.*

The World: *People are represented by glass of various colors, some close together- others apart- and all under God's blue sky.*

Faith: *Represented by praying hands.*

Hope: *Seen in the tree branches budding. Hope is far deeper than optimism.*

Love: *One hand reaching out to another hand.*

Peace: *The traditional symbols of dove and olive branch.*

PRAYERS

Joyce Gifford

Mamie Snead

Tim Sullivan

Paul and Sara Smith and Paul's mother's health

Room in the Inn Guests: Lawrence, Timothy, Anton, Ben, David

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Office Closed: Monday, September 3rd, for Labor Day

Ministries Council: Wednesday, September 5th, 7pm

Yoga Class: Thursday, September 7th, 11am

Choir Rehearsal: Thursday, September 7th, 7pm

Piano Dedication Sunday: September 9th, 10:30am

Meal Coordinator for September: Marilyn Van Hoozer

SOUTH HILLS STAFF

Rev. Dottie Cook *Senior Minister*

Rev. Don Tatlock *Community Minister*

Mason Wagner *Youth Minister*

Rob Laney *Music Director*

Mark Metcalf *Pianist*

Maria Barrios *Nursery Care*

Bob Chilton *Property Manager*

Nathaniel Cook *Media Coordinator*

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