



# Embracing The Call

SOUTH HILLS CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Welcome  
to worship!

OCTOBER 14, 2018 | 10:30 AM



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Micah 6:8



Reconciliation Ministry  
Special Offering  
**2018**

# Sunday Morning Worship

Welcome to South Hills Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)  
We are glad you are here to worship this morning!  
October 14, 2018 10:30am Worship

## The Community Gathers

PRELUDE

Mark Metcalf

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Don Tatlock

\*SUNG CALL TO WORSHIP

CH 294

*“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

One Voice: Lord, teach us to count our days that we may gain a wise heart.

**All: Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, so that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.**

One Voice: Let your work be manifest to your servants, and your glorious power to their children.

**All: Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and prosper for us the work of our hands--O prosper the work of our hands!**

\*HYMN

“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

CH 66

## 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

Job 23: 1–9, 16–17

Old Testament p. 471

ANTHEM

Sing a New Song

Michael Haydn

SUNG RESPONSE

“Come and Fill our Hearts”

*“Come and fill our hearts with your peace, you alone O Lord are holy.  
Come and fill our hearts with your peace, Allelu-ia”*

SERMON

“Where is God?”

Rev. Zena McAddams

\*HYMN

“Be Known to Us in Breaking Bread”

CH 398

# The Community Shares God's Gifts

INVITATION TO SHARING OUR GIFTS AND GOD'S GIFTS TO US

Prayer for Offering

Emily Gabehart-Weuste

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

Words of Institution

Rev. Zena McAddams

Prayer for Bread\*\* and Cup

Leighton Clark

“The Lord’s Prayer” (sung, CH 310)

*All who believe in Jesus Christ are invited by Christ to share in the Lord’s Supper. You may bring your offering and place it in the plate as you come forward for communion. We will be taking communion by the method of intinction. When you come forward take a piece of bread, dip it in the cup and then partake. If you are unable to come forward, the deacons will bring the bread and cup to you.*

UNISON PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

Mason Wagner

**In some mysterious way, we are gathered at the table with world you love, O timeless God. You ignore the limits of time and space meeting us here in broken bread and outpoured cup. Simple words of thanks cannot fully express our deep gratitude. We offer you what we can, our lives—fully embraced by your reconciling love. In the name of Jesus, Your Son and our redeemer, we pray. Amen.**

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Mason Wagner

\*HYMN

“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

CH 628 v. 1, 3

\*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 bread is available.

Words in bold are said by the congregation.

CH abbreviation means Chalice Hymnal.

URWB abbreviation means UpperRoom Worship Book

To welcome new members, CH 341.

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



# Reconciliation Ministry

## *Special Offering*

The Special Offering is used to fund our Church's mission imperative to become a pro-reconciling and anti-racist church utilizing experiential education, inclusive worship and intentional dialogue. Our efforts to promote healing, relationship and restoration in the whole family of God are enlivened by funds from this offering. Through it we are able to provide programs for leadership development, curriculum for dialogue and learning, and partnerships within the Church and our communities.

Recent events have reignited the conversation about human brokenness evidenced in the sin of racism and perpetuated in our institutional structures and systems. Your generous giving to Reconciliation Ministry is transforming lives and strengthening Christ's witness in the world showing that we love one another, even as Christ continues to love us!

Donations on behalf of emergency grants on behalf of impacted communities and congregations toward healing for the communities of Ferguson, Staten Island, Charleston, S.C., and Baltimore can be directed to the Reconciliation Annual Fund/Racial Justice Response.



## PRAYERS

Bettye Taylor-home recovering from surgery

Jordan Taylor will be having eye surgery.

Mary Maxine Palmer

Don Wirsdorfer

Family and friends of Saundra Buckingham

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

**Board Meeting:** Sunday, October 14th, 1:30pm

**Staff Meeting:** Monday, October 15th, 1:30pm

**Saundra Buckingham's Memorial Service:** Monday, October 15th, 3:30pm at Greenwood Chapel 3100 White Settlement Rd, Fort Worth, TX 76107

**Disciples Women Ministry General Meeting:** Tuesday, October 16th, 10am

**Faithful Vice:** Tuesday, October 16th, 7pm at David and Emily Gabehart-Weuste's home

**New Hope Fellowship Soup kitchen:** Wednesday, October 17th, 4:30pm

**Yoga Class:** Thursday, October 11th, 11am

**Choir Rehearsal:** Thursday, October 11th, 7pm

**All Church out to Lunch:** Sunday, October 21st, 12pm

**Meal Coordinator for October:** Trisha Stanfill

## 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*

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