



# COME TO THE TABLE

Stories of Food & Faith

**PARK RIDGE  
COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
MANNA IN THE WILDERNESS

**June 16, 2019**

10:00 am

# PARK RIDGE COMMUNITY CHURCH

FOLK SUNDAY

FATHER'S DAY

JUNE 9, 2019

10:00 AM

## WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

*We are so glad you have chosen to worship God at PRCC! This is a place where persons from a diversity of faith perspectives find unity in Christ. As we begin worship, take a moment to breathe deeply, inviting the Divine to speak anew this day. No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, know that you are genuinely welcome here.*

### INTROIT

*How Can I Keep From Singing*

Traditional

### GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*(The ushers will pick up prayer cards during the first hymn)*

### PRELUDE

*Well May the World Go*

Seeger

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

We gather for worship this day, hungry for a word from God.

**Fill us, Holy One.**

When God's people were starving in the wilderness, God responded:

**"At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the Lord your God."**

As we hear God's promise of provision, let us be ready to respond.

**We come to the table: expectant, hopeful, thankful.**

Come, let us worship the God who provides!

### \*HYMN

*Turn, Turn, Turn*

see insert

### \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Holy One, we confess that like the Hebrew people, we look around and grumble. We fear that all we have is not enough. We doubt your promises. We second guess your follow-through. We hoard what you've given and are reluctant to share. We have ignored the cries of those you've called us to feed. Forgive us for our hardened hearts, lack of faith, and shortness of sight. Heal our woundedness that we might be ready to be filled by that which only you can provide.**

*Silence is kept*

### \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, hear the Good News: God has heard our cries. Like the Israelites, God knows our needs and responds with abundant grace and mercy!

**Thanks be to God! Amen.**

### \*GLORIA PATRI

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*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.*

*As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.*

### \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*To Everyone in All the World*

Seeger

### BLESSING OF OUR OUTGOING LEADERS

Today we honor those who have served God and our Congregation and who are now moving on from their previous roles. We recognize Sandy Bowen, Debbie Dietke, Thom Goodwin, Tim Lapp, Kathy Logan, Paula Mack, Siri Nelson, Angie Pappasavas, Kevin Plach, Anita Rifkind, Jan Steiner, Bill Williams, Tricia Williams, and Luan Zoellner. Some are taking a year of sabbath. Some are stepping into new roles. Others are waiting for the whispers of God's Spirit to prompt them into something new. Let us give thanks and bless these friends.

**We give you our thanks for all the time, energy, thought, prayer, research, and heart you've poured into your ministries. We give thanks for the ways God has used you. We ask that God would bless**



**you, confirming the impact you've made and the faithfulness you've shown. As you move on to whatever is next, may you feel our gratitude and God's anointing.**

Indeed, God who has begun a good work in you will carry it on to completion! We are thankful for you and all you have done! While others step into new roles, we appreciate the ways you are guiding them with your wisdom and resources and also giving your blessing to do things in new ways. Our prayers remain with you and with our new leaders as well. Many thanks!

## **COMMISSIONING OF OUR INCOMING LEADERS**

Today we recognize Sara Born, Aimee Collins, Joe DeYoung, John Davis, Sue Douglass, Thom Goodwin, Andrea Goodwin, Terry Kallen, Dave Kapolnek, Robin Kopecky, Laura Lapp, Sarah McCarty, Carrie Plach, Naomi Siebert, Dan Smith, Kent Wehman, and Sarah Young.

Do you this day acknowledge yourself a faithful disciple of Jesus Christ?

**I do.**

Will you devote yourself to the service of God in the world?

**I will.**

Will you so live that you enable this church to be a people of love and peace?

**I will.**

Will you do all in your power to be responsible to the ministries for which you have been chosen?

**I will.**

Let us respond:

**We rejoice that God has provided laborers for the vineyards. We will do all we can to assist and encourage you in the ministries to which you have been called, giving you our cooperation, our counsel, our prayers, and our support! Thank you for serving God and serving this congregation!**

## **MINISTRY OF MUSIC**

*Die Gedanken Sind Frei*

Sothilander

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Donuts for Dedication

*Children and Youth are invited to attend Summer Sunday School*

## **JOYS AND CONCERNS**

## **PASTORAL PRAYER & 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.*

## **\*HYMN**

*Where Have All the Flowers Gone*

see insert

## **PREACHING LESSON**

Exodus 16:1-5, 13-18. 35

*This is the word of God, for the people of God.*

***Thanks be to God.***

## **SERMON**

**Tasting Trust**

Rev. Carol Hill

## **OFFERTORY**

*Old Devil Time*

Seeger

## **\*DOXOLOGY**

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*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 THANKSGIVING**

**By your love, holy God, you have created all that is. In your Spirit you renew creation. Use our gifts to help bring justice and mercy to those in need. Send your Spirit upon us and transform us, that our world might know your love. We offer our gifts, knowing that they come from your Spirit. We offer our lives, trusting that your Spirit will transform us. Amen.**

**\*HYMN**

*If I Had a Hammer*

see insert

**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

*\* INDICATES TO PLEASE RISE IN BODY AND SPIRIT, IF ABLE*

**BOLD INDICATES TO SPEAK ALOUD IN ONE VOICE, IF ABLE**

LEADING US IN WORSHIP – JUNE 16, 2019 – 10:00 AM

Rev. Carol Hill, Senior Minister

Liz Swanson, Director of Pastoral Services

Sasha Gerritson, Director of Music Ministries

Mary Johnson, Lector

Wall of Sound

Thom Goodwin, Mark Holihan, Brian Keady, Bob Mack, Bruce Nelson, Dave Swanson, , & Wayne Tuminello

Singers

Sasha Gerritson, Pastor Carol Hill, Eric Johnson, Mary Johnson, Rachel Lapp, John Sasser, & Meg Thomas-Cary

Guest Musicians

Susan Chelini, Phil Feo, Joe Lill, Rick Veras, Tom Weaver

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**Turn, Turn, Turn**

The Byrds

*To everything (turn, turn, turn)  
There is a season (turn, turn, turn)  
And a time to every purpose, under heaven*

*A time to be born, a time to die  
A time to plant, a time to reap  
A time to kill, a time to heal  
A time to laugh, a time to weep*

*Chorus*

*A time to build up, a time to break down  
A time to dance, a time to mourn  
A time to cast away stones  
A time to gather stones together*

*Chorus*

*A time of love, a time of hate  
A time of war, a time of peace  
A time you may embrace  
A time to refrain from embracing*

*Chorus*

*A time to gain, a time to lose  
A time to rend, a time to sew  
A time for love, a time for hate  
A time for peace, I swear it's not too late*

*Chorus*

## **Where Have All the Flowers Gone**

Pete Seeger

*Where have all the flowers gone? Long time passing.  
Where have all the flowers gone? Long time ago  
Young girls picked them everyone.  
When will they ever learn? When will they ever learn?*

*Where have all the young girls gone? Long time passing.  
Where have all the young girls gone? Long time ago  
Taken husbands everyone  
When will they ever learn? When will they ever learn?*

*Where have all the young men gone...Gone for soldiers everyone...*

*Where have all the soldiers gone...Gone to graveyards everyone...*

*Where have all the graveyards gone...Covered with flowers everyone...*

*Where have all the flowers gone.....*

*When will we ever learn? When will we ever learn?*

## **If I Had A Hammer**

Peter, Paul, & Mary

*If I had a hammer, I'd hammer in the morning  
I'd hammer in the evening ... all over this land,  
I'd hammer out danger I'd hammer out a warning  
I'd hammer out love between my brothers & my sister  
All over this land. Ooo, Ooo, Ooo, Ooo*

*If I had a bell I'd ring it in the morning  
I'd ring it in the evening ... all over this land,  
I'd ring out danger I'd ring out a warning  
I'd ring out love between my brothers & my sisters  
All over this land. Ooo, Ooo, Ooo, Ooo*

*If I had a song I'd sing it in the morning  
I'd sing it in the evening ... all over this world,  
I'd sing out danger I'd sing out a warning  
I'd sing out love between my brothers and my sisters  
All over this land. Ooo, Ooo, Ooo, Ooo*

solo

*Now I've got a hammer And I've got a bell  
And I've got a song to sing ... all over this land,  
It's the hammer of justice It's the bell of freedom  
It's a song about love between my brothers & my sisters All over this land. Ooo, Ooo, Ooo, Ooo  
It's the hammer of justice It's the bell of freedom  
It's a song about love between my brothers & my sisters all over this land. Ooo, Ooo, Ooo, Ooo*

## ITEMS OF NOTE

### WELCOME GUESTS!

We are glad you are joining us in worship today. If you are interested in more information about our worship, programs, service, and fellowship please visit our website at [www.parkridgecommunitychurch.org](http://www.parkridgecommunitychurch.org).

**PLEASE SEE AN USHER** for seat cushions, larger font bulletins, and/or hearing assistance devices for use during worship. *Thank you to our June ushers: Anita Rifkind, George Brandt, Laura Sissman, Lonn Naudzius, Fred Siebert, Fred Flener, Tim Lapp, and Bruce Nelson.*

**ALTAR FLOWERS** this week are this week are in celebration of John and Kathy Davis' 44<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary!

**RESTROOMS** are located on the lower level at each end of the church.

**NURSERY CARE** 8:30-11:15 am each Sunday. Infants to age 5.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

*We hope you take comfort knowing that Stephen Ministers are praying for those listed below. Please include your prayer concerns during Sunday services or contact the church office.*

### PRAYER REQUESTS FROM JUNE 9<sup>th</sup>

- As we celebrate the Pentecost and the gift of the Holy Spirit, we pray with gratitude for the progress of the Associate Minister search committee. The committee reports good process with a number of Skype interviews accomplished.
- It is a joy to be honoring Charlie Giera and all the ways he serves this congregation at the Avenues to Independence dinner on 6/14.
- We celebrate a number of birthdays including Jack Tilley's 93rd birthday on 6/9 and Alex's 30th birthday this week.
- Congratulations to Emma who will be getting married on 6/15.
- Prayers of joy and gratitude were offered on behalf of the choir for the amazing gift that Music Minister Sasha Gerritson.
- It is a joy to celebrate the Zoellner's 50th wedding anniversary.
- Paula Mack asked for prayers for her sister Laura as she faces surgery on 6/10 and continues to struggle with health challenges.
- Praying for a friend's husband undergoing surgery this week at Mayo Clinic.
- The Sasser's ask for continued prayers for their friend Jane as she ends care with Rainbow Hospice.
- We pray for with the Douglass and Sandstrom families as they grieve the loss of John Douglass who entered Eternal Life 6/8.
- Please pray for the family & friends of Mike Skalena who entered Eternal Life this past week.
- Please keep the family and friends of Carole Nelson in your prayers as they celebrate her life 6/9 at 2:00 p.m.
- Prayers for friends of the Zoellners. One having bypass surgery on Thursday, another having cancer removed on Friday.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL & YOUTH

### SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

Summer Sunday School takes place during 10 am worship. Ages 3-8 are invited to a Bible story and activities, while older children and youth help. **One or more adult volunteers are needed weekly** as well--email Teri and Shelley, [sundayschool@parkridgecommunitychurch.org](mailto:sundayschool@parkridgecommunitychurch.org) to sign up. Families begin in worship at 10, and Summer Sunday School participants and helpers are dismissed after the Children's Message. Please pick up young children from the Sunday school wing as worship ends.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS NEXT WEEK!

Get ready for Community Church Cafe, where food, fun and faith combine! Three-year-olds through finishing 3rd grade are invited as students, while older children, youth, and adults are needed as volunteers. Join us **Mon. June 17 - Thurs. June 20, 5:30-7:30 pm** for Bible stories, crafts, games, music, science and snack! \$20/child, \$50/family of 3 or more. Registration and volunteer forms available in the Park Place Room, the Sunday school wing, or online at [www.parkridgecommunitychurch.org](http://www.parkridgecommunitychurch.org). Let us know ASAP if you or your children or youth are interested: Teri and Shelley, [sundayschool@parkridgecommunitychurch.org](mailto:sundayschool@parkridgecommunitychurch.org).

### JUNIOR CHOIR CAMP

Rising 2<sup>nd</sup> graders through rising 6<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to a week of fun and music! Junior Choir Camp is back, August 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>. Contact Sasha or the Church Office for more details and to register.

## OTHER INFORMATION

### MOVIES WITH A MESSAGE

Our July and August sermon series will highlight movies that have taught us something about God or what it means to be a person of faith. YOU are invited to nominate movies that have been revelatory to you! Star Wars? Lion King? You tell us what movie you think reveals something about God and why! Send suggestions into the church office, and Pastor Carol and staff will select a movie for each week based on your submissions. Throughout July and August, we will host movies on Wednesday evenings with popcorn that will pertain to the upcoming sermon/worship topic! Mark your calendars and send in your movie suggestions! *(Some movies may be more appropriate for all ages and others may be more for an adult-only audience.)*

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### SECOND SENSE

Second Sense helps individuals face the emotional and practical challenges of vision loss. Their certified professionals provide education and training to enable a person to travel independently, use technology and continue to accomplish daily tasks. Training is tailored to meet individual needs and goals. Speaker Kathy Austin will join us at Kinder Spirits Café on June 18<sup>th</sup> to talk about the impact of losing vision as well as answer questions regarding their training, resources, and answer questions about guide dogs!

### SENIOR ICE CREAM SOCIAL

**Friday 6/21 6:00 to 8:00 pm**

Senior Contact is hosting an old-fashioned Ice Cream Social for the senior members of our congregation in Park Place Room on Friday, June 21. If you are a senior going to the concert or just looking for a little treat, come a little early for time to socialize and ice cream.

### PET BLESSING June 30<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 am Service

Our pets are parts of our family and reminders of the goodness of God experienced through creation! St. Francis blessed all the creatures, and many churches host Pet Blessings to honor the tradition of claiming these beloved creatures as God's very own. You are invited to bring your pets (on a leash or cage or bowl, etc) to the 8:30 am worship service, where Pastor Carol will bless each one. Snakes, hamsters, fish, cats, dogs, mice, rats...whatever you've got, God loves them all

## WEEK AT A GLANCE:

Today	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Next Sunday
8:30a Garden Worship	Church Office Closed	10:00a Women’s AA	7:00a Men’s Breakfast	1:00p Circle 8	8:00a Meditation		8:30a Garden Worship
10:00a Worship	5:00p VBS	10:15a Chair Yoga	10:00a Women’s AA	5:00p VBS	10:00a Women’s AA		10:00a Worship
8:00p Men’s Basketball		11:30a Kindred Spirits	5:00p VBS		6:00p Senior Ice Cream Social		8:00p Men’s Basketball
		5:00p VBS					
		7:30p Board of Directors (Carriage House)					

## WITH GRATITUDE AND HOPE

Our Outgoing and Incoming Leaders, we give you thanks and celebrate you!

Giving thanks for outgoing:

- Acting Vice Chair/ Finance Chair Bill Williams
- Membership Committee Co-Chairs Paula Mack and Tricia Williams
- Outreach Co-Chairs Debbie Dietke and Luan Zoellner
- Head Usher Tim Lapp
- Chair of Social Committee Chair Jan Steiner
- Chair of the Youth Committee Kevin Plach
- Deacons Sandy Bowen, Kathy Logan, Siri Nelson (Co-Chair), and Angie Pappassavas
- Trustee Thom Goodwin
- Faith Development Co-Chair Anita Rifkind

Giving thanks for incoming:

- Vice Chair Thom Goodwin
- Membership Committee Co-Chairs Sara Born and Sue Douglass
- Outreach Chair Laura Lapp
- Head Usher Dave Kapolnek
- Social Committee Co-Chairs Dan Smith and Sarah McCarty
- Youth Committee Co-Chairs Aimee Collins and Andrea Goodwin
- Trustee Joe DeYoung
- Deacons John Davis, Robin Kopecky, Naomi Siebert, Carrie Plach, Kent Wehman, and Sarah Young
- Faith Development Co-Chair Terry Kallen