

Welcome to North Hill Christian Church

We are glad that you are present with us today. We hope you feel welcome. Please make yourself comfortable and return soon to worship with us again.

We want you to feel comfortable with us and our worship style. Please note the following about our service:

- We celebrate Communion each Sunday. All are welcome at Christ's invitation. We take both the bread and the cup as we go forward to the communion table. Grape juice is used in place of wine. On a typical Sunday there is a tray that contains individually wrapped gluten free rice and nut based cracker.
- We celebrate the presence of children in our midst.
- You are invited to chat with others in the parking lot immediately following the worship service.
- If you would like more information about our congregation, please:
 - Ask a member or the pastor about any questions you may have.
 - Pick up an informational brochure about our congregation in the narthex (entrance to the sanctuary).

NHCC Vision Statement

As a community of people called by God, blessed by the Holy Spirit, and following Christ's example, North Hill Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) is bound in covenant to continually seek God's guidance, to act and to take action in ways that embody the reign of God, and to serve human need wherever it is found.

God calls us to be a whole community and we are a place where all people are welcome, all are accepted, and each of us has an opportunity to find and joyfully share our gifts, talents and passions through worship, prayer and mission.

We seek God's guidance in building up people who explore and expand the depths of their personal relationship with God. God calls us through relationship as a whole community to minister and live as examples of the present and coming reign of God.

NHCC Mission Statement

We at North Hill Christian Church are a people responding to God's call, building whole community, reflecting Christ through our actions, and living into the reign of God.



North Hill Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)



Gathering of the Community of Faith

Welcome

Hymn "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" CH 5

*Call to Worship Sheila McCrea

Come now to worship God with Justice and truth.
Let us speak the truth of one another,
Rendering true judgements that make for peace.
Let justice roll down like waters,
And righteousness like an ever flowing stream.
Teach us to do good, seek justice,
Rescue the oppressed, defend the helpless.
Hear God's demand and promise:
Maintain justice, and do what is right,
For soon my salvation will come, and my deliverance be revealed
(Sourced from Chalice Worship pg 252-253 #86)

*Prayer of Invocation Sheila McCrea

Hymn "Wind Upon the Waters" CH 247

Sharing the Prayers of the Community Rev. Chris Snow

Prayers of the People/ The Lord's Prayer

Hearing the Word

Scripture Reading Isaiah 58:1-9a Sheila McCrea

One: The word of God, for the people of God.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Hymn "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending" CH 606

Sermon "Loving" Rev. Chris Snow

*Hymn "In Loving Partnership" CH 497

Gathering around the Table

Stewardship Moment Citizenship Class

Offering Meditation Rev. Chris Snow

Communion Meditation Jerry Klein

Words of Institution

Partaking of the elements

*All are welcome at Christ's table. You are invited to proceed to the west most aisle.
Along the western wall you are encouraged continue to practice physical distancing of
6ft between individuals as you follow the next steps.*

1) You are invited to place your offerings in the offering plate as you are able.

2) Remove your mask. **3)** Using the hand sanitizer

4) Partake of the elements (Bread and Juice). **5)** Put your mask back on

6) Sanitize your hands once more before returning to your seat.

Affirmation of Faith Rev. Chris Snow

"I Believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God,
and proclaim him Lord and Savior of the world."

Prayer of Thanksgiving Rev. Chris Snow

Sending Forth the People of God

Ministry Happenings Rev. Chris Snow

*Benediction Rev. Chris Snow

(* = Please stand, as you are comfortably able)

Count: Linda Alexander, Arlene Pandelis

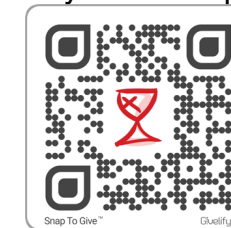
Diaconate: Patty Morris

Power Point: Catlin Borquin **Sound:** Jenn Snow

Sanitation: Shelia McCrea, Bobbie Belton

Greeter: Sam Selley

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Scripture Text for Next Week

1 Corinthians 13

Remembering the Saints

It has become our tradition to remember all those who have passed in the previous year on the First Sunday in November. As we prepare for this time of remembrance if there are any names that you wish to have read aloud during this time of our service on November 1st, please provide the names to pastor Chris no later than October 29th, with correct pronunciation if necessary.

Book Study

As we continue to recognize that racism is indeed a systemic issue in our world that regularly makes us uncomfortable, I would like to propose a book study, reading “White Fragility: Why It’s So Hard for White People to Talk About Racism.”

Here is the brief synopsis on Amazon regarding this book: “In this “vital, necessary, and beautiful book” (Michael Eric Dyson), antiracist educator Robin DiAngelo deftly illuminates the phenomenon of white fragility and “allows us to understand racism as a practice not restricted to ‘bad people’ (Claudia Rankine). Referring to the defensive moves that white people make when challenged racially, white fragility is characterized by emotions such as anger, fear, and guilt, and by behaviors including argumentation and silence. These behaviors, in turn, function to reinstate white racial equilibrium and prevent any meaningful cross-racial dialogue. In this in-depth exploration, DiAngelo examines how white fragility develops, how it protects racial inequality, and what we can do to engage more constructively.”

If you are interested in participating in this book study please contact Pastor Chris before October 15th so we can order the books and schedule our gathering times.



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Looking Ahead

1st Ukrainian Baptist Church (UBC): Tuesday - Study & Choir 6-9 PM (Sanctuary)
Sunday - Worship 2-6 PM (Sanctuary & Hazen Hall)

Sunday, October 18

Monday, October 19

Tuesday, October 20

Wednesday, October 21

Thursday, October 22

Friday, October 23

Sunday, October 25

Worship 10:30AM

Work Party 9 AM

Tuesday Bible Study 10 AM

Print Day

Worship 10:30 AM

Commitment Sunday

Serving Next Sunday, October 25th

Count: Sheila McCrea, Sally Deranleau

Diaconate: Nathan Burford **Elder:** Janie Selley

Lay Leader: Jenn Snow

Power Point: Debbie Jennison **Sound:** Bill Jennison

Sanitation: Arlene Pandelis, Patty Morris

Greeter: Janie Selley

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