

The Community Church in Harrington Park, NJ  
*Mid-Week Lenten Service*

March 19, 2025

7:30 PM

**Order of Service**

PRELUDE

Amy Duran, piano

WELCOME

**OUR APPROACH TO GOD**

HYMN SING

*(The congregation will make 3 selections.)*

CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 22

Leader: My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? Why are you so far from helping me, from the words of my groaning?

**People: O my God, I cry by day, but you do not answer; and by night but find no rest.**

Leader: Yet you are holy, enthroned on the praises of Israel.

**People: In you our ancestors trusted, and you delivered them.**

Leader: To you they cried and were saved;

**People: in you they trusted and were not put to shame.**

Leader: But I am a worm and not human, scorned by others and despised by the people.

**People: All who see me mock me; they sneer at me, they shake their heads.**

Leader: Yet it was you who took me from the womb; you kept me safe on my mother's breast.

**People: On you I was cast from my birth, and since my mother bore me you have been my God.**

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MINISTRY OF MUSIC

*"As the Deer"*

Martin Nystrom

Stephanie Budinich, soloist; Amy Duran, piano

**THE WORD OF GOD**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Ecclesiastes 3:16-21

p. 616 (OT)

MEDITATION

*"Doubt"*

Pastor Waldis

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

**OUR RESPONSE TO GOD**

JOYS, THANKS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE GENERAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*HYMN

*"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"*

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\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

Amy Duran, piano

\*Please stand if you are able.