

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

April 9, 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 63

Leader: O God, you are my God; I seek you; my soul thirsts for you; my flesh faints for you, as in a dry and weary land where there is not water.

People: So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory. Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you.

Leader: So I will bless you as long as I live; I will lift up my hands and call on your name. My soul is satisfied as with a rich feast, and my mouth praises you with joyful lips

People: for you have been my help, and in the shadow of your wings I sing for you. My soul clings to you; your right hand upholds me.

Leader: But those who seek to destroy my life shall go down into the depths of the earth

People: but the king shall rejoice in God; all who swear by him shall exult, for the mouths of liars will be stopped.

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SPECIAL MUSIC

"All in the April Evening"

Hugh S. Robertson

Lori Anders, Les Cox, Ruth Cuffe, Justin Johnson, Amy Duran

THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

John 8:48-59

p. 102 (NT)

MEDITATION

"Religion"

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 God of Abraham Praise"

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*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Amy Duran, piano

*Please stand if you are able.