



Order of Worship

Striving to be what Christ tells us through Scripture.

June 28, 2026

10 AM

PRELUDE

"Whispering Hope"
Amy Duran, piano

arr. Joel Raney

WELCOME

CHORAL INTROIT

Our Approach to Go

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 90

Leader: Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.

People: **You turn us back to dust and say, "Turn back, you mortals." For a thousand years in your sight are like yesterday when it is past or like a watch in the night.**

Leader: You sweep them away; they are like a dream, like grass that is renewed in the morning.

People: **In the morning it flourishes and is renewed; in the evening it fades and withers.**

Leader: Turn, O Lord! How long? Have compassion on your servants.

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

Leader: Let your work be manifest to your servants and your glorious power to their children.

People: **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

"God, Our Father, We Adore Thee"

#93

CONFIRMATION

James Budinich, Richard Budinich, Jr.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

CHANCEL CHOIR *"The Family We Find Along the Way"* Mark Burrows

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The Word of God

*HYMN "How Firm a Foundation" #408

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Deuteronomy 31:1-8 p. 186 (OT)
John 14:23-27 p. 109 (NT)
Curtis Stock, liturgist

SERMON "Passing the Torch" Pastor Waldis

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Meaning of the Sacrament (Responsive) insert
Invitation
Communion Prayer (Responsive) insert
Communion
Communion Thanksgiving (Responsive) insert

Our Response to God

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER #815

JOYS, THANKS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE GENERAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN "Here I Am, Lord" #589

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL AMEN

POSTLUDE "Open My Eyes that I May See" arr. Joel Raney
Amy Duran, piano

PRAYER CONCERNS: Anonymous; Peter Bird; Lauren Clarke; Harold Friedeman; Marilyn Hams; Justin Johnson; Janet Kosack; Nancy Lanzalotto; Craig Terjanian.

UNITY PRAYER: Thank you, Lord, that the joy you offer us renews our strength and gives us hope in a lost and broken world and your joy is new every morning. May the Holy Spirit teach us to slow down and take note of the joy you provide, the beauty you provide, and the goodness you provide.

THE FLOWERS: The flowers are given by the Chancel Choir, giving thanks to God for their beloved music director, Amy Duran, and by Sue Salomon Faulkner and Mike Faulkner in celebration of their 51st wedding anniversary and in memory of Sue's parents, Anne and Al Salomon, long-time former members of CCHP.

THIS WEEK

Today 11:15 Farewell Lunch for Amy Duran

Sunday, July 5, 2026

10:00 -- Worship

FAREWELL LUNCHEON FOR AMY DURAN – Join us in Founders' Hall after worship as we say goodbye to our music director, Amy Duran.

SUMMER BIBLE STUDY - Where does your sense of identity come from? Family? Life experiences? Job? When we take a GIANT step backward to the Garden of Eden, we hear these words: "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness." (Gen 1:26) But, as you know, Adam and Eve made a choice that each one of us still faces today - Do I live as a person created in the image of God? Or do I choose to take the path that Adam and Eve took?

Join us for this study! IN-PERSON: 5 Thursday mornings, 10 am beginning July 9. (Let us know if you need child care!) ZOOM: 5 Tuesday evenings, 7:30 pm beginning July 7. A sign-up list for both will be in the Narthex beginning June 7. Each week the emphasis will be different, so you can come any days or evening you are available! And you can even go back and forth between in-person and Zoom!

SAVE THE DATE!

Snackpack Event – Thursday, August 20 – 10 AM

Each snackpack costs \$7.50. Please consider sponsoring some bags to help defray the cost of this worthwhile event. Make your checks payable to Community Church and place them in the offering plate with a note in the memo for "Snackpack"

Deuteronomy 31: 1-8 Passing the Torch

Exegesis (Background)

1. Life went on without _____.
2. God has plans and purposes for _____.
3. God promises to go _____ us.

Life Application

Our _____ is in Yahweh.

There is nothing to _____.

Meaning of the Sacrament

- Leader: Beloved in the Lord Jesus Christ, the holy supper which we are about to celebrate is a feast of remembrance, of communion, and of hope.
- People: **We come in remembrance that our Lord Jesus Christ was sent of the Father into the world to assume our flesh and blood and to fulfill for us all obedience to the divine law, even to the bitter and shameful death of the cross.**
- Leader: By His death, resurrection, and ascension He established a new and eternal covenant of grace and reconciliation that we might be accepted of God and never be forsaken by Him.
- People: **We come to have communion with this same Christ who has promised to be with us always, even to the end of the world.**
- Leader: In the breaking of the bread He makes Himself known to us as the true heavenly bread that strengthens us unto life eternal.
- People: **In the cup of blessing He comes to us as the Vine in whom we must abide if we are to bear fruit.**
- Leader: We come in hope, believing that this bread and this cup are a pledge and foretaste of the feast of love of which we shall partake when His kingdom has fully come, when with unveiled face we shall behold Him, made like unto Him in His glory.
- People: **Since by His death, resurrection, and ascension Christ has obtained for us the life-giving Spirit who unites us all in one body, so are we to receive this Supper in true love, mindful of the communion of saints.**

Communion Prayer

- Leader: The Lord be with you.
- People: **And also with you.**
- Leader: Lift up your hearts!
- People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**
- Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**
- Leader: With your whole Church on earth and with all the company of heaven we worship and adore Your glorious name.
- People: **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest!**
- Leader: Together we proclaim the mystery of the faith:
- People: **Christ has died! Christ is risen! Christ will come again!**

Communion Thanksgiving

Leader: Brothers and sisters, since the Lord has now fed us at His Table, let us praise God's holy name with heartfelt thanksgiving! Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all that is within me, bless His holy name.

Leader: Bless the Lord, O my soul,
People: **and do not forget all His benefits**

Leader: Who forgives all your iniquity,
People: **Who heals all your diseases,**

Leader: Who redeems your life from the Pit,
People: **Who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy.**

Leader: The Lord is merciful and gracious,
People: **slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.**

Leader: He does not deal with us according to our sins,
People: **nor repay us according to our iniquities.**

Leader: For as the heavens are high above the earth,
People: **so great is His steadfast love toward those who fear Him;**

Leader: As far as the east is from the west,
People: **So far does He remove our transgressions from us.**

Leader: As a father has compassion for his children,
People: **So the Lord has compassion for those who fear him,**

Leader: Who did not spare His own Son,
but gave Him up for us all,
and will also give us all things with Him.

People: **Therefore shall my mouth and heart show forth the praise of the Lord, from this time forth forevermore. Amen**



Welcome to the Community Church in Harrington Park!

We are glad you are here today. Here are a few things that might be helpful to you.

Large print hymnals are available, as well as hearing assistive devices. Please speak to an usher.

Restrooms are just outside the sanctuary in the main hallway opposite the office.

It would be a big help to us if you would either fill out one of the white pew cards in front of you and place it in the offering plate or sign the guest book on your way out.

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