

**THE ORDER OF WORSHIP
TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

October 19, 2008

11:00 a.m.

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Organ Prelude

The Life and Work of the Church

Welcome, friends and members

Please sign welcome folders

Nursery care available in Education Building

Restrooms found in Education Building

Prayer requests for offering plate

Fellowship Hour following worship

Announcements – please use microphone

A Time of Greeting

Steeple Bell

Choral Introit: “Autumn Carol”

Schulz-Widmar`

The Choir

Handbells: Shirley Knox,

Minerva Lermond, Bruce Raker

Call to Worship: Psalm 99

God is great and greatly to be praised


We praise the great and awesome name of God.

Our God is a lover of justice,
who executes justice and righteousness.

Holy is our God!

*Hymn: “Shine, Jesus, Shine”

Refrain



Shine, Je - sus, shine, _ fill this land with the Fa - ther's glo - ry,
blaze, Spir - it, blaze, _ set our hearts on fire;
flow, riv - er, flow, _ flood the na - tions with grace and mer - cy,
send forth your word, _ Lord, and let there be light.

Fine

The image shows four staves of musical notation for the hymn "Shine, Jesus, Shine". The music is written in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#) and a 4/4 time signature. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff is labeled "Refrain" and the fourth staff is labeled "Fine".



1. Lord, the light of your love is shin - ing
 2. Lord, I come to your awe - some pres - ence
 3. As we gaze on your king - ly bright - ness,



in the midst of the dark - ness shin - ing;
 from the shad - ows in - to your ra - di - ance;
 so our fac - es dis - play your like - ness;



Je - sus, Light of the World, shine up - on us,
 by the blood I may en - ter your bright - ness,
 ev - er chang - ing from glo - ry to glo - ry,



set us free by the truth you now bring us.
 search me, try me, con - sume all my dark - ness.
 mir - rored here may our lives tell your sto - ry.

D.C.



Shine on me, shine on me.
 Shine on me, shine on me.
 Shine on me, shine on me.

WORDS: Graham Kendrick (2 Cor. 4:6)
 MUSIC: Graham Kendrick

SHINE, JESUS, SHINE
 Irregular with Refrain

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***Prayer of Adoration**

***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.**

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

**Holy God, our ruler and deliverer:
you have loved us and put faith in us,
and we have disappointed you.
We have forgotten your good works on our behalf
and failed to trust your promises.
Our world shows little evidence
of the justice and righteousness you love;
our governments are corrupt
and our economies brutal.
We do not honor you with our lives.
Our Lord, be gracious, and show mercy to us.
Lead us and sustain us by your presence,
that we may know you and find favor in
your sight.**

(silent prayers)

Assurance of Pardon

*Sung Response:

Oh, I know the Lord, I know the Lord,

I know the Lord's laid his hands on me. Oh, hands on me.

1 2 *Fine*

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Lesson: Exodus 33:12-23

Page: OT 80

A Scripture Conversation

Anthem: "All Things Bright and Beautiful"
The Choir

Rutter

Sermon: *“God’s Things”*

***Hymn #428** “We Give Thee But Thine Own”

***An Affirmation of Faith** **The Apostles’ Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

GIVE THANKS TO GOD

Offerings of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

Reception of Offerings by Ushers

*Presentation

***Doxology (#592)**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God above ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

***Prayer of Thanks**

Pastoral Prayers

GO IN GOD'S NAME

***Hymn #391** "Take My Life"

***Charge and Benediction**

Choral Benediction

Steeple Bell

Organ Postlude

You may recycle your bulletins in the basket at the back of the Meeting House.

Childcare

Child Care for infants is available. Please see an usher for directions. Children ages 2 and above may exit after the Scripture Conversation for **Someplace Else** (a lesson and activities in the CE Building) or remain in worship. Children of any age are always welcome in worship.

Worship Assistance

Please see an usher to receive hearing assistance, a large print bulletin or bible, or a personal seat cushion.

Prayer List:

Nursing Home and Hospital

The Arbors at New Castle:

32 Buena Vista Dr, New Castle, DE 19720
phone: 302-326-4121

Arline Olds

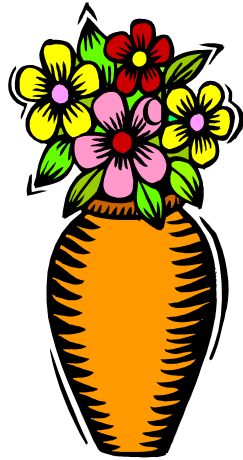
Cokesbury Village:

726 Loveville Rd, Hockessin, DE 19707;
Attn: Rm 1026 phone: 302-235-6017

Isabel Klein

Prayers for:

The Flowers are given to the glory of God by:
Steve Martin, Cynthia Robbins and Katie
In Memory of Ann Fulmer



Special Gifts Memorial Case:
Morrial G. Thornton, Jr.
1926-1991
Warren F. Beasley
1907-2000

This morning, our Ushers are:

Someplace Else (Children's Bible Study and Activities):
Molly Fouracre

"Ditty Box"

Items for the Port of Wilmington Seaman's Center

On **November 9th**, the Mission and Outreach Committee, in conjunction with the youth group, will be assembling the "ditty boxes" for distribution during the holiday season. If you took an "orange" from the Seaman Center poster, please have the items on your list turned in on or before this date. There is a clothes basket in the front hallway of the CE building for collecting purposes.

Solo Singles

You are invited to come on a day trip to Shady Maple with the New Castle Senior Center on October 22nd from 9:30am to 6:00pm. The cost is \$27.00, which includes charter bus and driver tip.

Lunch is on your own at the sumptuous buffet. Also included on site is a gift shop, a department store and grocery store which include many products you can find only in the Pennsylvania Dutch area.

Please make your reservations in a.s.a.p. call Eileen at 326-4209. First come first serve. (Pun intended!)



Spirit of Christmas **December 13**

Sign-up sheets are already available for Spirit of Christmas volunteer positions. We need every member to take part! Visit the Spirit of Christmas station today at the far end of the Fellowship Hall. Volunteer opportunities include making cookies, soup, or bread; selling food, crafts, books, or donated items; serving refreshments; greeting visitors at the Christian Education Building or Manse; making craft items; and other jobs. If you have any questions, contact Susan Flook (328-7346 or suzieflook@hotmail.com).



Calling All Homemade Soup and Bread Makers

We need your help again to make those delicious soups and breads for the 2008 Spirit of Christmas celebration on **December 13**. Sign-up sheets are posted in the Christian Education building for you to volunteer for this gift of love. Remember that the soup is to be freshly made, not frozen, and that the containers, lids, and labels will be on the church kitchen counter for you to take when you need them. There is a separate sheet for your help with the sales. **Thank you!**



Spirit of Christmas – Book Corner



December 13

Please save the CD's - DVD's - Books* you no longer need. Bring to the CE Building from Thanksgiving Day to December 12th.

*We sell paperback, children's and hardback books - (particular interest in Civil War last year). But no serial publications like National Geographic or encyclopedias – they do not sell.

Spirit of Christmas - Craft Table

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We would like to encourage members of our congregation to donate craft items to be sold at the Spirit of Christmas. We have very many talented individuals in our congregation and have always received a wonderful variety of items. Ellie Gerhart and her "elves" have been busy all summer creating some great gifts and we hope to have a very full table. Items for sale may begin arriving at the Thanksgiving breakfast and any time after that. We encourage you to price your items. Price Tags will be available at the breakfast and at all coffee hours. If you are not able to make anything for the table, please consider donating a few hours to work the table during the Spirit of Christmas. There is a sign-up sheet on the Spirit of Christmas "bulletin board" with 2 hour shifts throughout the day.

Weekly Schedule

SUNDAY	10/19	9:30am	Adult Bible Study
		11:00am	Worship & Someplace Else
		12:00pm	Fellowship Hour
		12:30pm	Youth Fellowship Lunch
		1:00pm	CROP Walk (N.C.U. Methodist)
Monday	10/20	6:45pm	Dancers (English Country)
		7:30pm	Trustees
Wednesday	10/22	9:30-6pm	Singles – Shady Maple
		1:00pm	Bible Study
		7:30pm	Choir
Thursday	10/23	6:45pm	Colonial Chimers
		7:00pm	Al-Anon Meeting
		8:00pm	Celebration Ringers
Saturday	10/25	8:00am	Tai Chi
SUNDAY	10/26	9:30am	Adult Bible Study
		11:00am	Worship–The Rev. Ev Sahrbeck
			Someplace Else
		12:00pm	Fellowship Hour
		12:30pm	Youth Fellowship

Pastor Nancy is on vacation October 23-26