HOPE
COMMUNITY CHURCH

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Welcome to Hope Community Church! We're glad that you're here and can join with us as we worship God, learn and grow, and enjoy the warmth and joy of our church family. We exist to point to the One who gives rest for the weary and a reason to hope. Please stay after the service for snacks, drinks, and a time of fellowship together.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The women's Bible studies meet Tues. in person at 8:30 AM at the Colvin home or on Zoom at 6:30 PM.
- Weekly Prayer Meeting – Wednesdays at 7:45 AM on Zoom
- Fellowship Dinner – Wednesday at 5:30 PM at the Colvin home.
- Sunday school classes for adults and kids meet each Sunday at 9:30 AM.
- Our church's Thanksgiving gift card giveaway continues through Wednesday. We will give away ten $100 ShopRite gift cards to those who apply and are chosen at random. When meeting with the recipients to deliver the gift cards, we will share information about the Gospel and an invitation to visit us if they don't already have a church home.
- Online Giving – If you would prefer to give your financial gift online, visit the 'Give' page on our website.
- WiFi Password – You can connect to the ACS Guest network using the password ACSwelcome.
- Assisted listening devices are available by the sound mixing board for anyone who would like to use one.

CALLING UPON GOD IN PRAYER

*__CALL TO WORSHIP__ | Psalm 9:1, 2

God's very words invite us into His presence.

*I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart; I will recount all of your wonderful deeds. **2** I will be glad and exult in you; I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.*

*__HYMN OF ADORATION__ | ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING

All creatures of our God and King; Lift up your voice and with us sing,
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Thou, burning sun with golden beam, Thou, silver moon with softer gleam,
O praise Him! O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless, and worship Him in humbleness,
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, Three-in-One,
O praise Him! O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

All the redeemed washed by His blood, Come and rejoice in His great love,
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Christ has defeated every sin, cast all your burdens now on Him,
O praise Him! O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

He shall return in pow'r to reign; Heaven and earth will join to say,
O praise Him! Alleluia!
Then who shall fall on bended knee? All creatures of our God and King,
O praise Him! O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia!
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CONFESSION OF SIN

We acknowledge our unworthiness before God.

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

Please take a few moments for a time of silent confession.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON | Proverbs 28:13

We are reminded of God's forgiveness through Christ.

Whoever conceals his transgressions will not prosper, but he who confesses and forsakes them will obtain mercy.

CONFESSION OF FAITH | Westminster Shorter Catechism, Questions 35 & 36

We consider a specific aspect of the Christian faith.

What is sanctification?

Sanctification is the work of God's free grace by which we are renewed in our whole person in the image of God and by which we are enabled more and more to die to sin and live to righteousness.

What are the benefits that accompany or flow from justification, adoption and sanctification in this life?

The benefits that accompany or flow from justification, adoption and sanctification in this life are assurance of God's love, peace of conscience, joy in the Holy Ghost, increase of grace, and perseverance in it to the end.

Translation: David Snoke, City Reformed Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, PA

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

We bring our praises, thanksgivings, and requests to the Lord as a church.

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

WORSHIPING GOD THROUGH GIVING | Offertory

*__HYMN OF PREPARATION__ | ALTHOUGH WE ARE WEEPING (PSALM 126)

Our mouths they were filled, filled with laughter;
Our tongues they were loosed, loosed with joy.
Restore us, O Lord, restore us, O Lord.

Although we are weeping, Lord, help us keep sowing;
The seeds of Your Kingdom, for the day You will reap them,
Your sheaves we will carry, Lord, please do not tarry,
All those who sow weeping will go out with songs of joy.

The nations will say, "He has done great things!"
The nations will sing songs of joy.
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PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD

God speaks to us through the reading and preaching of His word.

New Testament Reading | John 6:22-40

Old Testament Reading | Exodus 16:1-36

Sermon | Bread from Heaven: The Lord's Daily Provision | Exodus 16:1-36 | Pastor Ryan Colvin

*HYMN OF RESPONSE | HE WILL HOLD ME FAST

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast.
I could never keep my hold through life's fearful path;
For my love is often cold; He must hold me fast.

REFRAIN:
He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast; For my Savior loves me so, He will hold me fast.

Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast;
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast.
He'll not let my soul be lost; His promises shall last;
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast. (REFRAIN)

For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast;
Justice has been satisfied; He will hold me fast.
Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast
Till our faith is turned to sight, When He comes at last! (REFRAIN X 2)

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*BENEDICTION

God blesses us as we go to be His witnesses.

*DOXOLOGY

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

*congregation stands if able