

The Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church

January 30, 2022 – 10:00 a.m. – online

SEASON OF JUSTICE

The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it,
the world, and those who live in it.

– Psalm 24



CHEVY CHASE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**Whoever you are, from wherever you come,
you are welcome here.**

*The Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church seeks to be a congregation where God is the center of our lives;
we celebrate children and youth and equip them with faith to meet life's challenges;
we work for justice in local and global communities.*

We Gather Together

The Prelude

Fairest Lord Jesus

Dale Wood

The Greeting

The Rev. Keith Thompson

Bold indicates congregational response.

Please write your prayer concern in the chat box and we will include them in the Joys and Concerns.

The Call to Worship

Connie Rhind Robey

O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

You have set your glory above the heavens.

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars that you have established;

**what are human beings that you are mindful of us,
mortals that you care for us?**

You have given us dominion over the works of your hands;
you have put all things under our feet,

the beasts of the field, the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea.

O Lord, our Sovereign,

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Hymn 26, Vs. 1,2,4

Earth and All Stars

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Call to Confession and Corporate Prayer of Confession

Holy God, creator of the universe,

You gave us dominion over your creation,

and we took that as license to do what we wished.

With the freedom you shared, we have consumed and destroyed.

We have disrupted the earth's natural cooling processes.

We have forced plants and animals into extinction.

We have extracted minerals and oils without regard for consequence.

Forgive us, Holy God.

You have molded us from clay; continue to mold us into your people.

Grant us patience and restraint, and the courage we need to make things right.

Grant that we may never fall into complacency

or be overwhelmed by the task you have set before us.

A time for silent confession

Assurance of Pardon

Jesus Christ is the source of our hope.

Friends, hear this good news of the Gospel!

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

The Peace

Since God has forgiven us in Christ,

Let us forgive one another.

The peace of our risen Christ be with you all!

And also with you!

Time with Children

The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert

We Share Community Joys and Concerns

Joys and Concerns

Please chat box and/or email us your prayer concerns and we will include them in the prayer list.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

... We ask these things in the name of the one who teaches us to pray together saying, **Our Father and Mother, 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.**

We Hear the Word

Prayer for Illumination

God, source of all light, by your Word you give light to the soul. Pour out on us the spirit of wisdom and understanding that our hearts and minds may be opened. Amen.

The Lessons

Genesis 1:26-31

Then God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth."

So God created humankind in God's image,
in the image of God, God created them;
male and female God created them.

God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. God saw everything that God had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks Be to God.

Sermon

Voices of the Next Generation

Eleanor Woodworth, Harrison Ertz, Bailey Maxwell, Alex Strauss, Charles Ertz

We Respond to God's Word

Hymn 714, vs. 1-3

God of the Fertile Fields

Moscow

Affirmation of Faith

We believe that God creates all things,
renews all things and celebrates all things.

We believe that Earth is a sanctuary,
a sacred planet filled with God's presence.

We believe Jesus came for the redemption of all that is;
and that the Risen Christ brings life out of death.

We believe the Holy Spirit groans as the earth cries out in pain.

We believe in the power of God to make all things new;
and that God calls us to work for the healing of our planet.

We hold fast to our faith that, by the power of the Risen Christ at work within us,
we will rise and celebrate the earth renewed and all creation made whole. Amen.

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

The paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness. It is right to share our blessing in a world where justice for many is still but a dream, and mercy is but a hope seen from afar.

With thankful hearts, let us share our gifts out of gratitude.

Music at the Offertory

All Things Bright and Beautiful

Robert Lau

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn 23

God You Spin the Whirling Planets

Austrian Hymn

Charge and Benediction

Postlude

Concert Variation on Austria

John Knowles Paine (1839-1906)

Leaders in worship include The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert, Senior Pastor; The Rev. Keith Thompson, Acting Associate Pastor; Eleanor Woodworth, Harrison Ertz, Bailey Maxwell, Alex Strauss, Charles Ertz; Julie Vidrick Evans, Director of Music; Chancel Choir; Connie Rhind Robey, Liturgist.

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WEEKLY CALENDAR		
January 30 – February 6, 2022		
Sunday, January 30	10:00 – 11:00	Worship —ONLINE ONLY on Zoom at https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpsN2VPdmkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09
	11:15 – 12:00	Open Forum — Online at https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpsN2VPdmkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09
	11:00 – 12:30	Faith Trek — Online at NEW LINK https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85903282412
	5:00 – 6:00	High School Game Night — Online at https://us06web.zoom.us/j/4905335007?pwd=eVNCc2YwOEg1cEdEMit5SEJBUDMxUT09
Tuesday, February 1	12:30 – 2:30	Needlework Group – Online at https://zoom.us/j/747467515?pwd=RTlwSkJHdkh4VEpVZ2pBT3o1Nox1QT09
Wednesday, February 2	11:00 – 12:00	Bible Study – Online at https://us06web.zoom.us/j/4905335007?pwd=eVNCc2YwOEg1cEdEMit5SEJBUDMxUT09
Thursday, February 3	2:00 – 3:00	Coffee with Pastor Molly – Online at https://zoom.us/j/93390906145?pwd=QVJqdFNSUoYzUmVlc3dSYs82RWRaUT09
Sunday, February 6	10:00 – 11:00	Worship with Communion — ONLINE ONLY on Zoom at https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpsN2VPdmkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09
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