

# The Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church

November 5, 2023 – 10:00 a.m.

## All Saints Sunday



**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**

Solemn Procession on *When the Saints Go Marching In*

Rebecca Groom Te Velde  
(b.1956)

#### **The Greeting**

The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert

#### **Introit**

You Raise Us Up  
The Children's Choir

Brendan Graham and Rolf Lovland

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\*Those who are able are invited to stand. **Bold indicates congregational response.**

Please use a connection card found in the pew to write your prayer concern and hand it to an usher or put it in the zoom chat and it will be included in the Joys and Concerns later in the service

**\*Call to Worship**

Mary Strauss

The Lord is just in every way and loving in every deed.

**We look to God, who raises us up.**

The Lord supports the weak and lifts up the fallen down.

**We call to God, who raises us up.**

The Lord is good, kind, and abundantly generous.

**We praise God, who raises us up.**

**\*Hymn 730**

I Sing a Song of the Saints of God

Grand Isle

**\*Call to Confession and Corporate Prayer of Confession**

**Saving God, in each generation**

**you call your sons and daughters**

**from the dark caverns of death**

**into the bright light of new life.**

**We are grateful for the faithful witness of all the saints**

**who have gone before us**

**and who now rest from their labors.**

**When we fail to honor the wisdom passed down**

**from generation to generation, forgive us.**

**When we fail to see your dreams**

**for generations yet to come,**

**have mercy upon us.**

**Grant that all may be glad and rejoice in your salvation.**

A time for silent confession

**\*Assurance of Pardon**

God wipes away every tear from our eyes,

**and heals all our disgrace.**

Be glad and rejoice in God's salvation.

**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 Lord Jesus Christ be with you!

**And also with you!**

*We invite you to exchange signs of peace and reconciliation with one another.*

**\*The People's Response**

Hymn 36 Ar Hyd Y Nos

***For the fruit of all creation, thanks be to God.***

***For the gifts to every nation, thanks be to God.***

***For the plowing, sowing, reaping, silent growth while we are sleeping,***

***Future needs in earth's safe keeping, thanks be to God.***

**Time with Children**

Celebration of Our 50-Year Members

The Rev. Keith Thompson

**Gathering Song**

Hymn 36 Ar Hyd Y Nos

***In the just reward of labor, God's will be done.***

***In the help we give our neighbor, God's will be done.***

***In our worldwide task of caring for the hungry and despairing,***

***In the harvests we are sharing, God's will be done.***

**Faith sharing**

The Legacy Society

Tamera Luzzatto

## We Share Community Joys and Concerns

### Joys and Concerns

*Please come to the microphone to share your prayer request, or write it on the connection card found in the pew, or in the chat box on zoom.*

### 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

**Faithful God, how blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness. Sanctify us by your Word and Spirit so that we may glorify you in the company of the faithful, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### The Old Testament

Psalm 23  
The Word of the Lord  
**Thanks Be to God.**

Pew Bible OT, pg. 501

### Sermon

When We are on Your Shoulders

The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert

## We Respond to God's Word

### Remembering our Community and Giving Thanks for the Communion of Saints

#### The Necrology

Musical Meditation by Robb Saffell

*The names of the members of this congregation who died since the last All Saints' Day will be voiced. Worshippers are then invited to say aloud or silently the names of those whom they loved and cared for who have died.*

Almighty God, you have knit us together in one Holy Communion in the body of Christ.

**Give us grace to follow your saints in life, that we may be joined with them in life eternal. Amen.**

### Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

#### Music at the Offertory

And I Saw a New Heaven

Edgar Bainton (1880-1956)

And I saw a new heaven and a new earth:  
for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea.

And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven,  
prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying,  
Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men,  
and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God.

And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes;  
and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying,  
neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away. ~Revelation 21:1-4

### Prayer of Dedication

### Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Lord's Table

The Great Thanksgiving

The Words of Institution and the Breaking of the Bread

The Communion of the People

Anthem at Communion

Steal Away  
Amanda Fink, soloist

trad. spiritual  
arr. Henry Burleigh (1866-1949)

Prayer After Communion

\*Hymn 326

For All the Saints

Sine Nomine

\*Charge and Benediction

\*Postlude

Sine Nomine

John Weaver (1937-2021)

**Leaders in worship include** The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert, Sr. Pastor; The Rev. Keith Thompson, Acting Associate Pastor; Julie Vidrick Evans, Director of Music; Dr. Bobb Robinson, Assistant Director of Music; The Chancel Choir; The Children's Choir; Mary Strauss, Liturgist. **The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God.**

The Rev. Molly Blythe Teichert, *Senior Pastor*  
Elder Erik Woodworth, *Clerk of Session*  
Elder Tom Lutte, *Assistant Clerk of Session*  
Julie Vidrick Evans, *Director of Music*  
Dr. Bobb Robinson, *Assistant Director of Music*  
Valerie Burrows, *Business Manager*  
Nicole Page, *Weekday Nursery School Director*  
Kelley Abernathy, Kim Kasprzak, *ASP Co-Directors*

The Rev. Keith Thompson, *Acting Associate Pastor*  
Aimee Ranaivoarijaona, *Executive Administrator*  
Lea Holz, *Communications Coordinator*  
Anthony Baez, *Facilities Supervisor*  
Francis Diaz, *Day Custodian*  
Russell Sarvis, Luis Henriquez, Audrey Melvin, *Custodians*  
The Rev. Dr. Robert Angus, *Parish Associate*  
Kenneth Lowenberg, *Minister of Music Emeritus*



**If you're visiting, making a prayer request,  
or just want to check in with us,  
Connect With Us!**

Scan this code with your smartphone and fill out our form online.

WEEKLY CALENDAR November 5 – November 12, 2023		
<b>Sunday, November 5</b>	8:30 – 9:45 9:00 – 12:00 10:00 – 11:00  11:00 – 12:15 11:00 – 12:00 11:15 – 1:00 11:15 – 12:45 11:15 – 12:00 11:30 – 1:00	Earth Stewards Meeting — Library Nursery Childcare — Room 108 Worship — Sanctuary and Zoom at <a href="https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpSb2VPdmkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09">https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpSb2VPdmkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09</a> Coffee Hour — Chadsey Hall Faith Trek — CCPC Conference Room 50th Anniversary Member Lunch — Geneva Hall Handbells — Room 300 Children's Choir Rehearsal — Room 308 ESL Classes — Rooms 104, 122 & 130
<b>Monday, November 6</b>	2:00 – 3:00 7:30 – 8:30	Health – Exercise 60+ with Will Yates — Chadsey Hall and CCPC Parking lot Small Groups Meeting — Zoom (Contact Bill Hoffman for details)
<b>Tuesday, November 7</b>	9:00 – 12:00 12:30 – 2:30	TAP Open — Office and Waiting Room Needlework Group — CCPC Library
<b>Wednesday, November 8</b>	11:00 – 12:00  6:45 – 8:15	Bible Study — Firesides and Zoom at <a href="https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/8316317160?pwd=amJHbE5TREZvdTQxelJHWWxEQVhBQT09">https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/8316317160?pwd=amJHbE5TREZvdTQxelJHWWxEQVhBQT09</a> Small Groups Meeting — Zoom at <a href="https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/81932000819?pwd=6l9gbxGJkxVor8GAZ62b4gKbz6sPEg.1">https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/81932000819?pwd=6l9gbxGJkxVor8GAZ62b4gKbz6sPEg.1</a>
<b>Thursday, November 9</b>	7:30 – 9:15	Chancel Choir Rehearsal — Room 300 & Sanctuary
<b>Friday, November 10</b>	All Day	CCPC Closed for Veterans Day
<b>Sunday, November 12</b>	9:00 – 12:00 10:00 – 11:00  10:15 – 11:15 11:00 – 12:15 11:00 – 12:00 11:15 – 1:00 11:15 – 12:00 11:30 – 1:00 3:45 – 6:00 4:00 – 5:30	Nursery Childcare — Room 108 Worship — Sanctuary and Zoom at <a href="https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpSb2VPdmkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09">https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/83179114222?pwd=UnhZUUpSb2VPdmkwR3NyQ2kzNmN5Zz09</a> Sunday School — Rooms 180, 360, 350A (Calvin Hall) & Firesides Coffee Hour — Chadsey Hall Faith Trek — CCPC Conference Room Stewardship Lunch — Chadsey Hall Children's Choir Rehearsal — Room 308 ESL Classes — Rooms 104, 122, 130 Middle School and high School Youth Group — Sanctuary & Jetties Chevy Chase Concerts Presents The Maryland State Boychoir — Sanctuary

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