

**ASSISTING IN WORSHIP:**

The flowers today were given by . . . **Toby Tolson** in memory of Joan R. Tolson and Elmira M. Kien . . . **Tim and Kathy Amann** in loving memory of our two favorite veterans, Edward Amann and Clyde Mienheartt.

**Ushers:** Ray and Sharon Bauman, Gary Lord, Violet and Jerry Sears, Gay Volz

**Soundboard:** Craig Zimmerman

**Sunday Trustee:** Al Neumann

**Please do not disturb the Soundboard Tech during the worship service. If you notice a problem during the service, alert an usher or the Sunday Trustee.**

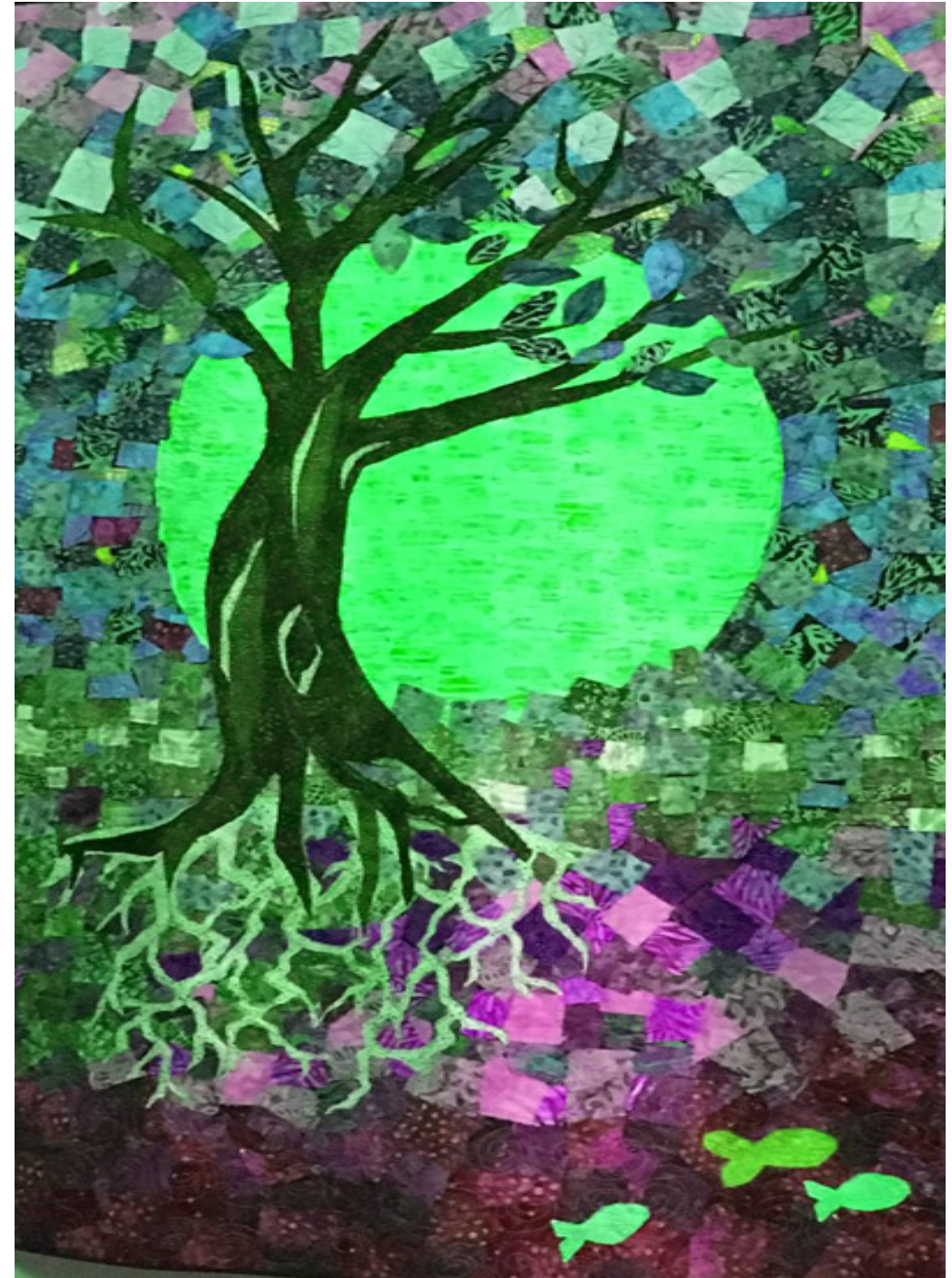
\*Those who are able, please stand in body or spirit  
Please join in reading or singing those parts of the service printed in **bold**.



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**ORDINARY TIME—Week 32**

November 11, 2018

10:30 A.M. Worship

## Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Mission—Take Them A Meal

Nancy Ross-Zimmerman  
Karen Friedhoff

**Gather us in, the lost and forsaken;  
Gather us in, the blind and the lame;  
Call to us now, and we shall awaken;  
We shall arise at the sound of our name.**

## Voluntary

*"Mine Eyes Have Seen The Glory"* - Ranz

Carolyn Miller  
and Karen Balogh

## Call to Worship

Come and worship our God Almighty!

**Come and praise the King of kings!**

Though our world is full of powers and authorities, rulers and presidents,

**God alone is sovereign and Lord of all.**

Though our world is full of hollow promises,

**God alone is faithful with his promises.**

Come Let us worship together!

**Come let us sing God's praises!**

\* **Hymn #263** vs. 1, 3, *"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"*

CORONATION

## \* Prayer of Adoration and 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.**

## A Time with Children

Nancy Ross-Zimmerman

## \* Passing the Peace

\* **Congregational Response** *"Here in this Place"*

**Here in this place the new light is streaming,  
now is the darkness vanished away;  
see in this space our fears and our dreamings  
brought here to you in the light of this day.**

## Prayers of the People

### Offering

Offertory

*"Holy, Holy, Holy"*

Sanctuary Choir

(congregation is invited to join the choir on the last verse)

**Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!**

**All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea;**

**Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty!**

**God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!**

### Scripture

Acts 13:1-3

### Message

"The Best Church You've Never Heard of"

Greg Kennedy

\* **Hymn #321** vs. 1, 2 & 5 *"The Church's One Foundation"*

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### \* Charge and Benediction

**Go forth into God's world in peace;**

**be of good courage;**

**hold fast to what is good;**

**Return to no one evil for evil;**

**strengthen the fainthearted;**

**support the weak; help the afflicted;**

**honor all people; love and serve the Lord,**

**rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.**

### \* Postlude

*"Allegro con forza"* - A.D. Miller

## News of the Church

**Wednesday Night Bible Study** led by Pastor Greg Kennedy at 6:30 P.M. in Disciples' Hall. Join Greg with his study on Ephesians. Everyone is welcome - come as your schedule allows. Childcare will be available - please RSVP for childcare at [mhensey@nmpchurch.org](mailto:mhensey@nmpchurch.org).

**Meet the Deacon** - Take the time next Sunday, November 18 and meet Diane Milazzo and Anne McEldowney in the Commons between worship services.

**The 50+ Group will host Rick Kennedy as their speaker on Thursday, November 15.** Rick will present "**Cincinnati Innovations: A history of our city and its inventions**", including two important ones by Northminster members. Lunch will be served at 12 noon followed by the program. The cost is \$6.00. RSVP on Sunday, November 11 in Fellowship Commons or contact the church at 931-0243 or [office@nmpchurch.org](mailto:office@nmpchurch.org) by November 12.

**POINSETTIAS** will decorate the Sanctuary Sunday, December 16 & 23 plus Christmas Eve. Cost is \$10.00 and the **deadline to order is Monday, November 19.** To order - look for the flower

envelope in the pew rack or you can call the church office (931-0243). Be sure to let us know what you want printed in the bulletin and whether you plan to take the poinsettia with you after the 11:00 PM worship service or leave it for the Deacons who will deliver them to members and friends who can no longer get to worship or who are hospitalized. The cost of the poinsettias is \$10.00.

**Thanksgiving Basket Project 2018** - Saturday, November 17 from 9am-12pm. **There are 3 ways you can help:**

1. **Contribute to the purchase of the food baskets.** You can drop a check in the offering plate marked "Thanksgiving Baskets". **DEADLINE IS TODAY!**
2. **Help pack food into baskets.** Meet at 9am at Friendship United Methodist Church on Saturday, November 17.
3. **Deliver the baskets to local families.** Deliver 3-5 baskets on Saturday, November 17.

Call the church (931-0243) if you would like to volunteer to help pack the food baskets or help deliver the food baskets.

### Sunday Service Notes

**Second Mile Offering** is an opportunity to contribute toward ministries that are truly worthy of funding above and beyond what can be within our church budget. **The November Second Mile Offering** is for **Valley Interfaith**.

**PLEASE REMEMBER:** When you are here for worship or a meeting, please **lock your cars and do not leave anything of value visible in your cars.**

**Pew Cards** are available in the pews in the Sanctuary for you to request Prayer, Worship CD or Home Communion. You may make your requests for yourself or on behalf of others.

Completed cards may be placed in either the offering plate or handed to an usher following the service.

**Security Monitor**  
Bob Friedhoff (513) 200-1661

### WORSHIP ATTENDANCE for Sunday, November 4

	Children	Adults
9:00 A.M.	12	76
10:30 A.M.	5	178
TOTAL	17	254

21 children in programing

**Angel Tree** - The Christmas tree with Angel Tree tags will be in Fellowship Commons on **Sunday, November 25 and December 2.** The congregation is invited to take a tag, buy and wrap gifts for the children or fill a food basket for the family. Return the gift/food basket to the church by **December 9.**

The **Book Discussion Group** is reading "The Lady and the Unicorn" by Tracy Chevalier this month. Join the group on **Wednesday, November 28** at 7:00 P.M. in the Lounge to discuss the book.

Come celebrate Advent with us - **Advent Festival - Sunday, December 2 from 4:30-7:00 P.M.** Enjoy making your own Advent Wreath, hearing the nativity story with handbells and dinner. Cost for the dinner is \$4.00 / adult \$2.00/children. RSVP by emailing Mary Hensey at [mhensey@nmpchurch.org](mailto:mhensey@nmpchurch.org).

**Northminster's Children's Co-Op Breakfast with Santa - Saturday, December 8** from 9:30-11:30 A.M. The day will include a visit from Santa, breakfast goodies, Christmas Craft and activities plus Raffles Baskets. The cost is \$3.00 for children 12 and under/\$5.00 for adults. To RSVP email [northminstercoop@gmail.com](mailto:northminstercoop@gmail.com).

**June's Thoughts** is taking orders for the third printing. If you would like a copy of this book, look for the pink flyers at the Information Desk or call the church office at 931-0243.

**We are collecting 16oz plastic jars of Peanut Butter for Valley Interfaith for their Christmas Food Boxes.** The goal is 150 jars. Place your donations in the plastic bin in Fellowship Commons. The deadline is Sunday, December 2.

The **Troop Support Team** has **Holiday Cards** available in Fellowship Commons. Please pick up a couple cards, write messages to our servicemen and women (sample messages provided) and return the cards by **Sunday, December 2.**

**Scholarship Programs for La Patria Norte Christian School in Coban.** Information about the Scholarship Program will be in your November Grapevine. You can donate to the scholar-

ship program by giving directly to Northminster. If you have any questions, contact Jane Whalen at [jchwhalen@gmail.com](mailto:jchwhalen@gmail.com) or 541-1412.

## JOURNEY TO HOPE

**All support and coaching groups at Journey to Hope are open to the entire Greater Cincinnati community. We encourage you to attend. Please share this information freely with anyone who could benefit from any of our programs.**

**If pre-registration is required, call Diane at 931-5777, e-mail [dkinsella@jtoh.org](mailto:dkinsella@jtoh.org), or visit [jtoh.eventbrite.com](http://jtoh.eventbrite.com)**

**Crohn's Colitis Support Group - Monday, Nov. 19 | 7-8:30 PM** We are working on a speaker for this month, so please stay tuned!

**Diabetic Support Group - Wednesday, Nov. 21 | 1:30 - 3 PM** Join our monthly discussion with Registered Dietician Jan Wagner. Bring your questions! Find answers and a number of strategies to continue to stay healthy through managing your diabetes.

## OUTSIDE NORTHMINSTER

**ThankSing—November 18 at 5:00 P.M. at Covenant-First Presbyterian Church** (717 Elm Street 45202. This service includes traditional hymns, and related Scripture, with a focus on thanking God for his amazing goodness to us.

**Sunday, November 11**

6:00 P.M. Finneytown Football Family Dinner  
- Disciples' Hall , Founders' Hall

**Monday, November 12**

9:30 A.M. Children's Co-op - Rms. 7, 8, 9 & 10  
1:30 P.M. Strengths Based Career  
- Journey to Hope  
4:00 P.M. Ring of Peace - Sanctuary  
6:00 P.M. Journey to Hope Board  
- Journey to Hope  
6:30 P.M. Small Group (Decker) - Library  
7:00 P.M. Minster Ringers - Sanctuary

**Tuesday, November 13**

9:30 A.M. Children's Co-op - Rooms 7, 8 & 9  
9:30 A.M. Women's Outreach Choir  
- Sanctuary  
1:00 P.M. Prayer Shawl Ministry - Room 5  
7:00 P.M. Cub Scout Den Meeting - Disciples'  
Hall, Rooms 1, 2, 7, 9 & 10  
7:00 P.M. Boy Scout Troop 857  
- Disciples' Hall (N)  
7:00 P.M. Trustees - Room 5  
7:30 P.M. Co-op Board Meeting - Library

**Wednesday, November 14**

9:00 A.M. Church Staff Meeting - Room 5  
9:30 A.M. Children's Co-op - Rms. 7, 8, 9 & 10  
1:30 P.M. Steady U - Journey to Hope  
6:30 P.M. Ephesians Bible Study  
- Disciples' Hall  
7:00 P.M. Crosspoint Band Rehearsal  
- Founders' Hall

**Thursday, November 15**

9:30 A.M. Children's Co-op - Rms. 7, 8, 9 & 10  
12:00 P.M. 50+ Luncheon - Disciples' Hall  
1:00 P.M. Whiz Kids Team - Library  
1:30 P.M. LinkedIn 101 - Journey to Hope  
6:00 P.M. Finneytown Volleyball Banquet  
- Founders' Hall  
7:00 P.M. Sanctuary Choir - Sanctuary

**Friday, November 16**

6:15 A.M. Men's Bible Study - Founders' Hall  
9:00 A.M. ESL & Citizenship Classes - Library,  
Lounge, Founders' Hall &  
Fellowship Commons  
9:30 A.M. Children's Co-op - Rms. 7, 8, 9 & 10

**Saturday, November 17**

9:00 A.M. Children's Ministry Team - Room 5  
12:00 P.M. Ray of Hope Youth Service  
- Founders' Hall  
1:00 P.M. Art of Becoming - Journey to Hope  
2:00 P.M. Reception for Bill Troy  
- Fellowship Commons

**Sunday, November 18**

11:30 A.M. Coban Presentation and Lunch  
- Disciples' Hall (South)

**Sunday, November 18**

Selections from Acts 13 & 14  
**"The Good News Goes Viral!"**  
Nancy Ross-Zimmerman

**EVERY SUNDAY at NORTHMINSTER**

**9:00 A.M. Crosspoint Worship  
- Founders' Hall**  
9:00 A.M. Small Group (McGrath) - Lounge  
9:15 A.M. Bible Believers Adult  
Bible Study - Rm. 1  
9:00 A.M. Sunday School - Rooms 5 & 7  
9:00 A.M. Nursery - Room 8  
10:30 A.M. NSM - Upper Room  
**10:30 A.M. Worship - Sanctuary**  
10:30 A.M. Sojourners - Founders' Hall  
10:30 A.M. Nursery - Room 8  
10:30 A.M. Sunday School - Rooms 5 & 7  
12:00 P.M. Ray of Hope Church Service  
- Founders' Hall  
4:45 P.M. PYRE Bell Choir - Sanctuary &  
Fellowship Commons  
6:30 P.M. NSM Sunday Night - Upper Room

**Prayer List for November 11, 2018**

*"REJOICE with those who rejoice. WEEP with those who weep"*

**Bereaved**

Phyllis Martin and family in the death of  
her daughter-in law and wife of Kip Martin,  
**Gail Honda** - November 1, 2018

The Troy family in the death of  
**Bill Troy** - November 3, 2018  
(Graveside service at Rest Haven in Blue Ash  
on Sat., Nov. 17 at 9:30 A.M.  
A memorial reception following the service  
at Northminster at 11:00 am.)

**Hospitalized**

**Howard Lawson** (father of Sherri Horton) - UC

**Under the Care of Hospice**

**Sandy Phillips** at Mt. Healthy Christian  
**Mary Frances Roll** at Vitas on Galbraith  
**Beverly Sjolin** at Twin Lakes Memory Unit

**Joy**

The rosebud today is in celebration of the birth of  
**Theodore Lee Reder** born November 5, 2018  
The parents are Andrew and Emily Reder.  
The grandparents are Rich and Shirley Reder  
and Lynn Saul.

Remember to contact the church office  
(931-0243 or office@nmpchurch.org)  
of hospitalizations.

**Recuperating and Ongoing Treatments**

Please call the office to update us on names of relatives & friends.

**Dick Apking**  
**Mark Becker**  
(grandson of Bernie Humason)  
**Bob Booker**  
(friend of Howard Krueger)  
**Holly Boots**  
(daughter of Gloria Oliver)  
**Jim Bowles**  
**Mike Brooks**  
**Lillie Carlisle**  
(mother of Sylvia Yorke)  
**Coban Presbyterian Church &  
Pastor Philip Beisswenger &  
family**  
**Dick Flaig**  
**Matthew Friedhoff**  
**Emily Giust**  
(granddaughter of Don Lincoln)  
**Connie Glazier**  
(friend of Diane Shuler)  
**Sandra Hill**

**Judy Krueger**  
(sister of Howard Krueger)  
**Howard Krueger**  
**Charlene Mecklenburg**  
[https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/  
charlenemecklenburg](https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/charlenemecklenburg)  
**Dick & Jean Moser**  
**John Nichols** (friend of  
Al and Margaret Neumann)  
**Paul Piening**  
(friend of Howard Krueger)  
**Jordan Phillips**  
(grandson of Sharon Furlong)  
**Carol Rumppler**  
**Jessica Seay**  
(daughter of Bob & Kathy Dolle)  
**Ruth Shaw**  
**Sharyn Speckman**  
**Dave Switzer**  
**Ric Towner**  
(friend of Carol Gates)

**Members in Care Facilities**

**Alois Alzheimer Center**..... Jack Geis  
**Arden Courts of Kenwood** .....Lynne Reynolds  
**Burlington House**..... Carolyn Brandt  
**Fairfield Place**..... Fay Harris  
**Legacy at Wellspring**..... Bill Falhaber, Don Haas  
**Maple Knoll - Bodmann**..... Wayne Frye, Mary Gibson,  
Jim Golan, Peg Jenkinson, Evelyn Rentschler,  
VJ Schuster, Tom Speckman  
**Marjorie P. Lee**..... Joan Jester  
**Mt. Airy Gardens**..... Frances Hogue  
**Mt. Healthy Christian**..... Elaine Kartisek  
**The Kenwood**..... Ed Ebrite  
**Tri Health Rehabilitation**.....Bob Cooke  
**Triple Creek**.....Joan Thorpe  
**Twin Towers**.....Thilda Muir, Janet Sinks

**Daily Prayer Focus**

**Sunday**  
Northminster's Veterans

**Monday**  
Journey to Hope Board

**Tuesday**  
Prayer Shawl Knitters

**Wednesday**  
Pastors Greg Kennedy  
and Nancy Ross-Zimmerman

**Thursday**  
The fellowship of the 50+ Lunch

**Friday**  
Laura Gates serving in Northwest Africa with the  
Pioneers Organization and Wolos people

**Saturday**  
Heritage Presbyterian Church

**Sunday**  
Fellowship of NSM's  
Skyline Sunday