Thank you for worshiping with us at

Harrisena Community Church

Core Values

At Harrisena, we believe diversity is a blessing.

We believe that the message Jesus of Nazareth brought to humankind is as relevant today as it was 2,000+ years ago.

We believe that this message is one of healing and transforming love that breaks down barriers—a message of welcome, inclusion, equality, respect, forgiveness, and care for all people and the earth.

We believe that this message, rather than the particular institutions conveying it, forms the most enduring foundation for a life well lived—in other words, a life lived in the divine image.

We believe that each of us is free to understand and worship God in our own ways.

We believe that faith is enriched by human reason, not in conflict with it.

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**President of the Congregation:** Mr. James Ferris

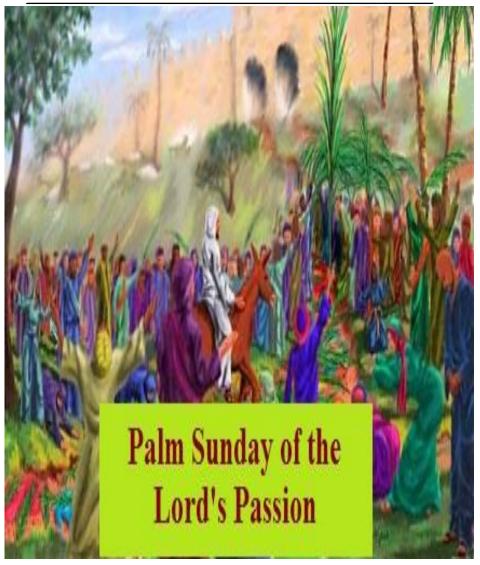
**Organist:** Mrs. Melissa Ferrie-Healy

**Ministers: ALL** 



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MARCH 28, 2021

#### HARRISENA COMMUNITY CHURCH

Join us on FACEBOOK on Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. Prayer on Wednesdays anytime...anywhere...together we pray for our community, our church, the Church universal, our nation, our world...ourselves.

#### **CENTERING WORDS**

"O, give thanks to our God, whose goodness and mercy endure forever. Who answers our cries. Who sustains the weary with a word. Who takes human form to stand with us. Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

And blessed are we when we stand with him."

# The Gathering

**PRELUDE** 

**GREETING & INVOCATION** 

# Awaken to the Word

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

- L: This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.
- P: I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.
- L: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.
- P: We bless you from the house of the Lord.
- L: Let us worship God!

ALL: Amen and amen!

\*HYMN OF PRAISE

"All Glory, Laud and Honor"

#265

### \*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION (in unison)

We praise you, O God, for your faithfulness through the ages. You are with us as we greet the dawn of a new day. Your word guides us as we seek to be obedient. You comfort us during times of distress and judge us according to your righteousness. As we sent Jesus to fulfill your promise, you fill us with your Spirit that we may know of your will. As we enter the gates of your sacred space, hear now our voices as we sing you our praise.

#### \*SILENT PRAYERS

# Proclamation of the Word

Isaiah 50:4-8a

Psalm 31:9-16

Philippians 2:5-11

John 12:12-16 and Mark 14:1-15:47

The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

Dr. Natalie C. Wimberly

Response to the Word

HYMN

"Spirit Song"

#352

PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS: MISSIONS AND GENERAL OFFERINGS

Donations can be made with our NEW ONLINE GIVING OPTION on our website, harrisena.org or mailed to Harrisena Community Church, 1616 Ridge Road, Queensbury, NY 12804; cc: Financial Secretary.

Thank you for your continued support of our church family! HCC Finance Committee

#### PRAYER OF DEDICATION:

O God of wisdom, you open our eyes to behold the wonder of your mighty acts. You free our tongues to proclaim as good news Christ's suffering for us all. We sing, "Hosanna in the highest!" Christ has entered our lives. Accept now these offerings as our garlands of welcome and hear our shouts of praise as we seek to follow him. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sent Forth by the Word

HYMN OF DEDICATION

"I Love to Tell the Story"

**#560** 

BENEDICTION

TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

#### FAMILY AND FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

Derek Dumas – stateside Michael Gusek, *Patriot Missile Battery* – serving at Fort Hood, TX Gary Hogan, USA

Joseph Hubbard, Army – stateside

Corey Ledgerwood, Army - Afghanistan

Wes McQueen, USAF – stateside

Tony Mitchell, USAF

Tyler Monroe, USAF

Breanna Moore, USAF – stateside

Griffith Parry, West Point Military Academy

James Pearson, USAF

Philip Riccio, *Army* – stateside

Brian Schneider, Army – Afghanistan

Kelly Thompson, US Health Service

Dan Urband, USNG – Afghanistan

Mark Wilson, USNG/Spcl Forces – stateside

Braden Stormer – stateside

### NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSONS EASTER SUNDAY

EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 4, 2021

First Lesson: Acts 10:34-43 Psalm: Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

Epistle Reading: I Corinthians 15:1-11 Gospel: John 20:1-18 or Mark 16:1-8

A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO CHERYL STRAUT FOR ALL THAT SHE HAS DONE AS HCC'S FINANCIAL SECRETARY. WE WISH YOU ALL THE BEST! GOD BLESS YOU!



#### HARRISENA COMMUNITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOIN US FOR SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP IN-PERSON and on ZOOM Link use link below or dial: 1-646-558-8656, enter Meeting ID: 989 1614 9913 and

Password: 639393 when prompted. We will also stream to FACEBOOK LIVE @ drnatalie wimberly.

ZOOM MEETING: HARRISENA SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP <a href="https://ministrelife.zoom.us/j/98916149913?pwd=aHIYR0VrZENleDd1SHB3c3JUVlp1QT09">https://ministrelife.zoom.us/j/98916149913?pwd=aHIYR0VrZENleDd1SHB3c3JUVlp1QT09</a>

**LENTEN BIBLE STUDY & MEDITATION – WEDNESDAY@ 7 PM on FACEBOOK LIVE @drnatalie wimberly.** 

**MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE @ 7 PM** 

SATURDAY MEDITATION @3:00 p.m. on FACEBOOK LIVE! @ drnatalie Wimberly.

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE at 6:30 AM in the HCC parking lot.

Email or text all PRAYER REQUEST you would like in the bulletin and for Sunday worship to the office by Tuesday of each week. Thank you.

**PRAYER CHAIN:** Do you believe in the power of prayer? Would you like to join others HCC members as we pray together for others? If so, contact Bonnie Nadig and/or contact the church office at harrisenachurch@gmail.com. **Join us as we continue to pray for our local and global communities and ourselves.** 

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT! Please forward your pledges and offerings to Harrisena Community Church, 1616 Ridge Road, Queensbury, NY 12804, cc: Financial Secretary OR through online giving on harrisena.org website. We will get through this time together. Thank you! HCC Finance Committee.

We are still accepting FOOD DONATIONS for **FAMILY SERVICES**. These donations can be left at the front door of the Ed. Building. Open the front door and place them in the entrance between the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> door. Thank you so much!

The Missions committee and volunteers have provided packaged meals to support the weekend feeding program. They also have provided meals for HCC members and friends. If you would like a packaged meal, call Sue Ogden. Special thanks to Sue and Chuck Ogden, Bill and Pam Loeb, Hal and Deanna Payne, Robin Dutcher, Mary Alice Clickner, Phyllis Straut, Donna Davidson-Smith, Bonnie and Phil Nadig, Shirley Harney and all those who have contributed to this ministry with your prayers, time and financial resources.

Easter is less than a week away, and the Flower Committee would like your thoughts on decorating the church with Easter plants this year. Please contact Phyllis Straut at 518 7933-5669 with your suggestions. Thank you.

# **OUR PRAYERS**

Manu Malkani – The Terrace Jim Nobile – Fort Hudson Art Norton – The Warren Center Gordon Wallace, Sr. – Glens Falls Hospital

Amy Ledford-Austin

# **HOME/HOSPITAL (HOSPICE\*)**

Beth Hinckle

Kathleen Dumont

| Jerrod Ogden    | Dave Rogers           | Tom St. Clair          |
|-----------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Lynn Sawyer     | Bob Straut, Jr.       | <b>Edward Thompson</b> |
| Bob Tucker, Jr. | Heather Waldenstrom   | •                      |
| Kenny Wendell   |                       |                        |
|                 |                       |                        |
|                 | HOME                  |                        |
| Robert Boule'   | Christine Burke       | Pattie Chapman         |
| Elaine Coffin   | Ruth Daggs            | Kimberly Deeken        |
| Abigail Evans   | Phil Farbaniac        | Iggy Friday            |
| Collin Fuller   | Rev. Patti Girard     | Phil Nadig             |
| Pam Gitto       | Bambi Greychek-Spenso | er Liam                |
| Jane Lis        | Pami Maack            | Ann Malkani            |
| Robert Marshall | Marilyn Pagliuco      | Anne Rizzi             |
| Kieara Robinson | Marie Scarselletta    | Susan Shoemaker        |
| Phyllis Straut  | Renee Straut          | Linda Tripp            |
| Audrey Wiygul   |                       |                        |
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# UNSPOKEN PRAYERS (UPDATED WEEKLY): 61

Our condolences to Donna Bigelow the cousin of Charles Watkins.

**NOTE:** <u>Art Norton</u> is a permanent resident of the *Warren Center* and loves getting phone calls!

Warren Center, 42 Gurney Lane, Queensbury, NY 12804 (518) 683-8983

**Note:** Please check over the prayer requests above and update any members who have had status changes! Thank you.

# PRAYER REQUEST FORM

Use this form to list your request.

Date:

| PERSON                                | REASON                                                           | WHERE: Hospital,<br>Home/Hospital, Home |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                                                  |                                         |
| Your Name & Pl                        | hone #                                                           |                                         |
| If you would like                     | a card sent, please include                                      | e the ADDRESS below:                    |
| *Type of Card: '                      | for - Call me for Address.  "Get Well," "Sympathy," " es," other |                                         |
| · ·                                   | your request on the LONe                                         | G-TERM PRAYERS,                         |
| *If you would like<br>HANDS, please c |                                                                  | or Meals from <i>HELPING</i>            |
| •                                     | your Prayer Concerns in<br>Office by mail or call, 518-          | · ·                                     |

# 2021 Pledge to Harrisena Community Church

**PRINT Name(s):** 

Please complete all information on the pledge card.

| First                                           |               | Last                                        |                     |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| First After prayerful consi                     | deration, I/v | Last we have committed to                   | pledge as follows:  |
| Pledge Giving<br>Schedule<br>(Select one below) |               | Giving Amount<br>(Per Schedule<br>Selected) | Total Annual Pledge |
| Weekly                                          |               |                                             | (x52)               |
| Monthly                                         |               |                                             | (x12)               |
| Quarterly                                       |               |                                             | (x4)                |
| Semiannually                                    |               |                                             | (x2)                |
| Annually                                        |               |                                             | (x1)                |
| Other                                           |               |                                             |                     |
| •                                               | have Pledge   | e Envelopes?: Yes _                         | No                  |
| Printed Email Address:                          |               |                                             |                     |
| Printed Mailing Address:                        |               | Street A                                    | ddress              |
|                                                 | City          | State                                       | Zip                 |
| SIGNED:                                         | DATE:         |                                             |                     |

Thank you for your gracious financial support of our beloved church. Mail pledge forms to Harrisena Community Church, 1616 Ridge Road, Queensbury, NY 12804 cc: Finance For questions, please contact treasurers Bonnie Nadig, Ken Zacharias or financial secretary.

#### THE LENTEN SEASON

We have approached our prayers each week in Lent in such a way that we lay bare the brokenness in order to begin the process of healing. Along the way we have acknowledged our need to restore our own Holy Vessels while attending to our role in the healing of the community and the world. The work of healing will continue as we integrate all we have learned with all that we will do moving forward. For now, we remember how hard it is to move from thinking to doing.

Let us pray:

Forgiving God,

We have opened ourselves to healing and sometimes it is easier to pray nice prayers

than to do the hard work of putting into action what needs to happen. Help us remember the sacred nature of the holy vessels that we are, fragile and susceptible to shattering and yet capable of transformation. Help us to see ourselves as you see us.

Help us to believe in our ability to change and heal as you believe in us.

Help us, Healer.
Show us our strength.
Forgive our inertia.
Move us to move
one step at a time toward greater care.

In this silence, we sense and acknowledge our yearning for wholeness.

Silence

Vessels, holy and whole Broken, needing the One Open, body and soul Healer, come.

## ALL GLORY, LAUD AND HONOR Words by: Theodulph of Orleans Music by: Melchior Teschner

All glory, laud, and honor to You, Redeemer, King, To Whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring. You are the King of Israel and David's royal Son, Now in the Lord's name coming, the King and Blessed One.

The company of angels is praising You on high; And we with all creation in chorus make reply. The people of the Hebrews with palms before You went; Our praise and prayer and anthems before You we present.

To You before Your passion they sang their hymns of praise; To You, now high exalted, our melody we raise. As You received their praises, accept the prayers we bring, For You delight in goodness, O good and gracious King!

# SPIRIT SONG Words and Music by: John Wimber

Oh let the Son of God enfold you With His Spirit and His love Let Him fill your heart and satisfy your soul Oh let Him have those things that hold you And His Spirit like a dove Will descend upon your life and make you whole

Refrain:

Jesus oh Jesus Come and fill Your lambs Jesus oh Jesus Come and fill Your lambs

Oh come and sing the song of gladness As your hearts are filled with joy Lift your hands in sweet surrender to His name Oh give Him all your tears and sadness Give Him all your years of pain And you'll enter into life in Jesus' name

Refrain

### I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY Words by: A. Catherine Hankey Music by: William G. Fischer

I love to tell the story of unseen things above, of Jesus and his glory, of Jesus and his love. I love to tell the story, because I know 'tis true; it satisfies my longings as nothing else can do.

#### Refrain:

I love to tell the story, 'twill be my theme in glory, to tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.

I love to tell the story; more wonderful it seems than all the golden fancies of all our golden dreams. I love to tell the story, it did so much for me; and that is just the reason I tell it now to thee. (Refrain)

I love to tell the story;
'tis pleasant to repeat
what seems, each time I tell it,
more wonderfully sweet.
I love to tell the story,
for some have never heard
the message of salvation
from God's own holy Word.
(Refrain)