Thank you for worshiping with us at

Harrisena Community Church

Our 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. Peter Pepe

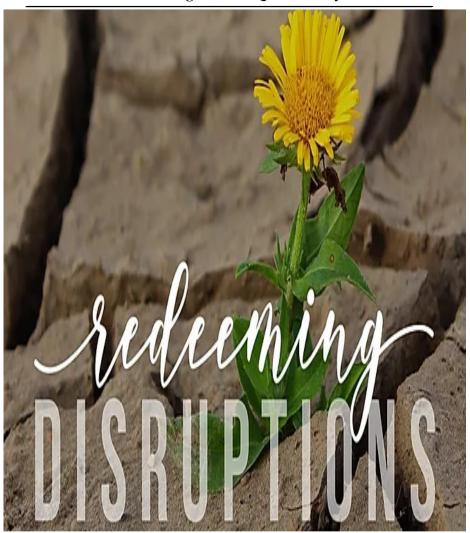
Organist: Mrs. Melissa Ferrie-Healy

**Ministers: ALL** 



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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY MAY 10, 2020

#### HARRISENA COMMUNITY CHURCH

Join us on FACEBOOK LIVE& conference calls on Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m.

Prayer onWednesdays at 12 noon (Conference Call)

#### **CENTERING WORDS**

"God is our rock, the foundation of our spiritual home. We are living stones, used to build God's house."

## The Gathering

#### **GREETING&INVOCATION**

## Awaken to the Word

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

L: In you, O Lord, I seek refuge; do not let me ever be put to shame.

P:Incline your ear to me, rescue me speedily. Be a rock of refuge for me, a strong fortress to save me.

- L: You are indeed my rock and my fortress; for your name's sake lead me and guide me.
- P: Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord,

#### faithful God.

L: Let us worship God!

ALL: Amen and amen!

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "To God Be the Glory" #66

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

You are cause for rejoicing, O God, and the source of our gladness. You know what afflicts us; you can sense our distress. You remove whatever net will ensnare us; you give our feet firm places to stand. In Christ you have brought us deliverance. For all your mercies we praise your name and worship you now as our refuge and strength. Amen.

#### \*SILENT PRAYERS

#### A LITANY FOR MOTHER'S DAY (SEE INSERT)

Proclamation of the Word

Acts 7:55-60 Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16 I Peter 2:2-10 John 14:1-14 The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God! CHILDREN'S MESSAGE@12:30 PMONGOOGLE HANGOUTS

#### CONFIRMATION CLASS TODAY @ 1:30 PM GOOGLE HANGOUTS

**SERMON** Dr. Natalie C. Wimberly

Response to the Word

HYMN"Be Thou My Vision"#502

PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS: MISSIONS AND GENERAL OFFERINGS
Donations can be mailed to Harrisena Community Church, 1616 Ridge Road,
Queensbury, NY 12804; cc: Financial Secretary. SEE INSERT for
information about our NEW ONLINE GIVING OPTIONon our website,
harrisena.org. Thank you for your continued support of our church
family!HCC Finance Committee

#### PRAYER OF DEDICATION:

As Jesus is the way, the truth, and the life, O God, may we find in him the source of our strength. As we carry gifts to you, empower our hands to life others to Christ. As we offer our praise, place on our lips the good news of your love. As we hear your word spoken, lead us to new wisdom to impart the truth of the gospel; your people are free! Accept all that we do in the name of the Christ who makes all things new. Amen and amen!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER RESPONSE "Sweet, Sweet, Spirit"#134

Sent Forth by the Word

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION"Let There Be Peace on Earth"#614

\*BENEDICTION

\*THE WORK OF THE COMMUNITY/HAPPY DOLLAR
(Phone conference Only)

\*POSTLUDE

TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

#### FAMILY AND FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

Andrew Bigelow, *Army* – stateside Derek Dumas – stateside Michael Gusek, Patriot Missile Battery - Middle East Gary Hogan, USA Joseph Hubbard, Army – stateside Corey Ledgerwood, Army - Afghanistan Wes McOueen, *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 Pete Ruscitti, USN Brian Schneider, Army – Afghanistan Kelly Thompson, US Health Service Dan Urband, USNG – Afghanistan Mark Wilson, USNG/Spcl Forces – stateside Braden Stormer – stateside

A Special Prayer for peace & health in our time, O Lord.

## NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSONS THE WEEK OF MAY 17, 2020 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

First Lesson: Acts 17:22-31

**Psalm:**66:8-20

Epistle Reading:I Peter 3:13-22

**Gospel:**John 14:15-21

#### HARRISENA COMMUNITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

HCC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE online at <u>harrisena.org</u>. Applications are due August 1, 2020.

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE@ 9:30 am on FACEBOOK LIVE and conference call-in: 1-313-209-8800. The ID# is 796-8500, then press #.

WEDNESDAY PRAYER @ 12 noon on conference call-in ONLY!

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

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!

<u>Most needed</u>: applesauce, baking items {flour, sugar, cake & frosting mixes}; oatmeal; raisins; cereals; baby food (**no glass**, please); pasta; tomato sauce; canned meats/vegetables/beans; peanut butter; macaroni & cheese; instant puddings; and soups.

**Personal items** are also needed: feminine items, toothpaste, deodorant, toothbrushes, soap, etc.

We continue to support Open Door. They have a need for meals on the weekends. 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, Mary Alice Clickner, Nancy Willet and all those who have contributed to this ministry with your prayers, time and financial resources.

**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.** 

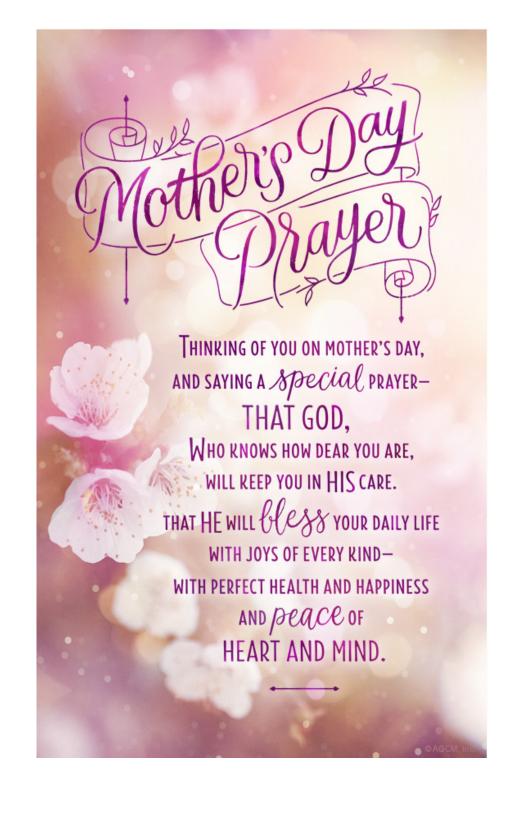


#### A LITANY FOR MOTHER'S DAY

By: Peggy Emerson

- L: Mothers come in many different forms, and today we celebrate them all!
- P: Thank God for mothers!
- L: Everyone here is either a son or a daughter.
- P: Thank God for my mother!
- L: For those women who have joined God in Heaven and whom we miss dearly here on earth.
- P: Thank God for the mothers of the past.
- L: For every woman who is working day and night to raise her children right now.
- P: Thank God for the mothers of today.
- L: For all the women who are expecting but aren't quite mothers yet!
- P: Thank God for the soon-to-be-mothers.
- L: For the women who took in others' children through adoption and foster care.
- P: Thank God for the mothers with hearts so big.
- L: For those women who have lost a child to death and must carry on.
- P: Thank God for the mothers who are so strong.
- L: For all the women who have desperately wanted to have children of their own but chose instead to mother everyone else.
- P: Thank God for the mothers in spirit.

All: We thank you, Lord, for the women who have influenced our lives in so many ways. We pray that we will honor them in everything we do. Amen.



### IN OUR PRAYERS

Ron Armstrong – The Pines Lillian McDonnell – Glens Falls Center Jim Nobile – The Landing Gordon Wallace, Sr. – Glens Falls Hospital Nancy Wilson – Glens Falls Hospital

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

| Sally Busteed       | Peter Caswell          | Kathleen Dumont    |
|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| Abigail Evans I     | Beth Hinckle           | Teagan Klingenburg |
| Diane Lawson        | Amy Ledford-Austin     | McKenzie Monroe    |
| Jerrod Ogden        | Tom St. Clair          | Lynn Sawyer        |
| Donna Skoll         | <b>Edward Thompson</b> | Kay Tokarz         |
| Heather Waldenstron | n Kenny Wendell        |                    |

#### HOME

| Robert Boule'      | Christine Burke | Pattie Chapman     |
|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Ruth Daggs         | Kimberly Deeken | Ken Eshilmen       |
| Shaelyn Fitzgerald | Collin Fuller   | Rev. Patti Girard  |
| Jim Harney         | Jane Lis        | Pami Maack         |
| Robert Marshall    | Phil Nadig      | Art Norton         |
| Marilyn Pagliuco   | Diane Parry     | Carmen Rivera      |
| Anne Rizzi         | Kieara Robinson | Marie Scarselletta |
| Susan Shoemaker    | Richard Smith   | Phyllis Straut     |
| Renee Straut       | Linda Tripp     | Andrea Wilson      |

UNSPOKEN PRAYERS (UPDATED WEEKLY): 58

## PRAYER REQUEST FORM

Use this form to list your request.

| Date:                                                                                                                                    |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| PERSON REASON WHERE: Hospital, Home/Hospital, Home                                                                                       |
| Your Name & Phone #                                                                                                                      |
| If you would like a card sent, please include the ADDRESS below:                                                                         |
| Or check <b>the box</b> for -Call me for Address.                                                                                        |
| *Type of Card: "Get Well," "Sympathy," "Thinking of You," Congratulations," other                                                        |
| *If you would like your request on the LONG-TERM PRAYERS, please place a large LT at top of form.                                        |
| *If you would like a Visit, Transportation, or Meals from <i>HELPING HANDS</i> , please check here: $\Box$                               |
| **Please update your Prayer Concerns in a timely manner. Send information to the Office by mail or call, 518-792-1902. <i>Thank you.</i> |

# The Finance Committee brings to you New Online Giving Option



Go to https://harrisena.org/and click the Donate link.



#### You will be asked for the following information:

- Enter your amount of Giving, Frequency, your Email and Name
- 2. Select Continue
- Select donation by using: add your bank account or add debit/credit
- 4. You will then be asked to enter either bank account information or debit/credit card information
- 5. If you wish to save this payment method for a future donation, click on "save this payment method"
- 6. If you wish to add the amount shown to cover the processing fee, click on the box
- 7. Finally click on the green box with the amount of your donation and your donation process is complete!
- 8. An email receipt will immediately be sent to you.

If you have questions, please contact Cheryl Straut at (518) 307-3379.

## To God Be the Glory

To God be the glory! Great things He has done!
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son;
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice!
Come to the Father, through Jesus the Son:
Give Him the glory! Great things He has done!

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!
To every believer the promise of God;
The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice!
Come to the Father, through Jesus the Son:
Give Him the glory! Great things He has done!

Great things He has taught us, great things He has done, And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son; But purer, and higher, and greater will be; Our wonder, our worship, when Jesus we see. Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear His voice! Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice! Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear His voice! Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice! Come to the Father, through Jesus the Son: Give Him the glory! Great things He has done!

Songwriters: James F. Hammerly / Fanny Crosby / William Doane

#### Let There Be Peace on Earth

Let there be peace on earth And let it begin with me Let There Be Peace on Earth The peace that was meant to be With God as our Creator Children all are we Let me walk with each other In perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me
Let this be the moment now.
With ev'ry step I take
Let this be my solemn vow
To take each moment and live
Each moment in peace eternally
Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me

Songwriters: Jill Jackson / Sy Miller