

Thank you for worshipping 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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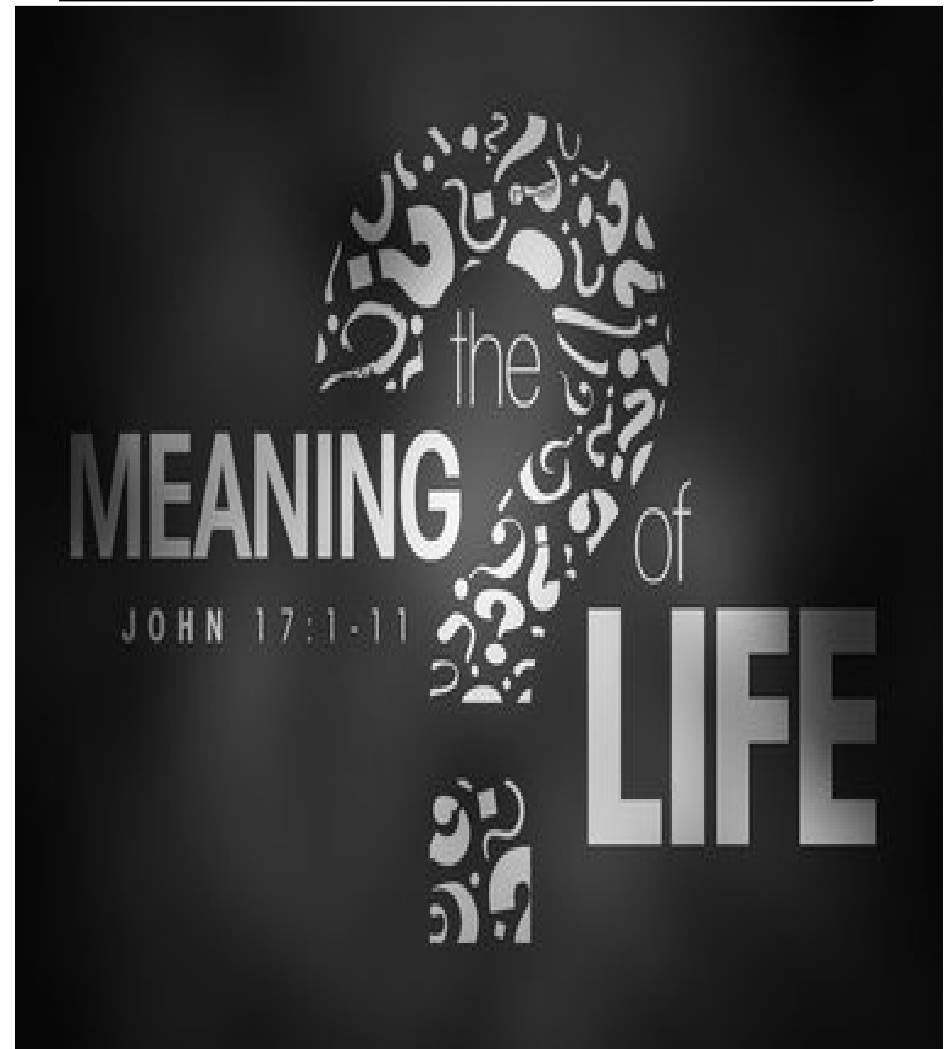
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**HARRISENA**  
**COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
1616 Ridge Rd., Queensbury, NY 12804



**MEMORIAL DAY SUNDAY**  
**SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**MAY 24, 2020**

## HARRISENA COMMUNITY CHURCH

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

Prayer on Wednesdays at 12 noon (Conference Call)

### CENTERING WORDS

*“Be glad and rejoice, for in our joy, we reveal God’s glory and Christ’s loving presence.”*

### The Gathering

### GREETING & INVOCATION

### Awaken to the Word

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Let the righteous be joyful; let them exult before God; let them be jubilant with joy.

**P: We ascribe you all power and majesty, O God, and sing you our praises.**

L: Awesome is God in the sanctuary, the same God of Israel who gives power and strength to the people.

**P: We ascribe you all power and majesty, O God, and sing you our praises.**

L: Let us worship God!

**ALL: Amen and amen!**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise” #48**

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

We sing praises to you, O God; we raise a psalm in your honor. You clothe us in all goodness; we are draped in accordance with your design. As you have sent Jesus the Christ to make your will known, you promise your Holy Spirit to guide us along our path. As your holiness fills our minds, our hearts, and our souls, hear us as we worship your name. Amen.

**\*SILENT PRAYERS**

### Proclamation of the Word

**Acts 1:6-14**

**Psalm 68:1-10, 32-35**

**I Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11**

**John 17:1-11**

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

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE @ 12:30 PM ON GOOGLE HANGOUTS**

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

**SERMON** Dr. Natalie C. Wimberly

### Response to the Word

**HYMN “Here I Am, Lord” #559**

**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 OPTION** on our website, **[harrisena.org](http://harrisena.org)**. **Thank you for your continued support of our church family!** *HCC Finance Committee*

**PRAYER OF DEDICATION:**

**With joy, we bring our gifts. With joy, we offer our lives. May the offerings of our gifts and our very selves bring joy throughout the world. Amen and amen!**

**PRAYERS AND REMEMBRANCES (SEE INSERT)**

**PRAYER RESPONSE** “Cares Chorus” #493

### Sent Forth by the Word

**\*HYMN OF DEDICATION “Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory” #730**

**\*BENEDICTION**

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

**\*POSTLUDE**

**HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY!**

***WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD FOR THE LIVES AND MEMORIES OF THOSE WHO HAVE GONE BEFORE US!***

**TO GOD BE THE GLORY!**

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## FAMILY AND FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

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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 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

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.*

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## NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSONS

THE WEEK OF MAY 31, 2020

DAY OF PENTECOST

**First Lesson:** Acts 2:1-21 or *Numbers 11:24-30*

**Psalm:** 104:24-34, 35b

**Epistle Reading:** I Corinthians 12:3b-13

**Gospel:** John 20:19-23 or *John 7:37-39*

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## HARRISENA COMMUNITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**HCC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE online at [harrisena.org](http://harrisena.org). 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](http://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!**

**Most needed:** 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 [harrisenchurch@gmail.com](mailto:harrisenchurch@gmail.com). **Join us as we continue to pray for our local and global communities and ourselves.**

**IN OUR PRAYERS**

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# PRAYER REQUEST FORM

Use this form to list your request.

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

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## HOME/HOSPITAL (HOSPICE\*)

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

**PERSON**      **REASON**      **WHERE:** *Hospital,*  
*Home/Hospital, Home*

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**Your Name & Phone #** \_\_\_\_\_

***If you would like a card sent, please include the ADDRESS below:***

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Or check **the box** 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 **HELPING  
HANDS**, please **check here:***

**\*\*Please update your Prayer Concerns in a timely manner. Send  
information to the Office by mail or call, 518-792-1902. Thank you.**

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## HOME

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

**UNSPOKEN PRAYERS (UPDATED WEEKLY): 58**

## MEMORIAL DAY

Memorial Day began as Decoration Day after the end of the Civil War. Over time it has expanded and became what we know as Memorial Day, being established by law as a national holiday in 1967, with the current positioning on the last Monday in May beginning in 1971. It has its roots in honoring war dead, and it has expanded over time to be a time of remembrance of all who have died, especially those who die in service to country.

So, on this day may we stop to remember those who have died, including those who have died in service to country.

May we ask God's blessings on the memories of those who have preceded us in death, memories of those who have influenced our lives with their grace and wisdom.

Let us pray:

*Almighty and eternal God,  
We pause this day to remember those who no longer walk with us  
in life.  
We remember especially those whose lives have influenced our  
lives.  
We remember their wisdom and grace,  
Their guidance and direction  
Their support for our ventures  
Their humility and willingness to give of themselves for the good  
of others.  
May their memories be treasured in our hearts and minds,  
so that we might live in ways that honor this memory.  
Amen*

*Poem by Rabbi Sylvan Kamens and Rabbi Jack Riemer*

In the rising of the sun and in its going down,  
**we remember them.**

In the blowing of the wind and in the chill of winter,  
**we remember them.**

In the opening of buds and in the rebirth of spring,  
**we remember them.**

In the blueness of the sky and in the warmth of summer,  
**we remember them.**

In the rustling of leaves and in the beauty of autumn,  
**we remember them.**

In the beginning of the year and when it ends,  
**we remember them.**

When we are weary and in need of strength,  
**we remember them.**

When we are lost and sick at heart,  
**we remember them.**

When we have joys we yearn to share,  
**we remember them.**

So long as we live, they too shall live, for they are now a part of  
us,

**as we remember them.**

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## WE REMEMBER

MAY 2019 – May 2020

John Austin  
Carol Boebel  
Grace Clough

Robert Eastment  
Ingrid Engelhard  
Scott Fraser

Ann Healy  
Edward C. Hooker  
Walter Houghton  
Sarah Jerome  
Elinore Kroetz

Robert Lawton  
Emil Lindstrand

Patricia Maddock  
John Matthews  
Richard Meyer

Stephen O'Rourke  
Caroline Parisi  
Stephen Philo

Gertrude Resse  
Cliff Satterlee  
Robert Straut, Sr.

Jean Trudel  
Ruth Walters  
John Whittiker

## MINE EYES HAVE SEEN THE GLORY

Words by: Julia Ward Howe

Music by: American Melody

Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord  
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored  
He hath loosed the fateful lightning of His terrible swift sword  
His truth is marching on.

Glory, glory, Hallelujah! Glory, glory, Hallelujah!  
Glory, glory, Hallelujah! His truth is marching on.

I have seen Him in the watch fires of a hundred circling camps  
They have builded Him an altar in the evening dews and damps  
I can read His righteous sentence by the dim and flaring lamps  
His day is marching on

Glory, glory, Hallelujah! Glory, glory, Hallelujah!  
Glory, glory, Hallelujah! His truth is marching on.

He has sounded forth the trumpet that shall never call retreat  
He is sifting out the hearts of all before the judgement seat.  
O be swift my soul, to answer him; be jubilant, my feet!  
Our God is marching on.

Glory, glory, Hallelujah! Glory, glory, Hallelujah!  
Glory, glory, Hallelujah! His truth is marching on.

In the beauty of the lilies, Christ was born across the sea  
With a glory in His bosom that transfigures you and me  
As He died to make us holy, let us live to make all free  
While God is marching on.

Glory, glory, Hallelujah! Glory, glory, Hallelujah!  
Glory, glory, Hallelujah! His truth is marching on!  
His truth is marching on!



## HYMNS FOR MAY 24, 2020

### **Immortal, Invisible God Only Wise**

Written by: Walter Chalmers Smith

Music by: Welsh melody; harm. John Roberts

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,  
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,  
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thourulest in might;  
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above  
Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.

To all life Thou givest, to both great and small;  
In all life Thou livest, the true life of all;  
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,  
And wither and perish, but noughtchangeth Thee.

Great Father of Glory, pure Father of Light  
Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight;  
All laud we would render, O help us to see:  
'Tis only the splendor of light hideth Thee.

### **HERE I AM, LORD**

Words and Music by: Daniel L. Schutte

I, the Lord of sea and sky,  
I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in darkness now  
My hand will save.  
I who make the stars of night,  
I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them?  
Whom shall I send?

### **Refrain**

Here I am, Lord. It is I Lord.  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, where you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain,  
I have borne my people's pain.  
I have wept for love of them.  
They turn a-way.  
I will break their hearts of stone,  
Give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak my words to them.  
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. It is I Lord.  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, where you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of wind and flame,  
I will tend the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them.  
My hand will save.  
Finest bread I will provide,  
Till their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them.  
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. It is I Lord.  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, where you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.