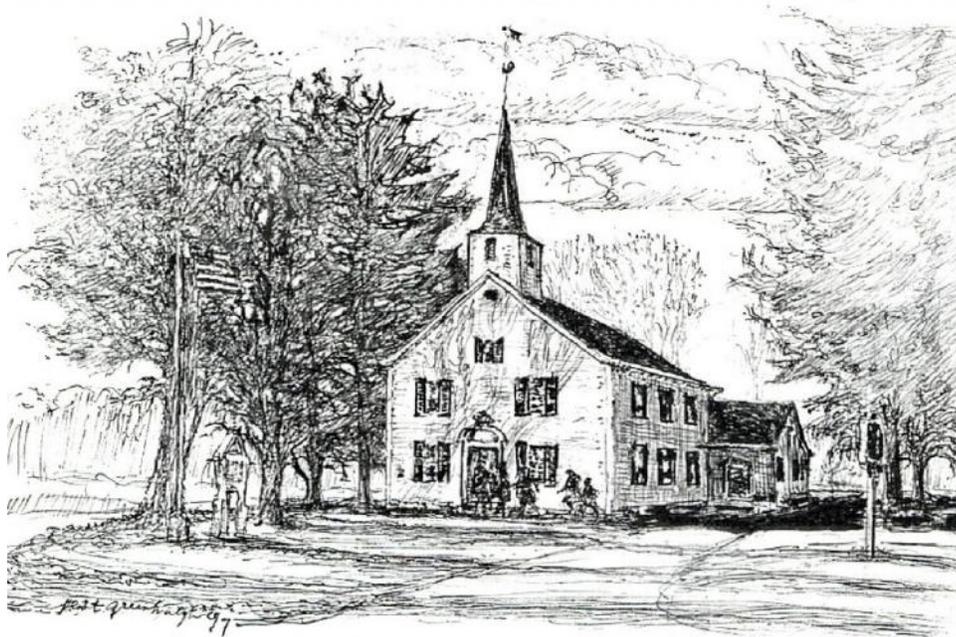


NEW HEMPSTEAD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



*The English Church
Founded in 1734*

New City,
New York



Dr. Lori Knight-Whitehouse
Pastor

Lois Anderson
Music Director

2ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
June 23, 2019

*All who are able are invited to stand.

TIME OF SILENT MEDITATION **9:55-10 AM**

PRELUDE

GREETING

Lay Leader

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsively)**

Lay Leader

Praise the Lord!

I will praise you as long as I live.

Sing praises to God,

who made heaven and earth,

who is faithful forever,

who gives justice to the oppressed,

who gives food to the hungry,

who sets the prisoners free,

who watches over the stranger,

who cares for the widows and orphans.

The Lord will reign forever.

Praise the Lord!

***OPENING PRAYER (In Unison)**

Gracious God,

draw near to us with compassion, touch us with healing,

and speak to us with love, so that we may arise and live to spread the

good news of your saving power;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***OPENING HYMN**

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

#276

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

Lay Leader

Happy are those whose hope is in the Lord their God, who lifts up those who are bowed down. Let us humble ourselves and confess our sin.

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)**

Lord, forgive us.

**We are blind to our own brokenness,
yet focused on the failings of others.**

**We are deaf to the cries of those who need us,
numb to the need of those who hurt.**

We are silent when words are needed, impotent when action is required.

**Lord, hear our anguish, pity our brokenness,
speak life and forgiveness to our weary souls. Amen.**

***MOMENT FOR SILENT CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON (Responsively)**

Lay Leader

Beloved, hear the good news: through Christ we are forgiven!

Our hope is in the Lord our God, who keeps faith with us forever.

God's mercy is everlasting!

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

#106

“Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks”

Alleluia, alleluia, Give thanks to the risen Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia! Give Praise to His Name.

Please be seated following the Sung Response

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (In Unison)

**Holy God, enlighten us by your Holy Spirit, and reveal yourself to us,
that we may hear your word and proclaim your good news in the
world. Amen.**

FIRST READING 1 Kings 17: 8-16(pg. 311)

Lay Leader

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SPECIAL MUSIC

A MOMENT WITH THE CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Dr. Knight-Whitehouse

SECOND READING

Galatians 1: 11-24(pg. 1012)

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Dr. Knight-Whitehouse

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (In Unison) The Apostles Creed**

(Traditional) p. 14

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Minister: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

***HYMN**

“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

#466

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord their God. Let us proclaim our trust in the Lord by giving our tithes and offerings.

PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

PRAYER CARDS Please fill out and place your Prayer Card in the offering plate

***DOXOLOGY**

#592

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**Lord, may others glorify you because of these offerings,
given in Jesus' name. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

***CLOSING HYMN**

“There's a Wideness in God's Mercy”

#298

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**
