

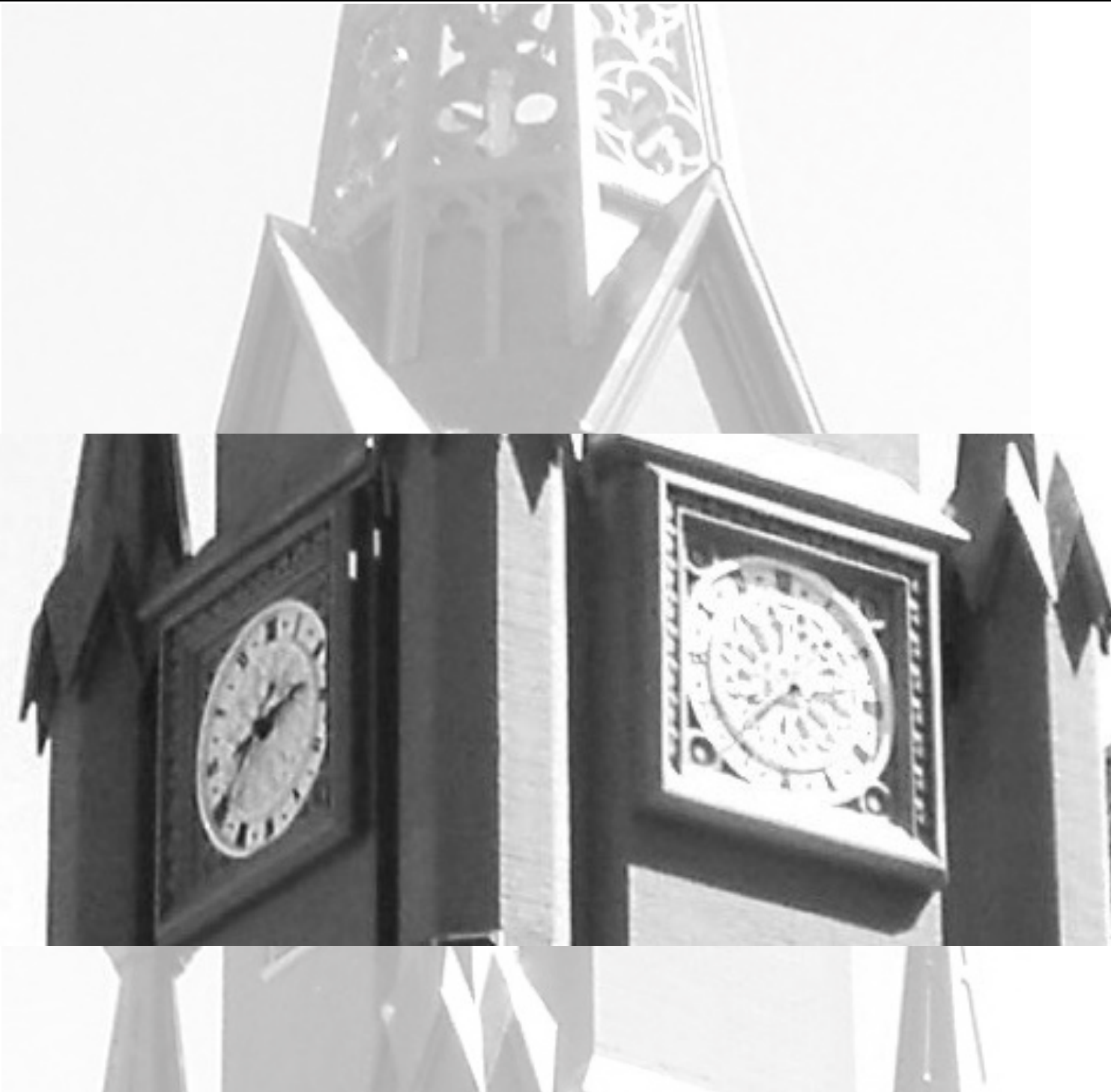
IN-PERSON SUNDAY

20 de marzo / March 20, 2022 | 10:30 a.m.

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Marking the Hours, and Our Lives | Third Sunday of Lent



Our Lenten series is shaped around the “liturgy of the hours,” i.e., the daily prayers that contemplative and monastic communities around the world practice each day. In many ways, these daily prayers mirror the ebb and flow of life.

*These prayers begin with vigilance in the wee hours of the morning (vigils),
they transition into the joyfulness of sunrise and new day (lauds),
they help us endure the day as our weariness sets in (the “little hours,”)
they give us freedom to lay down our troubles as the sun sets (vespers,) and they prepare us for the quiet mystery of night (compline.)*

During these 40 days of reflection, confession, and reorientation, we will consider how this rhythm might speak to the living of our days.

III. The Little Hours

Terce— A Latin term for third hour. One prays for light and strength as the day waxes strong and one’s work begins.

Sext— Sext takes places at midday when the sun is at its apex and one has become a bit weary and mindfulness is all but impossible.

None— None is a time to pray for perseverance, to pray for the strength to continue bearing fruit as one reaches one’s prime and needs to keep going.

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Alabando | Worshipping

Prelude

Chris Urquiaga, piano

La Bienvenida | Welcome

Pastor Maria

Cántico de Alabanza | Song of Praise

Lord, Listen to your Children Praying

Chris Urquiaga, piano

Lord, listen to your children praying,
Lord, send your Spirit in this place,
Lord, listen to your children praying,
Send us love, send us power, send us grace.

Dios, oye el ruego de Tus hijos,
Dios, manda el Espíritu de amor,
Dios, oye el ruego de Tus hijos,
Manda amor, y poder, y bondad.

Palabras de Alabanza | Call to Worship

Victor Udoewa, Deacon

Noche y día, pedimos que tu Espíritu nos guíe en el camino.
As night turns to day and back to night, we ask for your Spirit to continually guide us.
En esta cuaresma, abrimos nuestros corazones a tu amor.
During this season of Lent, may we open our hearts to your Love.
Y cada día, paso a paso, danos sabiduría y alegría en el sendero.
And as the hours and days of our lives continue, give us wisdom and joy for the journey.

La Paz de Cristo | Passing the Peace

Victor Udoewa, Deacon

The peace of the Lord be with you. **And also with you.**
La paz del Señor sea contigo. **Y contigo también.**

Respondemos Juntos | Responding Together

Make Us One | Haznos Uno

Make us one, Lord, make us one; Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let your love flow so the world will know we are one in you.
Haznos uno, uno en ti. Haznos uno, Señor, en ti.
Y que el mundo vea en nuestro amor que somos uno en ti.

Escuchando | Listening

Tiempo con los Niños | Time with Children

Pastor Sally

Dando en Linea | Giving Online

Please visit <http://www.calvarydc.org/give>. Each Sunday, we have the opportunity to engage in a spiritual practice tracing back to the early church. As followers of Jesus began re-imagining their allegiance to God and not Caesar, they also chose to share their money, time, and resources in ways that disrupted systems of power and violence around them. As a community of faith shaped by this intention as we strive to be radically inclusive, progressive, and multicultural, we pray that our commitments might free you to give to this place both joyfully and intentionally.



Oración | Prayers of the People

Victor Udoewa, Deacon

Música | Scripture Refrain

Chris Urquiaga, piano

In the secret, in the quiet place
In the stillness, You are there
In the secret, in the quiet hour I wait
Open to You,
I want to know You more...

En silencio, en tranquilidad,
Tu amor está aquí,
En silencio, en la hora de esperar,
Abierto a Ti,
Aquí, esperaré...

Celebrando a WMS | In Honor of the 150th Anniversary of WMS Una Lectura | Scripture Lesson

Salmos | Psalm 34:1-14

Claudia Moore, Liturgist

Translated by Wilda C. Gafney in
A Women's Lectionary for the Whole Church

I will bless SHE WHO IS GOD at all times;
her praise shall ever be in my mouth.
I will glory in SHE WHO IS STRENGTH;
let the humble hear and rejoice.
Proclaim with me the greatness of SHE WHO IS EXALTED
and let us exalt her name together.
I sought SHE WHO SAVES, and she answered me
and delivered me out of terror.
Look upon her and be radiant,

let not your faces be ashamed.
I called on my affliction and SHE WHO HEARS heard me
and saved me from all my troubles.

The messenger of SHE WHO SAVES encompasses those who revere her,
and she will deliver them.
Taste and see that SHE WHO IS DELIGHT is good;
happy are they who trust her!
REVERE SHE WHO IS GOD, you that are her saints,
for those who revere her lack nothing.
The young lions suffer want for food and starve,
but those who seek SHE WHO PROVIDES lack no good thing.
Come, children, listen to me;
I will teach you the reverence of SHE WHO IS MAJESTY.
Who is the woman or man that desires life,
and would love long days to enjoy good?
Keep your tongue from evil,
and your lips from speaking deceit.
Turn from evil, and do good;
seek peace and pursue it.

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Bendeciré a ELLA QUE ES DIOS en todo tiempo;
su alabanza estará siempre en mi boca.
Me gloriaré en AQUELLA QUE ES LA FUERZA;
que los humildes oigan y se alegren.
Proclamad conmigo la grandeza de ELLA QUE ES EXALTADA
y exaltemos juntos su nombre.
Busqué A LA QUE SALVA, y me respondió
y me libró del terror.
Mírala y sé radiante,
no se avergüencen vuestros rostros.
Llamé a mi aflicción y ELLA QUE ESCUCHA me escuchó
y me salvó de todos mis problemas.

La mensajera de LA QUE SALVA engloba a los que la reverencian,
y ella los libraré.
Ved que es buena LA QUE ES DELEITE;
¡Dichosos los que confían en ella!
REVERENCIAD A LA QUE ES DIOS, vosotros que sois sus santos,
porque a los que la veneran nada les falta.
Los leoncillos padecen falta de alimento y mueren de hambre,
pero a los que buscan A LA QUE PROPORCIONA, nada les falta.
Venid, hijos, escuchadme;
Os enseñaré la reverencia de ELLA QUE ES MAJESTAD.
¿Quién es la mujer o el hombre que desea la vida,
y te encantaría largas jornadas para disfrutar del bien?
Guarda tu lengua del mal,
y tus labios de hablar engaño.
Apartaos del mal y haced el bien;
Busca la paz y síguela.

Creciendo | Growing

Música Especial | Special Music

Precious Lord, Take My Hand
Chris Urquiaga, piano

Sermón | Sermon

Pastor Maria

Himno | Departing Hymn

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah
Chris Urquiaga, piano

Guide me, O Thou Great Jehovah,
pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but thou art mighty;
hold me with thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
feed me till I want no more,
feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain,
where the healing waters flow.
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
lead me all my journey through.
Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,
be thou still my strength and shield,
be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
bid my anxious fears subside.
Bear me through the swelling current,
land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises, songs of praises
I will ever give to thee,
I will ever give to thee.

La Bendición | Benediction

Pastor Sally

Música | Postlude

Chris Urquiaga, piano

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Contact the Deacon of the Week Victor Udoewa,
udoewa@gmail.com with your cares and concerns.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY: WMS Celebrates 150 Years—Join us after worship during coffee hour as we celebrate and give thanks for the 150th anniversary of WMS!



Pictured: Carol Blythe, Barbara Hoffer, Claudia Moore, Sandi Auman, Gretchen White, Nancy Renfrow, (and on Zoom) Karla Fahey

LENT AND HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE— See below for brief sketch of our Lent and Holy Week schedule. PLEASE NOTE that there are a few changes to the rotation to accommodate for In-Person worship during Holy Week—

March 20- IN-PERSON Sunday

March 27- VIRTUAL Sunday

April 3- VIRTUAL Worship (*rotation change for Holy Week*)

April 10- IN-PERSON Palm Sunday (*rotation change for Holy Week*)

April 17- IN-PERSON Easter Sunday

April 24- VIRTUAL Sunday

SPECIAL CALLED BUSINESS MEETING— Per the constitution and bylaws, this is also advance notice that following worship on Sunday, March 27, you will have the opportunity appoint and bless the ministerial selection committee (MSC) for the associate pastor position comprised of Josh Russell, Daniel Alcazar, and Ashley Knowles. We thank them for their willingness to serve this way!

IN-PERSON WORSHIP GUIDELINES

Please read through these practices as we seek to ensure your safety.

When you enter:

Upon arrival, you will come through the Greene entrance by the church office. This will allow us to streamline our entrances and ensure that everyone, whether they are coming from the street or from the garage, is filtered through the same path.

When entering from the garage, please use the phone at the elevator doors to dial 0, which will connect you to the office where they will let you up. Once in the elevator, please select G1. We won't have the elevator set for open access for health and safety reasons, so we can ensure we're funneling everyone in through appropriate entry protocol.

At the entrance, you will be asked to sign in if you have not pre-registered, and your temperature will be taken to make sure you do not have a temperature.

In the building:

Once you have completed entry practices, you will make your way up to the Sanctuary entrance. Once there, the ushers will help you find a seat.

The pews will be cordoned off to half their length, alternating from row to row, to ensure we are able to social distance between pods of people while inside.

Masks will continue to be worn inside the building and during service, and hand sanitizer will be available.

After service:

We will exit the Sanctuary in an orderly, social distanced manner as we head outside for our Coffee Hour. We will be holding these outdoors to make sure we are properly social distanced and to mitigate the risks that are associated with masks being off indoors.

General Practices:

We ask that you follow all established COVID protocols: self-screen and stay home if you display any symptoms, maintain social distancing, wear your mask indoors, and wash your hands frequently and thoroughly.

Worship at Calvary

Current Rhythm

Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

In-Person Worship at Calvary currently takes place on the **First and Third Sundays** of the month. **Virtual Worship** currently takes place on the **Second and Fourth Sundays** of the month.

In-Person Sundays, we will also livestream at facebook.com/CalvaryDC.

Virtual Sundays, you can join us on Zoom at bit.ly/ZoomCalvaryDC or watch the livestream at facebook.com/CalvaryDC.

The best way to stay connected and receive any updates or changes to this schedule is to visit www.calvarydc.org and sign up for our weekly newsletter.



Please read detailed COVID Entry and Exit protocols for In-Person Sundays which can be found at the end of the bulletin. While inside the building, we ask that you remain masked at all times. Restrooms are located below the sanctuary or near the registration table where you first entered.

OUR LABOR TOGETHER | A Mission Statement

We are a multi-racial, multi-ethnic community of Christ followers committed to the sacred work of anti-racism, social justice, and radical inclusion.

OUR BELOVEDNESS | A Values Statement

We affirm that God celebrates the creative diversity of God's kin-dom, loving people of every color, faith, nationality, immigration status, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, physical and cognitive ability, and economic status. It matters that people who have been historically marginalized by the Christian church in America see themselves listed here as God's beloved. In other words, **you** are our values statement.

- We believe Black Lives Matter. Further still, Black Lives are precious and beloved by God. We are a church shaped by this profound theological statement. Until this is fully understood and expressed in the policies and practices of this nation's political and social life, it is essential for people of faith to keep saying, and living, this truth.
- We believe no human being is "illegal," and as a Sanctuary Church, we fully welcome and support people of all immigration statuses.
- We believe LGBTQ+ lives are sacred, beautiful, and ought to be fully included and affirmed in all aspects of congregational life and leadership.
- We celebrate that our worshipping life is multi-lingual and multi-dimensional, especially shaped by Latin American, particularly Salvadoran, traditions, and the Historic Black Church tradition.
- We value interfaith inclusion and welcome people of any and all faith traditions to find a home here.
- We value people for who they are and not for their role in an economy where wealth accumulates and people struggle to live.
- We acknowledge that we gather on the traditional land of the Piscataway, Anacostan, and Nacotchtank Peoples past and present, and honor with gratitude the land itself and the people who have stewarded it throughout the generations. We believe that the earth is sacred and that we must continue to learn how to be better caretakers of the land we inhabit.
- We value diverse theological voices which have long stood on the margins within the Christian tradition in America.

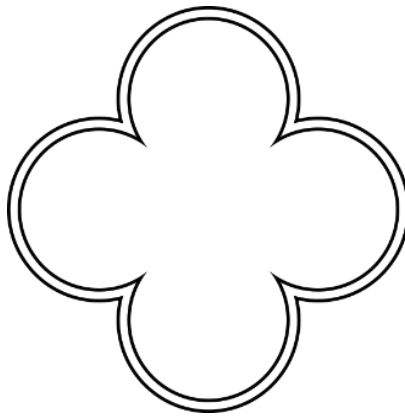
OUR HOLY IMAGINATION | A Vision Statement

We believe that Jesus identifies particularly with oppressed and marginalized people and invites us into radically inclusive community. As a historically white church with the sacred gift of now being a multiracial Christian community, we hear the clarion call to engage in the active and disruptive work of anti-racism and decolonization, both within ourselves and in the world. Ultimately, we commit to this labor as a *joyful* act of discipleship that leads us ever deeper into the Gospel of liberation and life.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

New this week: Carrie Dale, mother of Amy Dale

For peace to prevail in Ukraine; Rochelle Powell, Eva Powell's grandmother; Bradley Sims, friend of Carter Vaughn; Brian Cook, friend of the Kosmidis family; Shalom scholar, Karla Giron, and members of the Baptist Association of El Salvador; Javier Dario Galindo, Nathalie Galindo-Lee's brother; Paul Lansing; Joe and Shirley Taylor, Jessica Taylor's parents; Marlene Shambaugh, Courtney Miller's aunt; Each and every one of us, particularly the most vulnerable among us as we face the effects of COVID-19 together; Luis Campos; Daniel Alcazar-Roman's uncle; Rena Jirack; Brian Scott, Yolanda Appiah-Kubi's brother and Salima Appiah-Duffell's uncle; Ruby Shepherd; Olive Tiller; Desmond Tio, friend of Karla Fahey; Harold Walker, Jackie Wright's stepfather; Peace in El Salvador, refugees, asylum seekers, and immigration reform; Victims of gun violence, racial reconciliation and justice everywhere; people targeted with hate crimes; Peace in our world, especially those impacted by war, violence, and government turmoil; Our collective response to resisting white supremacy. Victims of terror everywhere.



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