



“In God’s design the world is the theater of God’s glory, and humans are placed in it as privileged spectators of his works. Whether they look within, at their own special gifts, or without, at the evidences of a divine hand in nature, their thoughts are drawn irresistibly to the Maker. Since they have inside them a workshop adorned with countless works of God, a store packed with incalculable riches, they should break out in praise. Whether they want to or not, they cannot help knowing that all their various gifts are tokens of divinity.”

B.A. Garrish
Grace and Gratitude

The Worship of God
Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Rally Day

September 10, 2017

10:00am

WELCOME TO THIRD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We are grateful for your presence this morning. Third Church strives to be a faithful, open and inclusive congregation. We are a diverse people united by a common faith in Jesus Christ and by meaningful worship and service. We invite all who are seeking to live a life of Christian faith and discipleship to join us. If you are new to Third Church, the following information may be helpful.

Parking on Sunday Mornings: Street parking is possible on both sides of East Avenue. On Sundays, the Arnold Park parking lot is available for handicap parking only. Other parking is available in the Meigs Street parking lot and can also be found at:

- Jewish Community Federation (Sibley Place)
- American Association of University Women
- Rochester Area Community Foundation

In the event of a **Medical Emergency**, please notify an usher or staff member. An AED and first aid supplies are located in the hallway between the sanctuary and elevator.

Hearing Assistance: The Chapel and Sanctuary are equipped with induction loop systems. Use the "T-switch" of your hearing aid. If you have difficulty hearing during the worship service, please speak with an usher immediately.

An Elevator is located at the Parish House-Education Building junction to assist in accessibility.

Large Print Bulletins and Bibles are available from the ushers. Hymnals and Bibles are located in the pew racks.

Church School: is available for children, preschool through sixth grade, during the 10:00am worship service.

Child Care is available all morning in the Education Building for infants and toddlers.

Pastoral Care: needs and prayer concerns may be communicated to Martha Langford.

More about Membership: If you are interested in joining Third Church, or just want to know more, contact Lynette Sparks (271-6513, ext. 106 or lsparks@thirdpresbyterian.org). The next Exploring Membership luncheon will take place on October 15.

Newsletter: The Messenger is published monthly. Copies are available in the Chapel and Sanctuary, in the literature racks outside Johnston Hall and the Arnold Park entrance, and on the church website. If you are interested in receiving the newsletter, contact Cindy Mark in the Church Office (ext 100 or cmark@thirdpresbyterian.org or).

A WORD ABOUT THIS CHURCH

THIRD CHURCH participates in the Presbyterian Church (USA) Commitment to Peacemaking. Our intention is to pursue avenues of peace and justice for ourselves, our families and communities, for all people in the world in which we live. We seek to be agents of reconciliation.

THIRD CHURCH has joined with other Presbyterian congregations in declaring ourselves to be a "More Light" church. We are committed to the full participation of all persons in our church community without regard for sexual orientation, personal background or human condition.



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Preparation for Worship

We come to worship from a busy and noisy world. As we prepare to offer ourselves in praise and adoration of God, it is important that we step back from our preoccupations and focus our thoughts on God. We ask that you please silence all electronic devices. As the music begins, please take time to become more aware of the continuing presence of God.

**Please stand as you are able, in body or in spirit.*

PRELUDE “Con moto maestoso” Felix Mendelssohn
(from *Sonata III in A Major*)

*DOXOLOGY (*Please stand as the organ introduction begins*) OLD HUNDRETH

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

*CALL to WORSHIP Psalm 149

LEADER: Sing to the Lord a new song,
God’s praise in the assembly of the faithful.

PEOPLE: **Let us praise God’s name with dancing,
making melody with tambourine and lyre.**

LEADER: For God takes pleasure in God’s people.

PEOPLE: **Let the high praises of God be in our voices.
Praise the Lord!**

*HYMN 35 “Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty” LOBE DEN HERREN

PRAYER of CONFESSION

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER

KYRIE

Lord, have mer - - - cy up - on us.
Christ, have mer - - - cy up - on us.
Lord, have mer - - - cy up - on us.

Peter DuBois, 2004

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

LEADER: Friends, believe the good news.

PEOPLE: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

*RESPONSE

organ intro
Glo-ry be to God: Cre - a - tor, Christ, and
Ho - ly Ghost. As it was in the be - gin-ning, is now, and ev-er
shall be: World with-out end. A - men! A - men!

Peter DuBois, 2007

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

(Following the children's message, school age children are invited to proceed to the education building for Sunday School. The nursery on the middle level of the education building is available for children age 3 and younger.)

DISMISSAL of CHILDREN

(sung twice: once in unison, once as a canon, beginning with the pulpit side)

TALLIS' CANON

I. II.

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way Through
this and ev - ery com - ing day, That in Your Spir - it
strong and true Our lives may be our gift to You.

text: Mary Jackson Cathey, 1986
music: Thomas Tallis, adapt. Parker's *Whole Psalter*, c.1561

WORDS of WELCOME

(We ask that you sign the Friendship Pad and pass it to the person next to you in the pew. Please greet those worshipping with you at the close of the service.)

FOCUS on MISSION

East Avenue Grocery Run

ANTHEM

"O Clap Your Hands"

Ralph Vaughan Williams

O clap your hands, all ye people; shout unto God with the voice of triumph. For the Lord most high is terrible; He is a great King over all the earth. God is gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet. Sing praises to God; sing praises unto our King. For God is the King of all the earth; sing ye praises everyone that hath understanding. God reigneth over the heathen, God sitteth upon the throne of His holiness. Sing praises unto our King.

- from Psalm 47

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON — Exodus 12:1-14

(Pew Bible, OT page 58)

LEADER: The Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

"Horses on Parade XVII"

John Wilkinson

*HYMN 515

"I Come with Joy"

DOVE OF PEACE

(The gathering of the servers)

***AFFIRMATION of FAITH**

from A New Creed, United Church of Canada (1968)

We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God. We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to live with respect in Creation, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us.

We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

PRESENTATION of OFFERINGS

(In addition to our regular offering, loose offering this morning will support the Pastors' Emergency Fund. Please be generous as you are able. Envelopes are in the pew pads.)

ANTHEM

"Be Still, for the Presence of the Lord"

David J. Evans

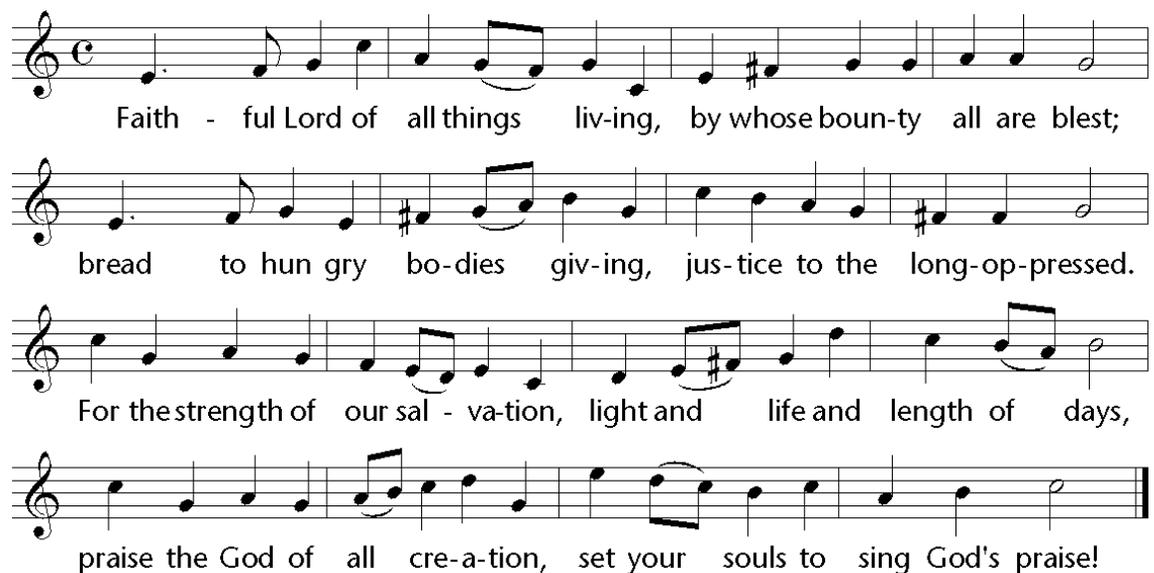
arr. Indra Hughes

Be still for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here, Come bow before him now with reverence and fear. In him no sin is found, we stand on holy ground, Be still for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here.

Be still for the glory of the Lord is shining all around, He burns with holy fire; with splendor he is crowned. How awesome is the sight, our radiant King of Light, Be still for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.

Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place, He comes to cleanse and hear, to minister his grace, No work too hard for him: in faith receive from him, Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place. Amen.

*RESPONSE



Faith - ful Lord of all things liv-ing, by whose boun-ty all are blest;
bread to hun gry bo-dies giv-ing, jus-tice to the long-op-pressed.
For the strength of our sal - va-tion, light and life and length of days,
praise the God of all cre-a-tion, set your souls to sing God's praise!

Text: from the hymn "Praise the God of Our Salvation" by Timothy Dudley-Smith
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Music: © 2004 Peter DuBois

*THE SACRAMENT of THE LORD'S SUPPER

(At the time of communion, ushers will invite you to come forward via the center and side aisles. Take a piece of bread from the server, dip it in the cup which contains grape juice, and partake as you are served. Return to your seat via the side aisle. All bread is gluten free. If moving forward is difficult for you, a team of servers will come to you to serve the communion elements.)

*INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

*GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

LEADER: The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE: **And also with you.**

LEADER: Lift up your hearts.

PEOPLE: **We lift them to the Lord.**

LEADER: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

PEOPLE: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

LEADER: It is truly right to give you thanks and praise...

*SANCTUS

Richard Proulx

(organ intro)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,
God of pow - er and might, heav'n_ and earth___ are
full___ of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Blest is the One who comes___ in the
name___ of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est, Ho -
san - na in the high - est.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

As others are being served, please join the choir in singing the following hymns:

529 – “Draw Us in the Spirit’s Tether”

509 – “All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly”

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Gracious and generous God, having fed us abundantly at Christ’s table, now send us into the world to share your mercy, grace and love. We pray in Jesus’ name and for his sake. Amen.

*HYMN 716 "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending"

BEACH SPRING

CHARGE and BENEDICTION

RESPONSE "The Lord Bless You and Keep You"

John Rutter

The Lord, bless you and keep you: the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up the light of his countenance upon you and give you peace. Amen.

- Numbers 6:24

*GREETING

POSTLUDE "Fanfare"

Jacques Lemmens

The chancel flowers this morning are given in loving memory of Howard A. and Ruth S. Schumacher and Robert D. and Adrienne S. Truesdell, parents of Jon and Kathy Schumacher.

The memorial prayer candle is lit in remembrance of all victims of the September 11 attacks, with ongoing prayers for those who mourn and gratitude for those who responded.

PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE:

- John Wilkinson..... Preacher
- Donna Brink Fox, Martha C. Langford, Lynette K. Sparks..... Liturgists
- Peter A. DuBois..... Director of Music/Organist
- Caroline J. Robinson Assistant Organist
- Camille Clayton, Clive Daunton,
- Bonnie deHollander, Bob Eames, Alison Gray Greeters
- Elmer Dustman, Hope Herting, Jeremy Peters,
- Gloria Pleger, Don Schichler, Rebecca Schichler, Anne Sievers Ushers

ABOUT TODAY'S MUSIC

Felix Mendelssohn demonstrated a deep admiration and love for the music of J. S. Bach from an early age, and studied his music as models of composition. This is clearly evident in this morning's prelude, the first movement of his Sonata III in A Major. After a grand opening section with cascading chords and a noble melody, the music gives way to a section of imitative (contrapuntal) writing that develops over a pedal melody outlining the Lutheran chorale, "Aus tiefer not'." This fugue-like section builds in intensity, with a return to the expansive music of the opening to bring the piece to a close.

All three anthems this morning come from the tradition of the Anglican Church. The first is a brilliant setting of Psalm 47, "O clap your hands," by the great 20th century English composer, Ralph Vaughan Williams, dating from around 1920. The music aptly illustrates both the grandeur and the mystery inherent in the text. It is a piece suitable for any great celebration, as today we come together for Rally Day!

The offertory anthem is an arrangement of a hymn tune with words and music written in the 1980s by David Evans of Winchester, England – "Be still, for the presence of the Lord". It is based on a passage from Genesis 28, the story of Jacob at Bethel – 'surely the Lord is in this place, and I knew it not...'. Indra Hughes, an active composer and conductor in Auckland, New Zealand, has arranged it here, in what has become a very popular hymn.

The benediction response, by John Rutter, is a lovely setting of a familiar text from the Book of Numbers. "The Lord bless you and keep you" unfolds with a serene melody shared among the voice parts. The concluding "Amen" builds to a great crescendo, before subsiding to a gentle close.

Jacques Lemmens, composer of the postlude ("Fanfare") was a leading teacher of the organ in 19th century Belgium, where he influenced a whole generation of musicians. He greatly advanced the technical ability of organists throughout Belgium and France, particularly in the area of pedal technique – something he picked up in his studies in Germany. Among his illustrious students were Alexandre Guilmant and Charles-Marie Widor.



MINISTRY, SERVICE, AND FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Welcome Back!

Some thoughts as we gather at the outset of a new program year...

A Year of Stewardship. Our annual theme will focus on stewardship – what it is and what it means for us. Stewardship, as we will consider it, has something to do with what we do with the abundant gifts God gives to us. How we spend our money. How we invest our time. How we exercise our gifts. This is a many-faceted theme, and I hope it will provide a deep and rich context for us as we consider our grateful response to God’s grace.

An annual theme has proven to be a creative way to help us think about who we are and who we are led to be. I hope the same will be true this year. Previous themes have included:

- 2011-12 A Year of Connecting
- 2012-13 A Year of Feasting
- 2013-14 A Year of Growing
- 2014-15 A Year of Inviting
- 2015-16 A Year of Sowing
- 2016-17 A Year of Reconciliation

Celebrating 190 years. 2017 marks the 190th anniversary of Third Presbyterian Church. We will use moments in the next months to look back in order to look ahead. Third Church has a strong and significant history. That history will matter in so much as we use our tradition to propel us into a faithful future. Several Sunday mornings will focus on key moments in our past. We will also welcome several guest speakers and preachers to help us explore our story and its legacy.

Why “Horses on Parade?” When I came to Third Church in 2001, you already were preparing to host a horse, “Horse Chess-Nut,” as part of Rochester’s “Horses on Parade”

project. I loved it. It captured creativity and whimsy, and announced to East Avenue and beyond that we were a church interested in and committed to the life of the city. That remains as true as it ever has, and it has seemed useful to use Rally Day each year to re-affirm that vision. Hence, “Horses on Parade!”

Welcome to a year of stewardship, when we think about our history and our role in the city and world. I believe that the world needs the church now as much as ever, the vision of hope and healing we have to offer. May we all find ways to discern our gifts, and share them, all to the glory of God.

Happy Rally Day!

John Wilkinson

Name Tags

On this Rally Day, we invite all to wear a name tag so that we can greet each other after worship and at the party on the East Avenue lawn. Thank you!

Rally Day Today!

Following the worship service, please join us on the East Avenue lawn to catch up with church friends and re-group for another program year. Our traditional hot dog lunch, prepared by the Congregational Fellowship Committee, will be served!

Additionally, Sunday School and Junior Choir begin a new year on Rally Day.

Visit the “Resources” tab on the Children’s Ministry page on our website to register.

Today's Offering

Today is Rally Day, and it is also a communion Sunday. Therefore we will receive a special offering, as we do each month, to support the work of the Pastors' Emergency Fund. This fund is used to support our neighbors facing emergency needs. Thanks for your generous support of this ongoing effort.

On Sunday, September 17, we will receive a special offering to support Presbyterian Disaster Assistance's hurricane relief work. We received an offering on September 3 – thanks to your generous support, \$5,675.98 was raised. To learn more about that effort, visit www.pda.pcusa.org. Please continue to keep all those affected in your prayers.

Winter Coat Drive

We will be collecting new and gently used winter coats for Operation Homeless Connect until Monday, September 11.

Look for collection boxes in the Narthex and outside the main office.

If you have any questions, please contact Lynette Sparks at 271-6537, ext. 106 or lsparks@thirdpresbyterian.org.

Monday Night Yoga Resumes

Monday, September 11, 6:30pm
Johnston Hall
Join us for this free class!

Witness Palestine Rochester

Sunday September 10 – Monday October 9
The Witness Palestine Film Festival is a compilation of films and events about the people of Palestine; their culture, their situation and their struggle.

Please see the September edition of *The Messenger* for detailed information of festival events or visit WitnessPalestineRochester.org.

Growing in the Word: Exploring Matthew

This fall our small group Bible study will continue with an exploration of Matthew's gospel.

September 17: The Lineage, Birth and Naming of Jesus (Matthew 1:1-25) with leader Paul Gongloff.

September 24: The Baptism and Testing of Jesus (Matthew 3:13-4:11) with leader Dianna Daunton.

Sunday Seminar Starts September 17

Sunday, September 17, 9:30am in Johnston Hall

"A Year of Stewardship," led by John Wilkinson, Pastor.

This new program year brings an opportunity for a sustained, church-wide conversation about our call to be stewards of God's good gifts. Join us as we explore this theme over the coming weeks.

Sunday, September 24 – "Migration on the Psychic Highway: Paving the Road for Charles Finney," led by Rod Frohman, Pastor Emeritus

Sunday, October 8 – "The Anxious Bench: Charles Finney and Third Presbyterian Church," led by Rod Frohman.

Chancel Choir is Welcoming New Members

Chancel Choir rehearsals are underway, but it's not too late to join! New members are always welcome to join this talented group that provides inspiring leadership in worship from September through June each year.

Rehearsals are on Wednesday evenings at 7:15pm. Commitment to the schedule of rehearsals and services is important, and some music reading ability is helpful. All voice parts are welcome!

To indicate your interest, contact Peter DuBois in advance to schedule a time to discuss membership in the choir at pdubois@thirdpresbyterian.org or 271-6537, ext.109.

Handbell Choirs Begin This Week!

Adult Handbell Choir rehearsals begin September 14th! Both of our adult handbell choirs have openings for new or returning ringers, and while new members are welcome at any time, fall is an excellent time to begin. If you've played in the past, consider joining a group again, or if you've never played, come give it a try! There are two opportunities for ringing - the Celebration Ringers, a beginning to intermediate level ringing group, meet on Thursday mornings from 10:45-11:45AM, and the Third Church Ringers (intermediate to advanced ringing) rehearse Thursday evenings from 5:30-6:45PM. Please contact Mary Ann Rutkowski (mrutkowski@thirdpresbyterian.org, 271-6537, ext. 101) to express your interest in one of these musical groups!

Youth Music Rehearsals

Youth music rehearsals will begin **next Sunday, September 17** and continue through the spring. All youth are invited to participate in both bells and vocal choir regardless of experience level.

Junior High Bells (grades 7 and 8), Jeanne Fisher, director – 4:30pm- 5:15pm, Arnold Park Balcony (sanctuary)

Covenant Ringers (grades 9-12), Mary Ann Rutkowski, director – 4:30pm-5:15pm, Moot Room

Covenant Singers (grades 7-12), Peter DuBois, director – 5:15pm- 6:00pm, Choir Room.

Please contact Mary Ann Rutkowski at mrutkowski@thirdpresbyterian.org or 271-6537, ext. 101 or Peter DuBois at pdubois@thirdpresbyterian.org or 271-6537, ext. 109 with any questions or to let them know of your participation!

Seeking Experienced and New Acolytes!

If you are in grades 7-12 and interested in acolyting, now is the time to express your interest. The acolyte schedule begins Sunday, September 17. Contact Cori Averill if you're interested at coriandleanne@aol.com.

Nursery Family Breakfast

Sunday, September 17, 9:30am
Third Church Nursery, Education Building, Room 107

Families with infants and toddlers are invited to a fall kick-off gathering in our Church Nursery. We will have simple breakfast foods (bagels, muffins, fruit, yogurt) as well as coffee for the parents. We certainly hope you will join us for this chance to get to know other parents (while the kids get to play together!), and to have the opportunity to ask our nursery staff any questions you might have.

For more information or dietary requests please contact Nursery Coordinator Cassidy Barnum at cassidylaree@gmail.com or Becky D'Angelo-Veitch at rveitch@thirdpresbyterian.org.

Calvin Guild

Wednesday, September 20, 12:00pm
Johnston Hall

Several years ago, Third Church member Kathy Schumacher discovered over a hundred letters written by her father when he was a soldier in World War I. In his years after the war, her father almost never spoke of his war experience but left a record of his service in the letters to his parents. Kathy transcribed the letters and, with commentary placing the letters in the larger context of WWI, has written a book, *Letters from a Doughboy*, currently in the publication process. We are so pleased to launch another season of Calvin Guild with Kathy's presentation, marking the one-hundredth anniversary of the United States' participation in WWI.

To RSVP, Please contact Dot Wallace at dpiercewallace@gmail.com or 223-8502 **no later than September 12**. Cost for the catered soup and sandwich lunch is \$8.

Peter DuBois in Recital

**Friday, September 29, 7:30pm
Sanctuary**

Director of Music/Organist Peter DuBois will present an organ recital in the sanctuary on Friday, September 29 at 7:30pm.

It will feature music by J. S. Bach, Herbert Howells, and Charles-Marie Widor. In addition, Peter will perform pieces that were included in his recital at the Cathédrale Notre-Dame de Paris earlier this summer – César Franck's "Choral III in A minor", and the spectacular "Suite, Op. 5" by Maurice Duruflé.

This free concert is open to the public, so plan to attend and invite your friends! A reception will follow.

Meals With a Meaning

Saturday, October 21

"Meals with a Meaning" is back! Aside from the thousands of dollars this event raises to support our church budget, it also gives members a chance to socialize in a more meaningful way with one another. To host OR attend, contact Beth Aten at bethfa@rochester.rr.com or Hope Herting at mhherting@yahoo.com.

Grocery Run Needs You on November 4!



The East Avenue Grocery Run has raised nearly \$190,000 for the Third Church Dining Room Ministry and food cupboard as well as Foodlink and other local food pantries!

We need YOU to make this year's event the best yet! Here's how you can help:

Pitch in on race day as a greeter, server, marshal, or other fun assignment!

Create an online fundraiser at www.crowdrise.com/groceryrun2017 and invite friends and family to fight hunger in our community!

Visit our Rally Day table and register to run or walk the 5K or 1 mile course. Church members will enjoy a discount rate of \$22, with a family maximum of \$88. If you register in Coffee Hour, you will get your t-shirt immediately and save the \$2.50 online registration fee.

You can also register online at www.groceryrun.org Use the code 4MEIGS for the church discount. If you register online,

you'll get your t shirt at packet pickup on November 2 and 3.

Either way, you must register by October 15 to receive your East Avenue Grocery Run t-shirt!

Seeking Outreach Media Editor

There are many stories to be told about Third Church Outreach ministries that too often go untold. We are seeking a volunteer Outreach Media Editor who will help us seek out, edit, and publish articles, stories, and blog posts to share these stories with the congregation and community.

If this is your calling, or you'd like to know more information, contact Lynette Sparks at lsparks@thirdpresbyterian.org or call 271-6537, ext. 106.

Chime and Bell Tower Update

Thanks to those of you who have already responded to our campaign to restore and renovate the Copeland Memorial Chime and Bell Tower. We are grateful for your response.

Several have asked if you may make a gift in honor of or in memory of someone. Yes! Simply note on your form that information (please write legibly).

Given in memory of _____.

Given in honor of _____.

We will publish this list in a future Messenger and other locations. Again, the amount of the gift will not be shared publicly.

Thank you for your support. Please be in touch with the church office if you have any questions.

Worship Recordings and Sermon Availability

Did you know that Sunday sermons and anthems can be listened to again via the church website?

Visit www.thirdpresbyterian.org, click on "Worship," then select "Sermons and Order of Worship" from the drop down menu.

Sermons are also available for viewing on the website; printed versions are available at several locations in the church.

New RAIHN Day Center Matching Gift Opportunity

An anonymous donor from Third Church has offered up to \$4,000 in matching funds for contributions to make needed improvements to the kitchen at RAIHN's new Day Center for homeless families enrolled in their program.

If you would like to make a contribution toward this effort, you can make your check payable to Third Presbyterian Church, and designate it for the RAIHN Day Center kitchen. If you would like more information, contact Lynette Sparks at lsparks@thirdpresbyterian.org.

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