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OFFERTORY

Offering

Paul Baloche

*DOXOLOGY 609

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures high and low.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word, and Spirit one.
Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

OLD HUNDREDTH

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN 772

Live into Hope

TRURO

BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

* HYMN 540 (2x)

Farewell, Good Friends

SHALOM, CHAVERIM

Farewell, good friends! Farewell good friends! Shalom, shalom!
Till we meet again, till we meet again, shalom, shalom.



*The worship service has ended, our worship as service begins:
Go in peace, to love and serve the Lord!*

WORSHIP NOTES

Deacon of the Week: George Ganter at 973-202-7297 or e-mail at georgevganter@gmail.com

Thanksgiving for our Worship Leaders:

Preacher Rev. Beverly Friedlander
Pianist Ebony Wiggins
Hymn Leader Jon Reese
Ushers Chuck Kramer & Jenny Beimfohr
A/V Crew Foster Wright

Next Week: 7/26/26
Rev. Beverly Friedlander
Ebony Wiggins
Jon Reese
Kristen & Joe Holmgren
Eric Spurrier



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Music: GTG – Glory to God Hymnal; STF—Sing the Faith Songbook

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WYOMING PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
432 Wyoming Avenue
Millburn, New Jersey 07041

Service for the Lord's Day
8th Sunday after Pentecost
July 19, 2026

Welcome to Worship!

Grace and peace to you from God and the Lord Jesus Christ!
Please let us know you are worshipping with us by completing the
Welcome Card in the pews or following the QR code.



PRELUDE

This is My Father's World Maltbie D. Babcock & Franklin L. Sheppard

ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*As the light enters the sanctuary, our attention is recentered on the worship.
Our conversations quieten; the word of the Lord welcomes us:*

*For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope, for who hopes for what one already
sees? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.* Rom 8: 24-25

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

WORDS OF WELCOME

Rev Beverly Friedlander

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN 360

Christ Is Coming!

UNSER HERRSCHER

INVITATION TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**All: Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our
whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what
we shall be, that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your
holy name.**

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S MERCY AND FORGIVENESS

* THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: May the peace of the risen Christ be with you!

ALL: And also with you!

One: Let us share this sign of peace with one another.

*SHARING THE PEACE

The congregation greets one another with the word of forgiveness and reconciliation: PEACE!

*HYMN 634 To God Be the Glory TO GOD BE THE GLORY

HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 13: 24-30, 36-43 NEW TESTAMENT

One: The word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

SERMON “Look for the Helpers” Rev. Beverly Friedlander

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*HYMN 435 There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy IN BABILONE

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Confessions of 1967 EXCERPTS

We believe:

In Jesus Christ, God was reconciling the world to God’s self.

Jesus Christ is God with us--the eternal Son of the Father,
who became human and lived among us to fulfill the work of reconciliation.

Christ is present in the church by the power of the Holy Spirit
to continue and complete this mission.

This work of God, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
is the foundation of all confessional statements about God, humankind, and the world.

Therefore, the church calls all people to be reconciled to God and to one another.
Christ has called the church to this mission and given it the gift of the Holy Spirit.

The life, death, resurrection, and promised coming of Jesus Christ
has set the pattern for the church’s mission.
His life as a human being involves the church in the common life of all people.
His service to humanity commits the church
to work for every form of human well-being.
His suffering makes the church sensitive to all the sufferings of humankind
so that it sees the face of Christ in the faces of people in every kind of need.
His crucifixion discloses to the church God’s judgment on our inhumanity
to one another and the awful consequences of our own complicity in injustice.

In the power of the risen Christ and the hope of his coming,
the church sees the promise of God’s renewal of human life in society
and of God’s victory over all wrong.

With an urgency born of this hope,
the church applies itself to present tasks and strives for a better world.
It does not identify limited progress with the kingdom of God on earth,
nor does it despair in the face of disappointment and defeat.
In steadfast hope, the church looks beyond all partial achievement to the final triumph of God.

“Now to the One who by the power at work within us
is able to do far more abundantly than all we ask or think,
to God be glory in the church
and in Christ Jesus to all generations,
forever and ever. Amen.”

PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

ALL: 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.