

Holly Presbyterian Church World Communion Sunday October 5, 2025

Welcome and Announcements

Pennies from Heaven A voluntary small change offering for building projects.

Prelude

Julia Hull

*Call to Worship

Adapted from Psalm 86

There is none like you among the gods, O Lord, nor are there any works like yours.

All the nations you have made shall come and bow down before you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name.

For you are great and do wondrous things; you alone are God.

Teach us your way, O Lord, that we may walk in your truth.

For you, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

Let us worship the Lord together!

Opening Hymn #327 "From All That Dwell Below the Skies (Psalm 117)"

Call to Confession

Adapted from Psalm 86

Prayer of Confession

Adapted from Psalm 85

Lord, you are always faithful to forgive. We are not always faithful in our seeking. Will you revive us once again so that we may rejoice in you? Show us your steadfast love and tune our ears to hear all you wish to speak to us. Turn us away from our own ways, which cut us off from you. Dwell among us that we might become your righteousness to the land you have placed us in. (please take time for silent personal confession)

Assurance of Pardon Amen!

Adapted from Psalm 86

Prayer for Illumination

Lord, we long to know your word. We desire it more than anything else. In your word, we find breath and life.

Scriptures
Old Testament
New Testament

New Testament
This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 86:1-17 Revelation 7:9-10 Pew Bible (OT) Pg. 514-515

Pew Bible (NT) Pg. 235

Sermon "You Alone Are God"

Rev. Chris Thomas

*Affirmation of Faith

I Believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His Only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen!

Prayers of the People The Lord's Prayer

Offertory

*Doxology Hymn #609 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Father, you gave us the gift of your Son. What can we give in return? In eternal gratitude, we offer you all that we are and all that we have. Use this offering to bring others peace, wholeness, and hope. Fill us with your love that we might become living sacrifices to the world you have placed us in. Amen.

*Closing Hymn #295 "Go to the World!" Charge and Benediction Postlude

Julia Hull

Assisting with worship today: Worship Leader-Dessalee Cook; Usher Dessalee Cook; Communion Servers-Margaret Perry; AV Setup-Karen Haneline; Sound-Jim Lyles.

Monthly summary	Average budgeted needs Income received		
September	\$6,102.00	\$6,325.00	

^{*}Hymn #507 "Come to the Table of Grace"

^{*}Prayer of Dedication

Volunteers needed!



Volunteers are needed for Worship Leader and Coffee Attendant. God appreciates all you do and so do we.

Congregational Care Team

If you have prayer requests, please submit them to Karen Haneline - haneline526@gmail.com or 248-894-3489.



Fall Workday has been **moved** from Saturday, October 4th to October 11th. We will start at 9am. A list of things to be done is in the Sanctuary.

Bible Study is back!

Join us at 10am for an in depth look at Scriptures. We meet the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month.





Halloween Celebration

Donations are needed for candy. Please bring your candy and put it in the box in the Sanctuary. If you would like to give a financial donation, please give that to Fran Pelton.

Poinsettias, **greens and gift cards-**we will be having the Poinsettias and Greens Sign up sheet for believe it or not Christmas. October 26th is the deadline for signing up. The signup sheet is in the Sanctuary. You can pay before the greens and poinsettias come in.





Potluck Potluck is planned for October 26th following worship. Please bring a dish to pass if able.

This is a great time of fellowship.



Prayer Concerns

Please remember to pray for Pastor Chris and his family, and our church, every day.

Pray for: all the people affected by the Grand Blanc shooting and fire at **The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.**; **Toni** (Bob Killewald's sister's dear friend) had a brain prognosis is

poor.; Sherry McLaughlin recovering from hip surgery; Donna Miller recovering at her new residence. Her new address is 14480 N. Holly Rd., Apt. 316, Holly, MI 48442 (Hampton Manor); Dale Huffman prayers for recovery and increased strength.; Mark Bolan treatment for cancer; Charly (Bob & Cathie's friend) age 16 had her liver transplant but is going through difficulty.

Ongoing prayers: Alex Searfoss (great grandson of Donna Miller) Prayers that he continues to improve.; Jody (sister of Randy Cook) small cell lung cancer-very aggressive-stage 1-praying the treatment stalls it.; Micah Swanson (Sherry's second cousin) possibly has throat cancer but does have testicular and bladder cancer; Jennifer Cotaling (Randy Cook's sister-in-law) Mike Schettling (Tom Schettling's cousin) cancer; Rev. Dr. lan Lamont had cranial surgery to separate a nerve and artery that had grown together. Prayers of thanks that he is out of the hospital and doing well; James Teddy, son of regular attender Duana Teddy, has non-alcoholic cirrhosis of the liver and had a major stomach bleed. They found and sealed it, but he is now getting scheduled to see if he can get a liver transplant; Tom Schettling; Penny Schettling; Jerry Watkins (Laura Parker's dad); Mike Pelton, Don Neuville, Steve in FL, and Jim Killewald.

Prayers for those suffering: for all those affected by war, severe weather, hunger, gun violence, abuse, and/or addiction.

Mark your calendar

Sun Oct 5th 10:30am Coffee

11:00am Outreach Team

11:15am Worship-World Communion Sunday

Tues Oct 7th 7:00pm Information Technology Team

Wed Oct 8th 6:30pm Zumba

Sat Oct 11th 9:00am Fall Workday Sun Oct 12th 10:00am Bible Study

> 10:30am Coffee 11:15am Worship