



AN ORDER OF WORSHIP

We gather in prayer and praise...



Prelude “Take My Life and Let It Be” Camil Van Hulse
(Please listen quietly to the prelude as the community prepares for worship)

Pouring of Baptismal Water

Welcome

Call to Worship (from Psalm 80)

Leader: Give ear, O Shepherd of Israel, you who lead Joseph like a flock! You who are enthroned upon the cherubim, shine forth.

People: Stir up your might, and come to save us!

Leader: Restore us, O God; let your face shine, that we may be saved.

People: Let your hand be upon the one at your right hand, the one whom you made strong for yourself.

Leader: Then we will never turn back from you; give us life, and we will call on your name.

People: Restore us, O Lord God of hosts; let your face shine, that we may be saved!

Leader: For the Lord is good, his steadfast love endures forever.

All: Let us worship God

+Hymn #377 “Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore” PESCADOR DE HOMBRES
...to come before God with honest humility...

Prayer of Confession

Gracious God.

We confess our sin to one another and to you.

We often think of ourselves as deserving more than we have.

We sometimes count ourselves among the righteous.

We forget that it is by your grace that we are made whole.

We forget that forgiveness is to be our way of life because we have so freely been forgiven.

Help us be a people changed, a people different, a people set apart for love and service.

Help us strive to do what is right and good.

Lord, have mercy upon us and remove from us all hardness of heart.

Renew a right spirit within us and guide us in service to you and others.

In your holy name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

+A Doxology #579

“Glory Be to the Father”

GLORIA PATRI

+The Peace of Christ

...to listen for the Word of God...

Prayer for Understanding and Lessons from the Scriptures

Isaiah 5:1-7 *The Lord will make waste his vineyard, his people*

Hebrews 11:29-12:2 *The prophets are commended for their faith*

Solo “Ev’ry Time I Feel the Spirit” arr. J. Rosamond Johnson
G. Roberts Kolb, soloist

Luke 12:49–56 *Jesus brings not peace, but division*

Message “Fear Not?”

+Hymn #326 “Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart” MORECAMBE

+Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles’ Creed
(Ecumenical Version, The Presbyterian Hymnal, p. 14)

Life in the Church, Joys, and Concerns

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

(Lord’s Prayer from Matthew 6:9-13 in modern English)

Our Father who is in Heaven, holy is your name.

May your kingdom come.

May your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us of our debts as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Because yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering Our Gifts and Our Lives to God

Offertory “Meditation on ‘Spirit of God’” Charles Callahan

+A Doxology #592 “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” OLD 100th

+Prayer of Dedication

...and to go out to serve in the name of Christ.

+Hymn #391 “Take My Life” HENDON

+Charge and Benediction

+Postlude

WELCOME to the worship of God at Stone Presbyterian Church, a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in the Presbytery of Utica.

SAVE THE DATE: You are all invited to my (Ceil Gilbert) 90th birthday party on Saturday, Sept. 13th. Details are on the sign-up sheets in the back of the sanctuary and in the Norton Room.



FAIR TRADE SHOPPE: You are invited to visit our Fair Trade Shoppe, located downstairs, to see our wonderful selection of Fair Trade teas, coffees, chocolates, clothes, and gift items. Our shop is open second Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in addition to our regular Thursday hours of 10 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Look for us Thursdays at the Farmers Market. For more information, visit our website at <https://buildingstonesshoppe.square.site> or www.facebook.com/buildingstonesfairtradeshoppe.

PRAYER CHAIN: If you would like to add someone to our prayer list or would like to receive the prayer list for daily prayer, please go to our website www.stonepres.org and click on “Prayer Request” or call the church office at 315-853-2933.

THE COUNTRY PANTRY continues to strive to reduce the hunger in our community. All donations are appreciated. If you have a vegetable garden this year with an abundance of produce, the pantry will take it. Please contact Mary Zimbler for drop off arrangements. Also, the children will be home for the summer so their favorite food items will be needed. Help me fill my car on the **3rd Sunday** of every month.

HOPE HOUSE: Stone Church has now designated the **4th Sunday** of the month for us to bring in items for Hope House. Their special needs for this month are rice, coffee, sugar, full size shampoo, conditioner & bar soap. Please contact Lora Schilder (315-790-1945) if you have any questions.

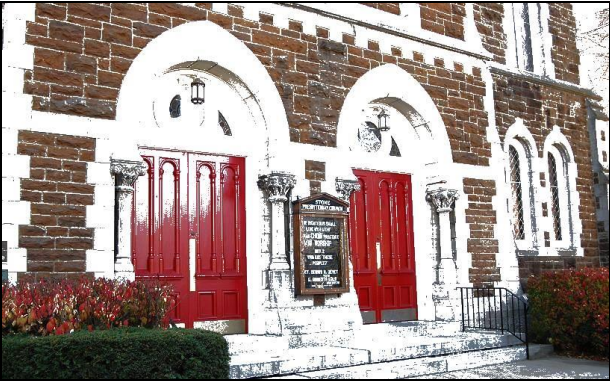
SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE 2025
9:30 a.m. Sundays, July 6 through August 24

LABOR DAY WEEKEND ECUMENICAL SERVICE
ON THE GREEN
9:30 a.m. Sunday, August 31
(Bring a lawn chair—or two!)

An Order of Worship for the Lord’s Day
Stone Presbyterian Church ~ Clinton, New York
A Welcoming and Affirming Congregation

Summer Service

August 17, 2025 ~ 9:30 a.m.
10th Sunday after Pentecost



Scott Leonard, Commissioned Pastor
G. Roberts Kolb, Director of Music
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Tú Has Venido a la Orilla Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore 377

PESCADOR DE HOMBRES 8.10.10 with refrain

Cesáreo Gabaráin, 1979

Trans. Gertrude Suppe, George Lockwood,
and Raquel Achón, 1988; alt.

Cesáreo Gabaráin
Harm. Skinner Chávez-Melo

1. Tú has ve - ni - do a la o - ri - lla,
2. Tú sa - bes bien lo que ten - go:

1. You have come up to the lake - shore,
2. You know that I own so lit - tle,

No has bus - ca - do ni a sa - bios ni a ri - cos, Tan
En mi bar - ca no hay o - ro ni es - pa - das, Tan

Look - ing nei - ther for wise nor for wealth - y. You
In my boat there's no mon - ey nor weap - ons, You'll

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LIFE IN CHRIST

só - lo quie - res que yo te si - ga.
só - lo re - des y mi tra - ba - jo.
on - ly want - ed that I should fol - low.
on - ly find there my nets and la - bor.

Estribillo
Refrain

Se - ñor, me has mi - ra - do a los o - jos
O Lord, with Your eyes You have searched me,
y son - rien - do has di - cho mi nom - bre;
And, while smil - ing, have called out my name.

en la a - re - na he de - ja - do mi bar - ca;
Now my boat's left on the shore - line be - hind me,

LIFE IN CHRIST

jun - to a ti bus-ca - ré o-tro mar.
Now with You I will seek oth-er seas.

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| 3. Tú necesitas mis manos,
Mi cansancio que a otros descansa,
Amor que quiera seguir amando.
<i>Estrillo</i> | 3. You need the caring of my hands.
Through my tiredness, may others find resting.
You need a love that just goes on loving.
<i>Refrain</i> |
| 4. Tú, pescador de otros mares,
Ansia eterna de almas que esperan,
Amigo bueno, que así me llamas.
<i>Estrillo</i> | 4. You, who have fished other oceans,
Ever longed for by souls that are waiting,
My dear and good friend, as thus You call me.
<i>Refrain</i> |

HOLY SPIRIT

326 Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart

MORECAMBE 10.10.10.10

George Croly, 1854

Frederick Cook Atkinson, 1870

1. Spir - it of God, de - scend up - on my heart;
2. Hast Thou not bid us love Thee, God and King;
3. Teach me to feel that Thou art al - ways nigh;
4. Teach me to love Thee as Thine an - gels love,

Wean it from earth, through all its puls - es move;
All, all Thine own: soul, heart, and strength, and mind?
Teach me the strug - gles of the soul to bear,
One ho - ly pas - sion fill - ing all my frame;

Stoop to my weak - ness, might - y as Thou art,
I see Thy cross, there teach my heart to cling.
To check the ris - ing doubt, the reb - el sigh;
The bap - tism of the heaven - de - scend - ed Dove,

And make me love Thee as I ought to love.
O let me seek Thee, and O let me find!
Teach me the pa - tience of un - an - swered prayer.
My heart an al - tar, and Thy love the flame.

Take My Life

HENDON 7.7.7.7

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1874

H. A. César Malan, 1827



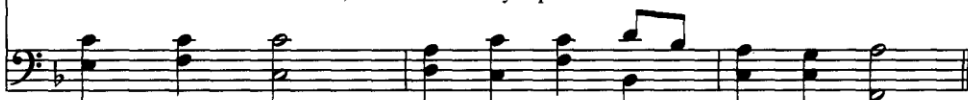
1. Take my life, and let it be Con-se - crat - ed, Lord, to Thee.
 2. Take my hands, and let them move At the im - pulse of Thy love.
 3. Take my voice, and let me sing, Al - ways, on - ly, for my King.
 4. Take my sil - ver and my gold, Not a mite would I with-hold;




Take my mo - ments and my days; Let them flow in
 Take my feet, and let them be Swift and beau - ti -
 Take my lips, and let them be Filled with mes - sa -
 Take my in - tel - lect, and use Ev - ery power as




cease - less praise, Let them flow in cease - less praise.
 ful for Thee, Swift and beau - ti - ful for Thee.
 ges from Thee, Filled with mes - sa - ges from Thee.
 Thou shalt choose, Ev - ery power as Thou shalt choose.



5. Take my will, and make it Thine;
 It shall be no longer mine.
 Take my heart, it is Thine own;
 It shall be Thy royal throne,
 It shall be Thy royal throne.

6. Take my love; my Lord, I pour
 At Thy feet its treasure store.
 Take myself, and I will be
 Ever, only, all for Thee,
 Ever, only, all for Thee.