



Casting Out Evil Spirit by Peter Koenig (1991), United Kingdom

Doylestown Presbyterian Church Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 22, 2025
9:30 am

All Are Welcome in God's House

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The Chimes

Welcome and Announcements

(Persons nearest the center aisle are asked to sign and pass the Act of Friendship pad toward the outside aisle. Please keep the cover open as the pad is returned.)

Prelude

Give Me Jesus

arr. M. Garrett

*Call to Worship

Galatians 3:25-29

But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian,
for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith.

As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.

There is no longer Jew or Greek; there is no longer slave or free; there is no longer male and female, for all of you are one in Christ Jesus.

And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise. Let us worship God!

*Hymn 610

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

AZMON

Call to Confession and Prayer of Confession

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.

(a moment for Silent Reflection and Confession)

Assurance of Forgiveness

Hear the Good News of the Gospel!

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

*Congregational Response 581

Gloria Patri

GLORIA PATRI (GREATOREX)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

*The Sharing of the Peace of Christ

The Peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, be with you. **And also with you.**

Time with the Children

(After the message, children ages four through sixth grade may leave for Children's Worship Time. Parents may pick up their children in Room 207, located across the bridge, following worship.)

First Scripture Lesson: Luke 8:22-25

Pew Bible, NRSV (NT), p. 67

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

** Please stand in body or in spirit.*

***Bolded** text invites the congregation to respond*

Anthem

Romance
Rachel Huang, Horn

Camille Saint-Saëns

(Ushers will collect prayer request cards during this time.)

Prayer of Illumination

Second Scripture Lesson: Luke 8:26-39
The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

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Sermon

“Clothes and In His Right Mind”

Rev. Dr. Mac Schafer

*Affirmation of Faith

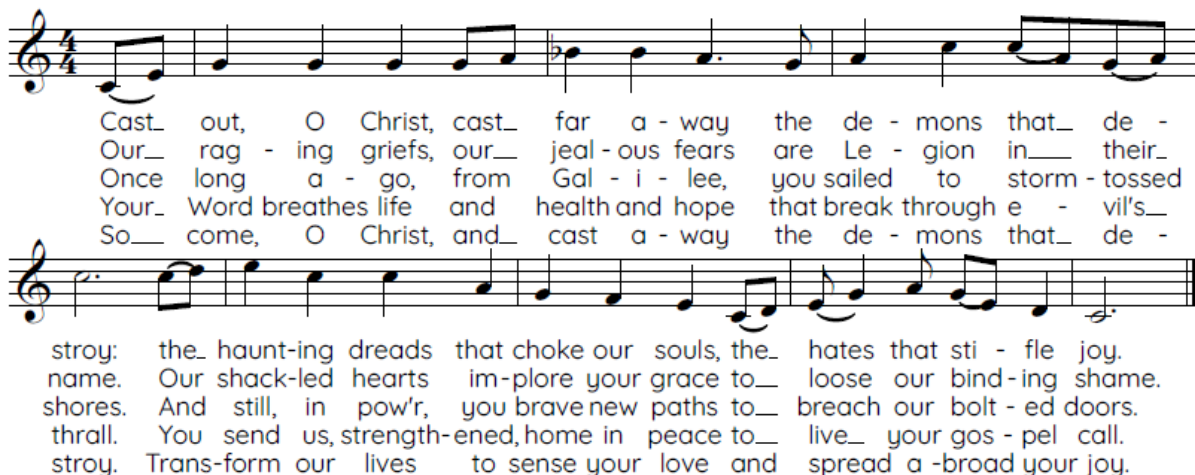
Inclusive Language Confession of 1967 (9.32)

The life, death, resurrection, and promised coming of Jesus Christ has set the pattern for the church's mission. His human life involves the church in the common life of all people. His service to men and women commits the church to work for every form of human well-being. His suffering makes the church sensitive to all human suffering so that it sees the face of Christ in the faces of persons in every kind of need. His crucifixion discloses to the church God's judgment on the inhumanity that marks human relations, and the awful consequences of the church's 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.

*Hymn

Cast Out, O Christ

MCKEE



Cast out, O Christ, cast far a-way the de-mons that de-
Our rag-ing griefs, our jeal-ous fears are Le-gion in their-
Once long a-go, from Gal-i-lee, you sailed to storm-tossed
Your Word breathes life and health and hope that break through e-vil's-
So come, O Christ, and cast a-way the de-mons that de-
stroy: the haunt-ing dreads that choke our souls, the hates that sti-fle joy.
name. Our shack-led hearts im-plore your grace to loose our bind-ing shame.
shores. And still, in pow'r, you brave new paths to breach our bolt-ed doors.
thrall. You send us, strength-ened, home in peace to live your gos-pel call.
stroy. Trans-form our lives to sense your love and spread a-broad your joy.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (Traditional)

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.

Offering of Our Gifts and Lives

(To give online or via text message, click the "Give" tab at the top of our website.)

Offertory

Andante from Sonata No. 6

F. Mendelssohn

*Congregational Response 606 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD HUNDREDTH
**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. Amen.**

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn 463

How Firm a Foundation

FOUNDATION

*Benediction

*Postlude

Fugue in A Minor, BWV 543

J.S. Bach

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Welcome to Worship at Doylestown Presbyterian Church!
Whether in-person or joining us from home, we are glad that you are with us!

Assisting: Rev. Becca Bateman Lay Leader: Galen Hays

The **flowers** are given today in loving memory of Ginger Hoch, Marjorie and Ward Hoch, and Eleanor and William Steinhart by Wayne Hoch and family.

Join together for **lemonade and fellowship** after worship in the church yard. You can also browse the **Library table** and return or checkout books.

New visitors to DPC are invited to pick up a **Welcome Bag** available in the narthex inside the red doors. Thank you for joining us today!



Be a bridge for Christ and a beacon of His love.

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