



Don't GO to church — BE CHURCH

The Worship of God

Wayzata Community Church

September 17, 2017 • 9:00 a.m., Sanctuary

Welcome to Wayzata Community Church where lots of different people come together for the shared purpose of worshiping God and encouraging each other through the inclusive love of Jesus. Whether you are our guest, looking for a church home, or already a member, we want you to feel welcomed by our congregation and inspired and uplifted by our worship service.

Families are embraced here. Your child is welcome to stay in worship or we have excellent, fun, faith learning for children pre-school through High School. A "cry room" is available for your comfort at the back of the Sanctuary.

- Early childhood go straight to classrooms before service
- K-5 begin in worship; leave with Jodie, pickup in the gym
- MS begin in worship, leave with Christa, pickup in MS room
- HS Pathways 10:15-11:45 in the Loft (3rd floor)
- For help finding a room, please see a greeter or usher.





The Chancel Flowers are given
in loving memory of Arch Crist by his family.



OUR VISION

Inspire the world with the inclusive love of Jesus.

OUR MISSION

To be a caring community drawn together by God's grace and called to personally live out Christ's love.

To actively extend a welcome invitation to all people, embracing each other with uncompromising compassion.

To boldly challenge our own complacency through courageous conversation and transformational worship.

To relentlessly share our extraordinary gifts through life-changing mission and service-near and far.

WORSHIP LEADERS

Preacher	Rev. Dr. John F. Ross
Liturgists	Rev. Rustin Comer, Rev. Danielle Jones
Music	Tapestry, Celebration Singers
Deacons	Reid Shaw
Chancel Guild	Sue Sorrentino
Head Ushers	Jim Cada & Steve Beachler
Ushers	The Larry Christofaro Team

+ THE PRAYER OF PRAISE Danielle Jones

Leader: O God, the provisions You give for our journey have always been simple: something to eat, a path to follow, and a star to aim for.

All: What You ask of us is equally simple: trust in You, trust in each other.

Leader: The covenant between us is as beautiful as a rainbow spanning the sky; it is rough and sparse like the wood beams forming a cross.

All: Wherever we go, whatever we do, remind us of Your great love for us, and the opportunity to love each other.

BLESSING OF THE KINDERGARTENERS & BACKPACKS
Rustin Comer & Jodie Nyberg

CALL TO OUR CHILDREN & YOUTH Jodie Nyberg & Christa Workmon

SONG OF DEVOTION *Come As You Are* David Crowder

Come out of sadness from wherever you've been,
Come broken-hearted let rescue begin.
Come find your mercy O sinner come kneel,
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal.
Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can't heal.

(Chorus) Lay down your burdens lay down your shame.
All who are broken lift up your face.
Wanderer come home, You're not too far.
So lay down your hurt lay down your heart, come as you are.

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COMMUNITY MOMENTS John Ross

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *These Feet Got Joy* Craig Curry
Celebration Singers, Kathy Muller, Soloist

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & LORD'S PRAYER Danielle Jones
**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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING
Matthew 4:18-22; 10:2-23 Katherine Poindexter
Leader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.
All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON *BE Church: Our Job Description* John Ross

ANTHEM *The Church* Chris Brown
Tapestry, Featuring Sydney Baumgartner

*We are the change the world is waiting for.
We've got a love the world is desperate for.
We will lead, and take to Your streets.
Now's the time for us to rise and carry hope
and let love shine, and show this world that mercy is alive.
Now's the time for us to rise and carry hope to hopeless eyes, and show this world that mercy is alive.
Fill our hearts with Your compassion, let our love be real.*

SENDING PRAYER Rustin Comer