

Thanksgiving Day Service

Thursday, November 28, 2024

9:30 AM

New Life Christian Reformed Church



PRELUDE

CHOIR:....."Blessing After Blessing"

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

*GOD'S GREETING

*MUTUAL GREETING

*SONGS OF PRAISE:

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" *PsH* #556:1-3

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" *PsH* #262:1-4

RESPONSIVE READING: *Psalms* 107:1-15

SONG: "Now Thank We All Our God" *PsH* #454:1-3

RESPONSIVE READING: *Psalms* 107:33-43

*SONG: "Amazing Grace-How Sweet the Sound"
PsH #462:1-5

DEACON'S PRAYER

OFFERING: *The offering will be received for designated causes. All unspecified offerings will go to the Ministry Opportunity Fund of New Life Church.*

OFFERTORY:....."A Song of Thanksgiving"
Handbell Choir

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER: (*unison*)

*SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Exodus 17:1-7 (pg. 114) and Psalm 95 (pg. 933)

MESSAGE:....**THE CHRISTIAN HEART OF THANKSGIVING**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

*SONG: "I Will Sing of the Mercies of the LORD" *PsH* #169:1-2

*PARTING BLESSING

*CLOSING SONG:

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" *PsH* #638

*POSTLUDE

Lynn Marshall, Worship Leader; Lori Hofstra, Organist

**Those able are invited to stand.*

PsH=Psalter Hymnal; TCH=The Celebration Hymnal



Nursery Attendants: Jill Boender and Annette Marshall

THIS MORNING, we welcome **LYNN MARSHALL**
and thank him for leading our Thanksgiving Day Service.

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Holy God, our praise can never match the wondrous measure of your mercy. Our lips can never express the depth of gratitude that our hearts feel. In your providence we have been kept, of your bounty we have received, and under the shadow of your wings our souls have learned to rejoice. You have led us through each decision of our lives. Your goodness and mercy have followed us all our days. By green pastures we have been led. In the dark valley we have not walked alone. Our comfort has been in your rod and staff. We thank you that we are made to be dependent, that none of us can live without you. But most of all we thank you that you are dependable, naming us one by one, knowing each of our needs, and supplying all that we require and more, out of your eternal mercy. Hear us, O God, as our hearts, at their best and at their humblest, give you the glory that belongs to your name. In you we find our steadfast and unfrightened hope through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

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