

**CHILDREN AND YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL –**  
**Classes meet in the Park Level at 10 a.m.**

Class	Teachers
Nursery (8:15 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.)	Certified and professional staff members, supervised by Rev. Cashwell
Preschool Class ages 3-5	Doug House, Elizabeth Sciapac, Elisa Jillson, Kay Meek
Lower Elementary Class Kindergarten- 1st Grade	Molly Lauer, Marsha Renwanz, Mark Sproles, Bridget Sproles
Upper Elementary Class 2nd Grade-5th Grade	David Gillies, Kathy Doan, Catherine Cannon
Youth Class 6th Grade-12th Grade	Susan Hesser, Betsy Merritt, Kevin Guy

Adult Sunday School	Sunday, April 6 10 a.m., Room 511
<b>"Leaving Egypt and Entering the Wilderness: Our Lenten Journey"</b> Come for conversation about Lent and our journey through Lent as we compare our experiences of this season with the exodus of the people of Israel.	
Adult Sunday School	Sundays, April 6-13 10 a.m., Room 520
<b>"Israel-Palestine, the PC(U.S.A.), and You"</b> What is the current status of the Israel-Palestine conflict? What actions has the Presbyterian Church (USA) already taken in this regard? What issues and overtures are likely to arise at the 221st General Assembly in Detroit? Learn more about the issue, the church, and what you can do to support a just peace for the region. Led by Matthew Asada.	

**PEACE THROUGH SERVICE**

- April 6– Genesis 41:37-57
- April 7– Deuteronomy 10:12-22
- April 8– Isaiah 42:1-9
- April 9– Psalm 92
- April 10 – John 13:11-20
- April 11– 1 Corinthians 3:1-9
- April 12– Colossians 4:7-18

<http://www.pcusa.org/resource/2013-2014-biblical-witness-peacemaking>

**HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

<b>Palm Sunday</b>	<b>April 13</b>
8:45 and 11:00 a.m.	Worship Service: Rev. Roger J. Gench, preaching
<b>Maundy Thursday</b>	<b>April 17</b>
6:00 p.m.	Soup and Bread Supper in Peter Marshall Hall
7:00 p.m.	Maundy Thursday Worship
<b>Good Friday</b>	<b>April 18</b>
12 Noon	Good Friday Worship Service
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>April 19</b>
10:00 a.m.	Easter Vigil
<b>Easter Sunday</b>	<b>April 20</b>
7:15 a.m.	Sunrise Worship Service in Triangle Park
7:45 a.m.	Breakfast (\$7.00) in Peter Marshall Hall
8:30 a.m.	Radcliffe Room Ministry
8:45 a.m.	Worship Service: Rev. Roger J. Gench, preaching
9:45 a.m.	Breakfast and Activities (\$7.00) in Peter Marshall Hall
11:00 a.m.	Worship Service: Rev. Roger J. Gench, preaching

**Opportunities for Service**

**7-2-9 Club** – Enjoy a Wednesday evening (yes, from 7 to 9 p.m.), September until June, with guests recovering from mental illness. There are games, entertainment, refreshments and time for making friends. Contact Spence Gibbins, [spencerqib@aol.com](mailto:spencerqib@aol.com)

**Community Club** – A one-with-one tutoring and mentoring program for DC public and charter school students (grades 7-12), meets at the church on Thursday nights during the school year. Adult volunteers are needed! Please contact Tom Karr and Shamika Bradley at [directors@communityclub.org](mailto:directors@communityclub.org) or go to [www.communityclub.org](http://www.communityclub.org) for more information.

**Food for the Hungry** – Non-perishable food donations are needed by the Capital Area Food Bank, the large nonprofit hunger and nutrition education resource in the Washington area. Please place your donations in the baskets located at the rear of the Sanctuary.

**New York Avenue Foundation** – The NYAF mission is to be a catalyst of educational advancement for youth in need throughout Washington, DC. Annually it solicits proposals and awards grants to grassroots non-profits which further that mission. A volunteer Board of Trustees conducts the work of NYAF. If you are interested in learning more or participating in the NYAF mission, contact John Courson, [nyavefoundation@gmail.com](mailto:nyavefoundation@gmail.com) or (202) 735-5005.

**Radcliffe Room Ministry** – Come join our homeless guests, Sundays, 8:15-10:30 a.m., for hymn singing, refreshments and socializing. Donations of umbrellas, rain gear, clothing, toiletries and transportation money are needed. Contact Eleanor Robins, [robinseleanor@hotmail.com](mailto:robinseleanor@hotmail.com)

**The Peace Candle** – Visitors are invited to take a prayer candle home to their congregations. Candles are at the rear, right side, of the sanctuary. Please sign the note pad there, so we may know who you are. For more information about the Peace and Justice Committee activities, contact Fritz von Fleckenstein, [fritz@alumni.reed.edu](mailto:fritz@alumni.reed.edu)

**Triangle Park Committee** – Working with the National Park Service to ensure maintenance and oversee the flower and plant beds along the church wall, we meet 4-6 times a year, conduct business via email, and schedule work days as needed. Contact Marilyn Seiber, [mjs1wan2@bellatlantic.net](mailto:mjs1wan2@bellatlantic.net) Beth DuMez, [bethdumez@erols.com](mailto:bethdumez@erols.com) or Barry Tindall, [barrytindall@verizon.net](mailto:barrytindall@verizon.net)

**NYAPC's Young Adults** – On the 2nd and 4th Sundays, young adults meet for lunch on the Park Level.. For more information about Faith on Tap, Bible study, and other fellowship or service activities, (or to be added to the e-mail list) contact Richard Snyder ([snyder.richard@gmail.com](mailto:snyder.richard@gmail.com)) or Benno Lauer ([benno.lauer@gmail.com](mailto:benno.lauer@gmail.com))

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Interim Associate Pastor:	Katie Cashwell, M. Div.
Associate Pastor:	Linda LeSourd Lader, M. Div.
Director of Music:	Stanley P. Engebretson, D.M.A.
Parish Associate for Visitation:	Ann Rose Davie, M. Div.
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**Celebration of Worship**

The New York Avenue Presbyterian Church  
 welcomes all people into community,  
 worship, service and leadership.

**April 6, 2014**  
**8:45 and 11:00 a.m.**  
**5th Sunday in Lent**  
**Communion Sunday**

*The worship service begins with a brief period for personal meditation and the Prelude.*

*Lord God, Great I AM, You are resurrection and life.  
 As we worship You this day show us who we are: bearers of good news,  
 messengers of resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

**Prelude** 8:45 "Brother James' Air"  
 Traditional English  
 11:00 "Introit" and "Kyrie," from **Requiem**  
 Bob Chilcott  
 Whitney McColley, Soprano, David Miranda, Tenor  
 Gretchen Kuhrmann, Conductor  
 Guest Members from Choralis,  
 the NYAPC Sanctuary Choir, and Orchestra

**Introit** 8:45 "You Are My Strength When I Am Weak"  
 Dennis Hernigan  
 11:00 "Offertorio," from **Requiem**  
 Bob Chilcott

\* **Lincoln Chimes**

\* **Call to Worship**

**Leader:** "Come out!" Jesus commands,  
**All:** **And calls us from the tombs of our existence into the brightness of a new day.**  
**Leader:** "Come out!" Jesus cries,  
**All:** **And unbinds us from the chains of our past.**  
**Leader:** "Come out!" Jesus calls,  
**All:** **And entices us into a world filled with grace and possibility.**  
**Leader:** "Come out!" Jesus declares,  
**All:** **And invites us to worship and glorify God.**

\***Hymn** #664 (*verses 1-2*), "Morning Has Broken"  
 Bunessan

**Prayer of Confession**

**O Lord, if You held our sin against us, who could live, who could stand? We seem to have more faith in death than hope in Your promise of life. We seek peace through war and find security in weapons. We abandon the hungry, sick, and dying, and pursue wealth by making others poor. And even so, You love us; still there is forgiveness with You! Therefore we worship You; for You alone, O Lord, can save us from death and redeem us from our sin.**

*\* Please stand,  
 if able*

## Silent Confession

### \*Assurance of Pardon

### \*Response

#664 (*verse 3*), "Morning Has Broken"  
Bunessan

**Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning,  
born of the one light Eden saw play!  
Praise with elation; praise every morning,  
God's recreation of the new day!**

### \*A Brief Statement of Faith (*Pages 37-38, "Glory to God" hymnal*)

## II. The Community Hears the Word of God

### First Lesson

John 11:1-16, page 98, NRSV  
Leader: This is the word of the Lord.  
People: **Thanks be to God.**

Anthem "Pie Jesu," from **Requiem**  
Bob Chilcott  
Whitney McColley, Soprano

### Time for Children

### Second Lesson

John 11:17-45, page 99, NRSV  
Leader: This is the word of the Lord.  
People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon " **Rise and Shine, Lazarus!** "  
Rev. Katie Cashwell

## III. The Community Responds to the Word

### \*Sermon Hymn

#286, "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"  
Trentham

### Concerns of the Church

### Minute for Mission

*One Great Hour of Sharing*

### Giving of Morning Tithes and Offerings

### Offertory 11:00

"Sanctus" and "Agnus Dei," from **Requiem**  
Bob Chilcott

### \*Response

#607, "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"  
Doxology  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Christ, all creatures here below;  
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;  
Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.**

### \*Prayer of Dedication

Holy God, Giver of life, we thank You for raising us up and joining us together as one people, Your people. Like Lazarus we awake from sleep at the sound of Your voice. Like Lazarus, we have a new life in front of us- a resurrection life not meant to be hoarded, but to be shared. Like Lazarus, we have been given a gift that is meant for all. We make this offering because You, O God, have delivered us from death. Use these gifts and our lives to proclaim the good news of new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Communion with Prayers of the People

### Invitation

### Litany of Thanksgiving

One: The Lord be with you.  
**All: And also with you.**  
One: Lift up your hearts.  
**All: We lift them to the Lord.**  
One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**All: It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

### Great Prayer of Thanksgiving with Prayers of the People

*It is truly right and our greatest joy to give You thanks and praise, O Lord our God, Creator and Redeemer of the universe.... Therefore we praise You, joining our voices with the heavenly choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of Your name:*

### Response

"Holy, Holy"  
Holy, Holy (Irregular)  
**Holy, holy, holy, holy, Holy, holy, Lord God Almighty;  
And we lift our hearts before You as a token of our love,  
Holy, holy, holy, holy.**

*You are holy, O God of majesty, and blessed is Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord... Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all glory and honor are Yours, Almighty God, now and forever. Let us pray for God's rule on earth, as Jesus taught us:*

**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.**

### Words of Institution and Distribution of the Elements

(8:45) *Participants in the communion proceed down the aisles to the servers, take a piece of bread, dip it into the cup, partake, and remain at the front of the Sanctuary. Those unable to come forward will be offered the bread and the cup at their seats.*

(11:00) *Please partake of bread when received; hold the cup until all have been served so that we may commune together.*

*(There is a Gluten Free communion set available; raise your hand for a pastor to respond.)*

### Prayer After Communion

Loving God, We thank You that You have fed us in the Sacrament, united us with Christ, and given us a foretaste of the heavenly banquet in Your eternal kingdom. Send us out in the power of Your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### \*Passing of the Peace

### \*Sending Hymn

#547, "Go, My Children, with My Blessing"  
Ar Hydy Nos

- 1 "Go, my children, with my blessing, never alone.  
Waking, sleeping, I am with you; you are my own.  
In my love's baptismal river  
I have made you mine forever.  
**Go, my children, with my blessing—you are my own."**
- 2 "Go, my children, sins forgiven, at peace and pure.  
Here you learned how much I love you, what I can cure.  
Here you heard my dear Son's story;  
here you touched him, saw his glory.  
**Go, my children, sins forgiven, at peace and pure."**
- 3 "Go, my children, fed and nourished, closer to me;  
Grow in love and love by serving, joyful and free.  
Here my Spirit's power filled you;  
here his tender comfort stilled you.  
**Go, my children, fed and nourished, joyful and free."**

### \*Commissioning to Ministry and Benediction

### \*Congregational Response Alleluia! Amen!

Postlude "Thou Knowest, Lord," and "Lux aeterna,"  
from **Requiem**  
Bob Chilcott

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We wish to thank our choirs, soloists, orchestra, and conductor Gretchen Kuhrmann for their participation in worship this morning.

The flowers in the chancel today are given to the glory of God by *Adlai Amor and his brothers and sisters* in celebration of the lives of *their parents, Alexander G. and Delia J. Amor.*

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