

November 21, 2021
9:00 AM Heritage Service
Order of Worship
**Invites congregation to stand*

PRELUDE “Siciliana” (Telemann)

Cynthia Watson, Oboe & Maribeth Katt, Piano

WELCOME

Jeff Kapp

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Rejoice in the Lord always! Again, I say, rejoice! Our Lord is good, and we are God’s people. God’s steadfast love is eternal.

P: We will enter the gates of the Lord with praise and thanksgiving! Give thanks to the Lord! Bless God’s holy name. Rejoice in the Lord always. Again, we say, rejoice! Amen.

(Based on Psalm 100, Philippians 4)

***HYMN #131**

“We Gather Together”

JOYS & CONCERNS

Pastor Terry McHugh

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD’S PRAYER

Lord’s Prayer: *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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

You can give securely to support the mission of Garfield Memorial Church by using one of these options:

#1 Visit our website (www.garfieldchurch.org) and click on our Giving link; **#2** Text with the dollar amount (e.g. “\$50”) to 216.242.1975; **#3** Download the free **ShelbyNEXT Giving App** on your phone, search for “Garfield Memorial,” then follow the instructions. **4.** Drop your offering envelope / check into the Offering Baskets in the Narthex.

Questions? Contact the business office at 216.831.1566.

OFFERTORY “The Elm Is Scattering” (White)

Cynthia Watson, Oboe & Maribeth Katt, Piano

NEW GUESTS: Please make sure to go to www.NewatGMC.org - we have a special surprise for you!

***DOXOLOGY HYMN #95** “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, Ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

BIBLE READING Matthew 6:19-34 (Scripture on back)

Jeff Kapp

ANTHEM “The Lord Is My Shepherd” (Rutter)

Chancel Choir & Cynthia Watson, Oboe

MESSAGE “There’s No Place Like Home: God & Money”

Pastor Scott Blevins

*** HYMN #694** (vs. 1, 2, 4)

“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come”

***BENEDICTION & POSTLUDE**

Matthew 6:19-34 (NIV Translation)

¹⁹ “Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. ²⁰ But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. ²¹ For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. ²² “The eye is the lamp of the body. If your eyes are healthy, your whole body will be full of light. ²³ But if your eyes are unhealthy, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light within you is darkness, how great is that darkness!

²⁴ “No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.

²⁵ “Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes? ²⁶ Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they? ²⁷ Can any one of you by worrying add a single hour to your life? ²⁸ “And why do you worry about clothes? See how the flowers of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. ²⁹ Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. ³⁰ If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? ³¹ So do not worry, saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’ ³² For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. ³³ But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. ³⁴ Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

GUESTS: WELCOME TO GARFIELD MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH!

Thank you for worshipping with us. We'd like to get to know you and give you a special gift! Please go to www.NewatGMC.org

To submit confidential prayer requests to our House of Prayer Team send to houseofprayer@garfieldchurch.org or

call the prayer line at 216-831-1942, ext. 235 to have someone pray with you. If you would like prayers to go out via our public mass e-mail list email information@garfieldchurch.org; or call 216.831.1566.

Visit www.garfieldchurch.org to get and stay connected through small groups, volunteering and more!

Order Poinsettias to Honor / Remember a Loved One

Order forms can be picked up at the Offering table at the back of the sanctuary or you may order by way of the kiosk or on the Giving page on our website www.garfieldchurch.org Each plant is \$15. All orders must be received by Sunday, December 19th You may pick up your poinsettia(s) after Christmas Eve services 8:30p or 11p. Indicate if donating poinsettia(s) to the church.

CHRISTMAS CONCERTS FOR MISSIONS – Support Afghan Refugees and 2022 Youth Mission Trip

Afghan Refugees relocating to the Cleveland area:

Dec. 11, 3:00 PM (South Euclid Worship Center) “Good News: A Christmas Concert” with Garfield’s Chancel Choir, Catch the Spirit Chorale & Chamber Orchestra.

A freewill offering will be taken at both concerts; donations can also be made at garfieldchurch.org/giving and choose the fund **AFGHAN REFUGEE ASSISTANCE** or by texting \$___ REFUGEE to 216.242.1975.

Donations will go to the U.S. Committee for Refugees & Immigrants and every \$1500 we raise will furnish a home for a refugee family.

2022 Garfield Youth Mission Trip:

Dec. 19, 3:30 PM (Pepper Pike Family Life Center) “Christmas Concert” featuring Christmas and seasonal songs for all ages featuring Dre & Leah and the Fulla Love Orchestra with Fred Wheatt.

A freewill offering will be taken; donations can also be made at garfieldchurch.org/giving and choose the fund **YOUTH MISSION TRIP** or by texting \$___ TRIP to 216.242.1975.