



EPWORTH REHOBOTH BEACH

Worship Order, Announcements & Prayers

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Sunday, July 3, 2022
4th Sunday after Pentecost



Welcome to Epworth!

Sunday Worship in-person & livestream

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*VISION: Explore Faith,
Embrace Community*

*MISSION: Inviting, Belonging,
Connecting, Caring*

All Means All

As a [Reconciling Ministries Network](#) congregation, we welcome all people, regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity, to share their prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness.



19285 Holland Glade Rd.
Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971

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Contemporary Worship Order

July 3, 2022 9:00 a.m.
4th Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER IN COMMUNITY

July 4 Sing-a-long *My Country 'Tis Of Thee*
America The Beautiful
Battle Hymn of the Republic
God Bless America

Welcome & Call to Worship Pastor Vicki
Song *Beautiful One*
Children's Celebration Pastor Vicki

WE ENGAGE THE WORD

Song *Build My Life*
Good News *1 Peter 3:8-17* Susan Jimenez
Song *Build My Life (cont.)*
We Pray for our Pastor Susan Jimenez
Sermon Rev. Dr. Bo Gordy-Stith
Communities Build Trust: Understanding

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Sharing Our Gifts [online](#), by texting GIVE to
302-488-0038, or in boxes at the main doors
Offertory *God's Love* Mark Stanzilis
Prayer of Confession Pastor Vicki
Words of Assurance Pastor Bo
***The Great Thanksgiving**
The Lord's Prayer
Sharing Bread & Cup *Always Remember*

WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

Benediction Pastor Bo
Song *All The People Said Amen*



Next Sunday: 5th Sunday after Pentecost
Communities Build Trust: Shared Success:
When we share a common goal, we set aside
differences to work together.
(Ephesians 4:1-7, 15-16)

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Traditional Worship Order

July 3, 2022 11:00 a.m.
4th Sunday after Pentecost

WE GATHER IN COMMUNITY

July 4 Sing-a-long *My Country 'Tis Of Thee*
America The Beautiful
Battle Hymn of the Republic
God Bless America

Welcome & Call to Worship Pastor Vicki
Hymn *Filled With The Spirit's Power*

Morning Prayer

Prayer Response *This Is My Song*

WE ENGAGE THE WORD

Good News *1 Peter 3:8-17* Dan Elliott

Anthem *Prayer Of St. Francis* Chancel Choir

We Pray for our Pastor Dan Elliott

Sermon Rev. Dr. Bo Gordy-Stith
Communities Build Trust: Understanding

Response *Christ, From Whom All Blessings Flow*

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Sharing Our Gifts [online](#), by texting GIVE to
302-488-0038, or in boxes at the main doors

Offertory *In Remembrance* Chancel Choir

Prayer of Confession Pastor Vicki

Words of Assurance Pastor Bo

***The Great Thanksgiving**

The Lord's Prayer

WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

Sending Forth *Stand Up And Bless The Lord*

Benediction Pastor Bo

Postlude Doug Yetter, organ



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Calendar & Announcements

SUNDAY, JULY 3

- 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship
- 10:30 a.m. Prayer Chapel
- 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
- 11:30 a.m. Youth Group
- 12:00 p.m. Prayer Chapel
- 1:00 p.m. Food & Love To Go
- 6:30 p.m. [One Year Bible](#) Study group

MONDAY, JULY 4

- 10:00 a.m. Flower Delivery

TUESDAY, JULY 5

- 10:00 a.m.-12 p.m. Good Sam Mobile Pantry
- 1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. [Zoom Group](#)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6

- 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, JULY 7

- 2-4 p.m. Good Sam Food Take-Out
- 6:00 p.m. Reconciling Ministries Bible Study
- 6:00 p.m. Praise Team Practice

FRIDAY, JULY 8

No Church Meetings

SATURDAY, JULY 9

No Church Meetings

Chancel Flowers are given to the glory of God and sponsored by Epworth

Tech Team: Bo Gordy-Stith, Kayden Holt, Shaun Redick, Noah Ryan, and Thomas Vyas

Accolyte: Bella Redick **To serve as an**

Acolyte: contact Gwen Osborne gosborne@epworth.faith or 302-227-7743, x.108

Epworth COVID-19 Safety Protocol

Face masks are optional and recommended

State of Delaware [COVID-19 Testing Info](#)

State of Delaware [COVID-19 Vaccine Plan](#)

Church Offerings—Thank You!

You may contribute your offering at the door, [online](#), by texting Give to 302-488-0038, or by mailing your check to Epworth at 19285 Holland Glade Rd. Rehoboth Beach, DE, 19971.

Announcements

- We continue our first Summer (Pentecost Worship Series, [Communities Build Trust](#) (June 12 - July 17, 2022)
- [Volunteer Opportunities - Check out the New Life Thrift Store](#)
- Interested in joining Epworth Church? Our next new member class will be offered on Saturday, July 23 from 9 am to 1 pm. Contact our Lay Leader, [Mike Tyler](#), to find out more
- New Epworth [Music Ministry changes](#) announced
- Check out our new [Welcome to Epworth](#) video, created by our own Lee Ann Walling!
- Join us for our 9-week [Reconciling Ministry Bible Study](#)
- Patricia Truitt is leading a [five-week chair yoga experience](#) on Tuesday mornings at Epworth in July
- Join our Tuesday Zoom group - [see the summer schedule](#)
- **See all of our [spring group opportunities](#)**
- **J1 Students are here from all over the world!** Epworth's Food Ministry is sponsoring a monthly picnic for them at 5:30 PM the last Tuesday of June and July, beginning June 28. To volunteer, please contact [Dotti Outland](#)
- Contribute to [UM relief efforts for the people of Ukraine](#). We have raised over \$10,000 for relief for Ukraine refugees since the war began
- The church office will be closed Fridays from July 1 through Labor Day
- Masks are strongly encouraged in our facilities - see our [updated Covid Safety protocol](#)
- **We offer two worship experiences each Sunday**, a contemporary worship service at 9 am (with ASL interpretation), and a traditional worship service at 11
- Enjoy Fellowship at Epworth in the foyer between our 9 and 11 am worship services - **you may pick up contribution envelopes there**
- [Pray with our Stephen Ministers](#) after the worship service every Sunday
- We're celebrating **125 years of loving and serving our neighbors in Rehoboth Beach and Lewes** all year 'round (plus 35 years of offering preschool). Stay tuned for a celebration in September
- We offer the opportunity to **sponsor/ dedicate chancel flowers in celebration or in memory of someone during worship** - call Barbara Kurtz at the church office - 227-7743
- [Stitchers of Love](#) invitation
- [Flower Design Ministry invitation](#)
- Our [Card Making Ministry](#) meets the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month - join us
- [Safety Team Needs You](#)

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July 3 Prayer List

**Names printed in Italics indicate additions to our prayer list this week.*

The People of Ukraine

Benjamin Aiken

Ruth Ann Arty

Will Baker

Beebe Hospital Staff

Wiletta Blevins

Andy Brangenberg

Ella Breese

Dondeena Caldwell

Hank Cerelli

Sylvie Drew

Sherry Drexel

Dottie Fedorka

Marion Ford

George Gagne

Marco Goodwin

Jeremy Hajdu-Paulen

Buddy Hardman

Andre Harmer

Gene Harris

Brian Higgins

Ray Hilt

Lisa Hutchinson

Diane Ibahim

Elizabeth Barker Jarvis

Jerry Mahon

Betty Ann McGinness

Ed Newman

Donna Pagano

Alicia Popham

Lisa Rahman

Robin Reminen

Charlie Reynolds

Denise Rhone

Judy Riech

Beth Rinker

Alise & Jack Rodgers

Dorothy & John Sadler

Dawn Selby

Ray Shaffer

Dianne Shearon

Mary Ann Shill

Fred & Sharyn Smith

Donna Stith

John Stout

Pat Thomas

Sue Townsend

Mary Valenti-Bloom

Kristen Weschler

Karen West

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Sean Whalen
Courtney Williams
Michael Wills, Sr.
Carol Wine
Dan Wine
Gloria Woodson
Claire Worrall
Jean Young

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

7/4—Sharon & Paul Hammesfar
50+ years—CONGRATULATIONS!

SYMPATHIES



CONTINUED PRAYERS

**HOMEBOUND, HOSPICE OR LONG TERM
CARE**

Donna Bloomquist, The Moorings
Ann Chambers, The Moorings
Leon Cromer, Harbor Health +
Greg Imhof—Hospice
Carolyn Robinson, Brandywine
Linda Rooney
Barb Rowe, Brandywine
Quinn Smith
Rosemarie Van Ingen, Willowbrooke, Seaford

SERVICEMEN/WOMEN:

Michael Sakurai Wills, US Army Ft. Jackson,
stationed in Alaska
Zeb Wilson, Travis AFB
Luke Wilson, USCG Key West
Jacob Hudson, Quantico
Andrew Hudson, UT ROTC

COLLEGE STUDENTS:

Autumn Reynolds, Cedar Crest College
Kristina Alexander, UD
Cole Thomas Juliano, SC
Wade Stout, Hillsdale College
Alex Tamburello, DE College of Art & Design
Thomas Vyas, Delaware Tech

Handprints of Community

Collaborative
Called
Messianic
Shalom-Sharing
Discipling
Corinthian
Hamiltonian
Kingdom-Building

EPWORTH
REHOBOTH BEACH
United Methodist Church
2021-22
Worship Year

Epworth Staff Directory

Lead Pastor: Rev. Dr. Vicki Gordy-Stith,
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Rev. Dr. Bo Gordy-Stith

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Minister of Music: Doug Yetter

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Caring Ministry Coordinator:

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Office Manager: Darlene Ford

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Special Projects: Debbie Hunt

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Administrative Assistant: Barbara Kurtz

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Preschool Director: Betsy Plowman

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Facilities Manager : John Hilt

Custodian: Wanda Hudson

ASL Interpreter: Sandy Davis

Nursery: Cathy Crawford

Cemetery Superintendent: Jay Stevenson

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Lead Pastor: Rev. Dr. Vicki Gordy-Stith
Governing Board Chair—Linda Kauffman
Lay Leader—Mike Tyler
Finance Chairs—David Hagelin and David
Streit
Staff Parish Relations Committee Chair—
Monica Chmielewski
Chair of the Board of Trustees—
Bunny Maher

STRUCTURE:

Four Ministry Teams

Inviting Team

Inclusive Ministries, Food Ministries, Ecu-
menical/Interfaith, Social Justice
Leadership Team: Rev. Dr. Bo Gordy-Stith
and Bob Joynson

Belonging Team

Small Groups, Belongings, Sunday School,
All Age Level Groups
Leadership Team: Gwen Osborne, Loretta
Mahan, Cathie Lewis and Teri Moore

Connecting Team

Worship, Music, Conferences, Retreats
Leadership Team: Doug Yetter and Murray
Archibald

Caring Team

Good Sam, Missions, Pastoral Care Team,
Care Ministries
Leadership Team: Mickie McManamon,
Dee Speck and Holly Reynolds

Attendance last weekend, June 26, 2022

9:00	11:00	Live stream	ASL	SS	Total
123	108	397	4	8	640

(as of 6/28)

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