

# ***Lyall Community Church***

*A Church whose only label is Christian  
and whose only Head is Christ.*

*An interdenominational congregation that welcomes all.*

**May 28, 2023**  
**Pentecost Sunday**



*Lyall Memorial Federated Church*

*Millbrook, N.Y.*

*The flowers in the chancel this morning are  
in loving memory of Gordon & Phyllis Anderson  
and Howard & Doris Roeller  
given by Brad & Louise Roeller*

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## **Sunday Services**

10:25 am Worship

## **Communion**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Month

**May 28, 2023**  
**Pentecost Sunday**  
The Reverend Thomas W. Fiet, Pastor  
Mr. Dan Koch, Minister of Music

**Our Approach to a Good God**

*We invite the congregation to a time of meditation and readiness during the gathering music.*

Prelude: *Moderato* by S.H. Bodenschatz

Choral Introit:

Poem: *The Beacon Hill Monument*

Welcome and Welcome New Members!

\*Hymn: #401 *The Church's One Foundation*

Call to Worship (Inspired by Psalm 104)

Leader: O Lord, how manifold are thy works! In wisdom hast thou made them all; the earth is full of thy creatures.

**People: Yonder is the sea, great and wide, teeming with innumerable things, living things both small and great.**

Leader: There go the ships over the horizon;

**People: Yes, there go the ships, and the sea monsters playing behind them!**

Assurance of Pardon and Restoration (Inspired by Ephesians 1)

Leader: For God has made known to us in all wisdom and insight the mystery of God's will, set forth in Christ.

**People: A plan for the fullness of time: to unite all things in Christ, both heaven and earth.**

Passing the Peace of Christ to every and all!

*\*Gloria Patri: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen!*

Prayer of Confession

We pause and consider sacrifices by our sons and daughters. We pause to remember. We pause in gratitude. We pause, considering costs, considering debts owed to the fallen and mangled and maimed. Debts to families with folded flags forever on mantles. And what gift is received from the Mangled? Is it license? Is it freedom? Is it stewardship? Is it our lives offered in kind?

Choral Response (please join in)(4x)

Lord make us instruments of your peace;  
Where there is hatred let your love increase  
Lord, make us instruments of your peace;  
Walls of pride and prejudice shall cease  
When we are your instruments of peace.

Spirit of the Law: (Inspired by Psalm 106)

Leader: Praise the Lord! O give thanks to the Lord, for God is good; for God's steadfast love endures forever!

**People: Who can utter the mighty doings of the Lord?**

Leader: Those who do justice, they can do it.

**People: Those who strive to make things right, they can do it too.**

Chant (please join in)

Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's holy name.

Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me into life.

Prayers of the People

\*Hymn: #384 Spirit Song

### **News from a Good God**

Scripture: Acts 2.1-13

Sermon: Speaking My Language

### **The Community Responds**

Offering/Offertory: *Adagio* by H. Hoing

\*Doxology: *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.*

\*Hymn: #799 America the Beautiful

\*Benediction/ (Three Fold Amen)

Postlude: *Mosso* by J.G. Albrechtsberger

## **Worship Participants**

Gathering Music

Lector

Maureen Squires

Greeter/Usher

Guest Vocalists

## Community Groups

*Meals on  
Wheels*

8:30-10:00 AM,  
Monday, Wednesday  
and Friday

John Hummel  
845-677-4235

*Alcoholics  
Anonymous*

Monday-Friday: 12 – 1 PM  
Saturday: 7:30-8:30 PM  
Sunday (Men's) 8:15-9:15 AM; 7:30-8:30 PM  
Please reach out to group leaders for details

*Small Circle of  
Friends*

Danielle Szalewicz, 845-624-0826

*Millbrook Early  
Childhood  
Education*

845-677-3536

### **Welcome Visitors to Lyall Community Church**

The Reverend Thomas W. Fiet, 845-677-3485

30 Maple Avenue, P.O. Box 426, Millbrook, NY 12545

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to be on email \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in membership \_\_\_\_\_

I would like an appointment to meet \_\_\_\_\_