

Lyall COMMUNITY CHURCH

May 11, 2025
Fourth Sunday of Easter

*The flowers in the chancel this morning
are given by
Lee Ellen Lomangino and Charles Frisina
in loving memory of
Nicholas Frisina and Charles Frisina, Jr.*



Lyall Memorial Federated Church

Millbrook, N.Y.

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is open and affirming, welcoming all.**

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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: *Mosso Moderato* by A. Kaim

Welcome All

Poem:

Hymn: #33 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

Call to Worship (Inspired by Psalm 145)

Leader: The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

People: The Lord is good to all, and compassion is given over all that has been made.

Assurance of Pardon and Restoration (Inspired by Psalm 42)

Leader: As the deer longs for flowing streams so longs my soul for thee, O God.

People: My soul thirsts for God, for the living God.

Passing the Peace of Christ to every and all!

**Gloria Patri:*

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

Anthem: *Come to the Water* arr. by Jack Schrader

Prayer of Confession: (in unison)

We long for meaning and purpose, O God. We long for community, to be known and accepted. We long for an elusive wisdom. We have hopes for a redemptive end, where the chapters click. We long for peace of mind and heart, even as the days grow dark. We wait, looking for a gracious thread running from here to there. Are you the one in possession of such things?

Choral Response: (please join in)(4x)

Christ Jesus, in your holy resurrection Heaven and Earth are rejoicing.

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Spirit of the Law: (Inspired by James 1)

Leader: Religion that is pure and undefiled before God is this:

People: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unstained from the world.

Chant: (4x)

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: #543 *'Til the Storm Passes By*

News from a Good God

Scripture: Gospel of John 21.15-23

Sermon: No One's Journey But Yours

The Community Responds

Offering/Offertory: *Moderato* by L. Bottazzo

**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 # 733 Once to Every an and Nation*

**Benediction/ (Three Fold Amen)*

Postlude: *Moderato* by Ch. H. Rinck

Announcements

We bless each of you on this day, and send you forth to be blessings in your world.

** Lyall Community Church is open and affirming, welcoming all. All persons are made in the image of God and are owed respect, love, friendship and empowerment. We encourage people to learn more about the teachings of Jesus Christ, and we bring together our experiences, strengths and hopes to build a congregation for worship and service. We welcome and embrace the God-given gifts each person brings to the life of our community.*

Worship Participants	
Gathering Music	Dan Koch
Lector	Nick Hudak
Greeter/Usher	Nick Hudak
Acolytes	Kevin Prince Agbemey Princess Shauna Agbemey Kayden Prince Agbemey Isaac Deluna Linda Goodchild

Come Visitors to Lyall Community Church

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Address _____

Phone _____

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I would like to be on email _____

I am interested in membership _____

I would like an appointment to meet _____