

FOR OUR PRAYERS

GODS CARE & COMFORT

All those serving in the Military:

Nathan Western - Translator
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Christian sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Doris Harper-White who passed away Monday, October 5th. Her memorial service will be held at Federated Church on Saturday, October 17th at 11:00 am. Rev. Bill Guise and First Congregational Church of Flagstaff will conduct the service.

Deadline for Sunday Bulletin - Wednesday by Noon
Deadline for the Bell Tower - October 15th.

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Nursery care is available for children, infant to 1st grade.
Please ask the usher for assistance.

**Large print bulletins
are available in the Narthex.**

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Laura

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Lay Reader

11:00: Rev. Dr. Jim Lapsley

Ushers

8:30: Shirley Ardrey, Dorothy Robertson
Eudora Larson, Elizabeth Dobrinski,

11:00: Carmen Johnson, Fran Storer

Acolytes

8:30: Samantha Seery, Nina Lunday

11:00: Dante Evens, Madeline Mayorga

Van Driver: Mick Henry

Flowers: The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given in loving honor of the Birthday of William H. "Bill" Cummings by his wife, Betty Lou Cummings.

Note: Copies of the Church Calendar are available on the church web site: www.flagstafffederatedchurch.org and paper copies are available in the church office.

**Please make sure your activity is on the
Church Calendar each month!**

But those who hope
in the Lord will
Renew their strength.
They will SOAR
on wings like eagles;
they will run
and not grow weary, they will
walk and not be faint.
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Gathering Inclusively for Worship

Socially & Environmentally Active

Transforming through Study & Prayer

October 11, 2009

11:00 AM

SABBATH WORSHIP CELEBRATION

11:00 AM

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*“Expect to have hope rekindled. Expect your prayers to be answered in wondrous ways.
The dry seasons in life do not last. The spring rains will come again.”*
~ Sarah Ban Breathnach

PRELUDE *“Praise Him! Praise Him”* Diemer

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND WELCOMING

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST *(please greet others in the peace and joy of Christ)*

PRAYER OF INVOCATION *(unison)*

**Gracious God, come now to us in our worship
and strengthen us with confidence and hope.
May our lives be renewed with vitality and assurance.
In the name of Jesus. Amen.**

*HYMN NO. 285 *“God, You Spin the Whirling Planets”*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *(unison)*

**We believe in God,
whose love we know
in the beauty of his world, in daily bread,
in the kindness of human hearts, and most clearly in Jesus of Nazareth.
We believe that Jesus is the Christ—the anointed one of God—
whose touch of grace makes our eyes to see and our ears to hear,
strengthens us to do all things in him,
and delivers us from death to life.
We believe in the Holy Spirit
in whose power there is peace,
in whose presence there is joy,
and in whose promise we dare to be more. Amen.**

*CHORAL RESPONSE NO. 579 *“Glory Be to the Father”*

SCRIPTURE LESSON *Psalms 22:1-15* Pew Bible page 434

ANTHEM *“God So Loved the World”* Stainer
Chancel Choir

OFFERTORY *“Adagio”* Mozart

*CHORAL RESPONSE NO. 592 *“Praise God”*

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION *(unison)*

**Loving God, as you have shared life and love with us,
lead us to share even more generously our lives and our love.
May we know that as we give and share,
others come to know you in our lives and our love.
Direct our steps in discipleship and renew our devotion to you
so that through your church we might be helpful and generous
in love to a world in great need. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S SERMON

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE & LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN NO. 338 *“Kum ba Yah”*

MESSAGE *“Strength Renewal”*

*HYMN NO. 361 *“How Firm a Foundation”*

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE NO. 535 *“Go with Us, Lord”*
**Go with us, Lord, and guide the way
Through this and every coming day;
That in Your Spirit, strong and true,
our lives may be our gift to you.**

*POSTLUDE *“Duke Street”* Young

* Stand as you are able.