



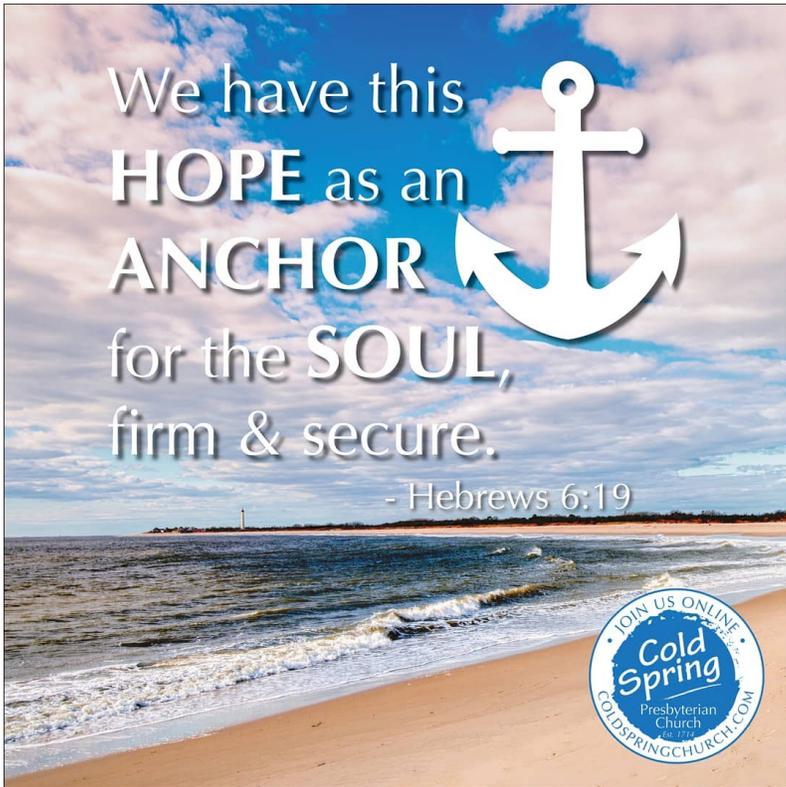
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Online Worship Guide
Facebook Live Streaming Worship Service
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Fifth Sunday of Lent
(On demand at coldspringchurch.com.)

Hello. We're glad you've logged on [Facebook Live](#) or dialed via Zoom 929-205-6099. Passcode: 103147117#



At Cold Spring Church Online, you have found a place of hope to encounter God and people who care about you – just as you are, right where you are, anytime. Welcome!

We believe that everyone deserves to experience God's love in relevant and authentic ways, while keeping themselves and the community safe, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic. Our thriving faith community puts God's love into action to help make greater Cape May a better place. We joyfully love and serve God and our neighbors through the power of the Holy Spirit in the name of Jesus Christ.

Cold Spring Church Online is a safe and welcoming community where you can connect with others. It is a live video broadcast from the historic Red Brick Church on our Cold Spring campus, with real-time communication through online chat, which you can choose to join if you want to connect with others watching.

New this week, stay after worship for our **Virtual Hospitality Table**, a place to share, receive encouragement, and make new connections.

Our *Cold Spring Church Online* worship schedule is available at coldspringworship.com. Each service will have music to begin the service, a weekly message from our transformation pastor, and caring volunteers that will pray with you about things that matter in your life. It's just like attending worship at the Red Brick Church, except it's online! You may follow along during the worship experience starting on the next page!

We care about you! Thanks, again, for being with us! We hope your worship experience encourages you join again soon.



Let's Worship God!

Prelude

Welcome (with a special welcome to children joining us!)

Music:

Jayne McDonough

Rev. Kevin Yoho

God Welcomes All

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God wel - comes all, strang - ers and friends;

God's love is strong and it nev - er ends.

Opening Prayer (*let's pray together saying...*)

Rev. Larry Moyer, worship leader

God of love and understanding, we gather here in this safe place to express our hope, but also our fears, sadness, anxiety, or pain. We come as we are. Where we are. Quench our spiritual thirst as we cling to the anchor of our hope, Jesus. During these times, we want to be transformed through the amazing gift of your son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Music: *Tune of "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"*

God Whose Will is Health and Wholeness

¹God whose will is health and wholeness, hear your people as we pray:
Many now are facing illness; more face sickness every day.
As we lift our song toward heaven, may we use the gifts you give —
Science, justice, and compassion — to help others safely live.

²Jesus taught that your commandments call for us to use the mind.
May we use the gifts of science to seek health for humankind.
There is trouble all around us; illness causes pain and fear.
Give compassion, love and kindness as we serve your people here.

Call to Reconciliation (*worship leader*)

God welcomes you. God sees you. Nothing separates you from God's love. In a spirit of gratitude and honesty, let us pray together, saying:

Prayer of Forgiveness (*let's pray together saying...*)

O God, we have heard Jesus' teachings many times, but we confess that sometimes we think they are impractical, or not for us. We let despair or anger take hold of us. We fail to keep our commitments to you and to others. We lack courage to follow Jesus' way of love. Forgive us for hurting or neglecting others, we pray. Help us to embrace peace, love, and joy, welcoming all, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Silent Reflection

Words of Assurance (*responsively*)

One: God loves and forgives us to live a life of faith and justice.

Many: Thanks be to God, we are forgiven! AMEN.

Prayer for Illumination: (*let's pray together saying...*)

God, as we listen to your Word, open our hearts and minds to the Good News as we consider new opportunities to learn, grow, and serve. AMEN.

Read Along! The readings can be found in the PDF where this Digital Worship Guide was located.

Old Testament Reading: Ezekiel 37:1-5, 13-14

New Testament Reading: Romans 8:6-11

Music:

We Come to You For Healing Lord

We Come to You for Healing, Lord

1 We come to you for heal-ing, Lord, of bod - y, mind, and soul, and
3 You touch us through phy - si - cians' skills, through nurs - es' gifts of care, and
5 We come to you, O lov - ing Lord, in our dis - tress and pain, in

pray that by your Spir - it's touch we may a - gain be whole.
through the love of faith - ful friends who lift our lives in prayer.
trust that through our nights and days your grace will heal, sus - tain.

Message:

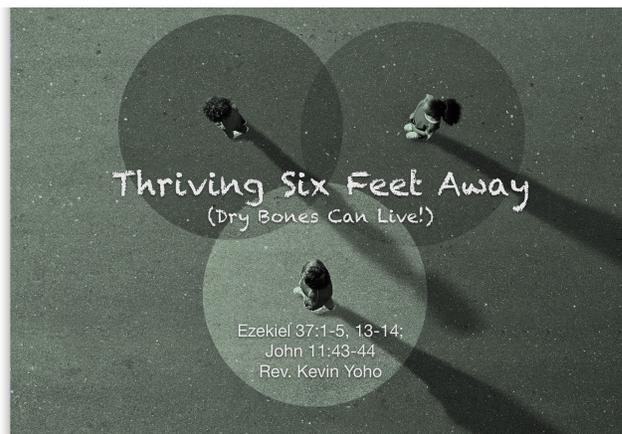
Thriving Six Feet Away (Dry Bones Can Live!)

Ezekiel 37:1-5, 13-14;

John 11:33a-34

Rev. Kevin Yoho, transformation pastor

Silent Reflection





Everyone can respond in their own unique ways to God's grace by offering their time, energy, and/or attention to show God's love for others!

A note about giving financially during the pandemic:

The pandemic affects all of us. We face uncertain economic and work disruptions. While we are not worshipping in-person, as you may be able, please continue to contribute financially as you regularly do. Your generosity is appreciated as we continue our ministry, pay expenses, and serve the community during the pandemic. Thank you for giving of your

time, energy, and attention as you join with us in mission!

Its as easy as 1, 2, 3! Thank you!

1. **Giving envelopes:** If you use weekly giving envelopes, keep using them. Just mail your envelopes to the church: 780 Seashore Road, Cold Spring, NJ 08204.
2. **Giving online:** It's easy and secure to financially support our mission online. Visit www.coldspringchurch.com/giving and complete the simple form. You can pay with your credit card, or directly from your bank account. Or, try using the tithe.ly app. Just search for Cold Spring Church NJ.
3. **Giving thanks:** Praise God from whom all blessing flow. God continues to bless and gather us in new ways!

Prayers of the People: *Guided Pastoral Prayer. Let Us Pray...*

Our prayers are with you, wherever you are. We also lift up to God all nations and communities, families and individuals most affected by the pandemic. God grant you peace and calm amid the changes and challenges we face in preserving lives and health. Christ is the anchor in every storm! (Names below have been shortened for online privacy concerns.)

Pray also for: Children and teachers; Parents and guardians adjusting to a new way of doing school!; George S, Marge M, Lee O, Bob L, Myrna D, Leslie D, Leonard H, Herb W, Michael B, Anne F, The D Family, Paula K, Jade's Pop. **Please pray for those who serve in the military:** Cpt. Laura C, Cpt. Sean C, Pvt. William C, US Army, 2nd Lt Michael C, USAF, S. Sgt. Richard E, and those suffering from severe head injuries. **Birthday blessings** are offered to Barbara Cain on March 29th. Happy Birthday!

The Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Traditional Doxology (*Let's sing together!*)

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.*

Fresh Expression of Community

One: Once we were strangers,

Many: *now we are neighbors.*

One: Once we were strangers,

Many: *now we are friends.*

Music

Benediction

Postlude

God Welcomes All

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The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'God Welcomes All'. It consists of two systems of music. Each system has a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first system covers the first two lines of the hymn, and the second system covers the last two lines. The music is simple and accompanimental, using chords and single notes.

This "short song," as the Iona Community calls it, can be especially effective as a means of setting a welcoming tone for a service (especially an ecumenical one). Like most such songs, it needs to be sung several times, adding and improvising harmony with each repetition.

Virtual Hospitality Table begins right after worship. Stay online to share, receive encouragement, and be connected!

You can become a part of our mission!

Cold Spring Presbyterian Church energizes spirits and transforms lives. We deliver resources and experiences rooted in the Good News of Jesus Christ through inspiring worship, practical teaching from God's word, innovative programs, and community-focused events and ministry. Just ask the pastor or any member today how to get more connected. Discover energizing possibilities and hope at Cold Spring Church!

Join us next week for
Palm Sunday Worship
Online!

