

A scenic landscape of a mountain valley. In the foreground, a calm lake reflects the surrounding mountains and sky. The middle ground shows a valley with a glacier and forested slopes. The background features more mountain peaks under a clear sky.

INSTALLATION SERVICE

REV. DR. HOPE ITALIANO LEE

**NOVEMBER 14, 2021 | 3:00 PM
VIENNA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

National Capital Presbytery
Service of Worship to the Glory of God
&
The Installation of
Rev. Dr. Hope Italiano Lee
Vienna Presbyterian Church

Prelude

Words of Welcome

Rev. Dr. Diane Hendricks

*Call to Worship

Elder, Mark Eakin

L: Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name.

P: When you pass through the waters I will be with you; And through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you.

L: When you walk through the fire, you shall not be burned and flame shall not consume you.

P: For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.

L: They that wait for the Lord shall renew their strength.

P: They shall mount up their wings as eagles.

L: Let us worship God who calls us, renews us, and strengthens us for what lies ahead.

***Where indicated, please stand.**

Special Music – <i>Lay Me Down</i>	Rev. Sung H. Lee
Call to Confession	Elder, Mark Eakin
Prayer of Confession	Elder, Mark Eakin
Assurance of Pardon	Elder, Beth Webster
* <i>Gloria Patri</i>	
*Hymn – <i>Lead On, O King Eternal</i>	
Scripture	Isaiah 43:14-19
Sermon: “A New Thing”	Rev. Dr. Alice Ridgill
Affirmation of Faith	Rev. Dr. Alice Ridgill
Announcement of the Offering & Its Purpose	Rev. Dr. Diane Hendricks
*Doxology	
*Prayer of Dedication	Rev. Dr. Diane Hendricks

SERVICE OF INSTALLATION

Litany of Calling

Rev. Tara Thompson

L: There are different gifts.

P: But it is the same Spirit who gives them.

L: There are different ways of serving God.

P: But it is the same Lord who is served.

L: God works through different people in different ways.

**P: But it is the same God who achieves God's purpose
through them all.**

L: Each one is given a gift by the Spirit.

P: To use it for the common good.

L: Together we are the Body of Christ.

P: And individually members of it.

ALL: Though we have different gifts, together we are a ministry of reconciliation led by the risen Christ. We work and pray to make Christ useful in the world, and we call men and women to faith, so that, in the end, every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

Statement of Proceedings & Purpose Rev. Dr. Diane Hendricks

Constitutional Questions to the Minister Rev. Dr. Diane Hendricks

Constitutional Questions to the Congregation Elder, Beth Webster

Elder: Do we, the members of the church, accept Hope Lee as pastor, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation to lead us in the way of Jesus Christ?

People: We do.

Elder: Do we agree to encourage her, to respect her decisions, and to follow as she guides us, serving Jesus Christ, who alone is Head of the church?

People: We do.

Elder: Do we promise to pay her fairly and provide for her welfare as she works among us, to stand by her in trouble and share her joys? Will we listen to the word she preaches, welcome her pastoral care, and honor her authority as she seeks to honor and obey Jesus Christ our Lord?

People: We do and we will.

Prayer of Installation & The Lord's Prayer Rev. Dr. Diane Hendricks

Declaration of Installation Rev. Dr. Diane Hendricks

Special Music – *If I Stand* Rev. Dr. Robert Austell

Charge to the Pastor Rev. Donna Marsh

Charge to the Congregation

Rev. Edwin Andrade

*Hymn – *Lift High the Cross*

*Benediction

Rev. Dr. Hope Italiano Lee

Postlude

PARTICIPATING IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Rev. Dr. Diane Hendricks – Moderator, National Capital Presbytery

Elder, Mark Eakin – Warner Memorial Presbyterian Church

Rev. Sung Lee – Pastor, Kirkwood Presbyterian, Peace River Presbytery

Elder, Beth Webster – Vienna Presbyterian Church

Rev. Dr. Alice Ridgill – Associate General Presbyter, Presbytery of Charlotte

Rev. Tara Thompson – Pastor, St. Andrews Presbyterian, New Covenant Presbytery

Rev. Dr. Robert Austell – Pastor, Good Shepherd Presbyterian, Presbytery of Charlotte

Rev. Donna Marsh – Associate Pastor, National Presbyterian Church

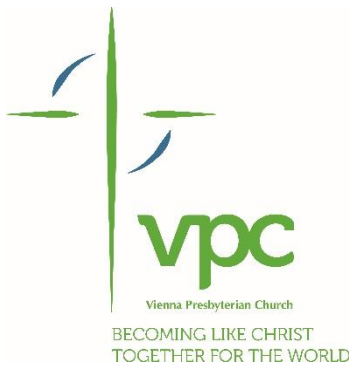
Rev. Edwin Andrade – Co-Pastor, Riverside Presbyterian Church

A WORD ABOUT PASTOR HOPE'S STOLE

Traditionally, red stoles are worn on the occasion of ordination and installation. Pastor Hope's stole today is called a "Towner Stole" named after Rev. Dr. Marg Towner, the first woman ever ordained in the Presbyterian Church in the United States. Marg is still alive and resides in Peace River Presbytery, where Pastor Hope has come from. These stoles (of which there are only about 20) were made for the women of Peace River who are faithfully serving God's church today. It is significant to note that of the over 10,000 churches in the PC(USA), there are only three congregations with more than 1600 members that are led by a female pastor. Today, because of Vienna Presbyterian and Pastor Hope, there are now four. Pastor Hope wears her Towner stole with joy and thanksgiving for this very special day.

Special Thanks to
Lance Vining, Director of Worship and Music
Kristina Schenck, Organist

*You are cordially invited to a reception celebrating our new life
together as a church family immediately following the service.*



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