

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
OCTOBER 14, 2018 21ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

11:00 AM

RINGING OF THE BELL

OPENING VOLUNTARY

NYACK
BEAU HARTMAN, PIANO

WARREN SWENSON

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
And also with you.

INTROIT

BE THOU MY VISION IRISH FOLK MELODY ARR. BY JENNIFER HAINES
BEAU HARTMAN, PIANO

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.
God's steadfast love endures forever.
How can a mortal receive eternal life?
For God all things are possible.
Let us worship God.

* HYMN #12

IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE, GOD ONLY WISE

"ST. DENIO"

Jennifer Haines 'wrestled' with the piano for years. With just 9 months of piano study when she was 10 and her ability to play by ear, she sat with her own 10 year old daughter at the piano and began to compose songs and arrangements. She is not a trained musician, but answered her call, and now her gift will touch us today.

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, we confess
that we have failed to seek your will.
You have shown us what is good,
but we remain enthralled by evil.
You have offered us abundance,
but we are satisfied with wealth.
Forgive us, God of grace.
By the power of your Word
cut away all that is false
and open our hearts to new life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord...

(Silence for personal prayer and reflection.)

KYRIE ELEISON #576

LORD, HAVE MERCY

“SINGAPURA”

Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

* RESPONSE #585

GLORY TO GOD

“MACHU-PICHU”

(We will sing in a call and response pattern following the lead of the cantor)

Glory to God, glory to God, Glory in the highest!
To God be glory forever! Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen!

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to Christ Jesus!
To God be glory forever! Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen!

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to the Spirit!
To God be glory forever! Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen! Alleluia, Amen!

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
And also with you.

(Please greet one another with signs of peace.)

A TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING

AMOS 5:6-7, 10-15

PEW BIBLE, OT, P. 804

Passing the peace is a tradition rooted in Scripture that embodies our identity as peacemakers and trains our hearts, hands, and tongues in the ways of peace. It is not an interruption of the service for social conversation but an integral part of the service where we greet one another as reconciled people.

ANTHEM

TREASURES IN HEAVEN
THE SANCTUARY CHOIR

JOSEPH W. CLOKEY

Lay not up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt,
and where thieves break through and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven,
for where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find.

Knock, and it shall be opened unto you, for every one that asketh receiveth,
and those that seeketh findeth, and to those that knocketh it shall be opened.

GOSPEL READING

MARK 10:17-31

PEW BIBLE, NT, P. 43

SERMON

REV. CAROLINE KELLY

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

* HYMN #697

TAKE MY LIFE

"HENDON"

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, CONCLUDING WITH THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

GIVING AS ONE AND GROWING AS ONE: INTRODUCTION

KATHY GETTY

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP & MUSIC

BEAU HARTMAN

INVITATION TO OFFERING

MUSICAL OFFERING

GREAT ARE YOU LORD

ALL SONS & DAUGHTERS

ERIC RINGLER, TENOR AND BEAU HARTMAN, SOPRANO AND PIANO

You give life, you are love

You bring light to the darkness

You give hope, you restore

Every heart that is broken

Great are you, Lord

It's your breath in our lungs

So we pour out our praise

We pour out our praise

It's your breath in our lungs

So we pour out our praise to you only

And all the earth will shout your praise

Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing

Great are you, Lord

* AT THE PRESENTATION #587

ALLELUIA

"CELTIC ALLELUIA"

Alleluia, alleluia!

Alleluia, alleluia!

Many of us give our monetary offering weekly. Many of us give our offering monthly or even yearly. This morning, even if you are not putting your monetary offering in the plate today, please touch the inside of the plate when it goes by. This will help us remember that the gift we are offering is actually ourselves.

All Sons & Daughters was a worship duo called to ministry together in Franklin, Tennessee from 2009-2018. They created worship music that is authentic and raw, calling the worship participant to a deeper commitment to praise.

BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

* HYMN #749

COME! LIVE IN THE LIGHT

“WE ARE CALLED”

* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

* SUNG BENEDICTION ##306

BLEST BE THE TIE THAT BINDS
(Please join hands as we sing together.)

DENNIS

**Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.**

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

FINLANDIA
BEAU HARTMAN, PIANO

JEAN SIBELIUS

* When this symbol precedes an element of the service, please rise in body or spirit.
Please join in reading or singing those parts of the service printed in **bold**.

This Morning's Worship Leaders

Preacher.....Rev. Caroline Kelly
Liturgist.....Charlene Lelinski
Director of Music Ministries.....Bryan Lohr
Guest Pianist.....Beau Hartman
Musicians.....The Sanctuary Choir and Eric Ringler, Tenor
Sound TechnicianJoe Aurigemma
Ushers.....Sharon Squires and Elva Berry

THE SESSION

Class of 2019: Shirley Giarritta, Gary Hendrickson, Phil Mills, and David Stickler

Class of 2020: Chelsea Boor, Jeff Getty, Pam Jan, Cathy Levitas, and Joe Weaver

Class of 2021: Laura Fiscus, Josh Gilhart, Aaron Hendrickson, and Agnes Yount

Clerk of Session.....Jeff Getty
Moderator.....Caroline Kelly

MISSION STATEMENT

Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we worship God and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ by loving our neighbors and promoting peacemaking, justice and care of the earth.

VISION STATEMENT

We strive to be a community grounded in the good news of God's love in Christ where all of God's children are:

- Welcomed and cherished
- Called to worship, learn and grow together in faith, and
- Sent to share God's love and justice with a broken and hurting world.

Adopted by the Session on September 17, 2015

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME VISITORS: We are glad you found your way to First Presbyterian Church of Cumberland. For more information about opportunities to worship, learn and serve with us, we encourage you to visit the table outside the church office. You can also learn more about us at www.fpc-cumberland.org and www.facebook.com/First.Pres.Cumberland. Childcare is provided in the nursery. An usher will be glad to direct you there.

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP: While we do provide a nursery for young children, we also welcome you to bring your child with you to worship. We have "worship bags" in the back of the sanctuary that include materials for drawing and coloring, as well as Bible stories and Bible word-find games. After the Time for Young Disciples, children may go to the nursery for a Bible lesson or remain in the sanctuary. Our "Young Children in Worship" pew card contains information about why young children should be encouraged to come to worship and how parents and others can engage them more fully in worship.

THE PRAY-GROUND is a special space in the sanctuary for our youngest children and their families. All families are welcome to come and sit in the right front pews with their children seated on the rug. This front row seat will allow God's youngest children to participate in the service in a place where they can see and hear best. There will be activities provided so that their little hands are kept busy while participating in worship. "Jesus said to them, 'Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it'" (Mark 10:14-15).

FRIENDSHIP PADS: Please locate and sign the red pad in your pew, tear off the sheet and place it in the collection plate during the offering. This important practice allows us to be mindful of new folks and long-time members as well, and is a good way to learn (or remember) the names of those with whom you are seated. **If you are visitor, please fill out the "Welcome to First Presbyterian Church" card in the pew rack and put it in the offering plate when it comes by during the service.**

PERSONAL LISTENING DEVICES: (amplifiers) are available in the back of the church for use during worship. Please see an usher for assistance.

WORSHIP BROADCASTS ON YOUTUBE: To view worship services live or to view taped worship services, go to www.youtube.com (First Presbyterian Church of Cumberland Live Stream) or go to our website <http://www.fpc-cumberland.org/> and click on "click here to view our worship service" located at the bottom of the home page.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS: The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given to the Glory of God in loving memory of her parents, Henry and Betty Duke and her sister, Beth Tosh. **There are flower openings for December 9 and 16! Please contact Michael Levitas or the church office if you would like to sponsor flowers for a special occasion like a birthday or anniversary or in memory or honor of someone. You may specify live or silk flowers. Silk flower money will be directed to the Special Ministries Fund.**

ANONYMOUS REQUIEM: Join the Allegany Arts Council, the New Day Campaign, and The First Presbyterian Church on **Thursday, October 18, 2018 at 6:30PM**, for Anonymous Requiem, part of the Resilience project, one in a month-long series of events throughout Allegany County designed to educate and reduce the stigma surrounding addiction and mental illness.

Anonymous Requiem is a community healing event aimed to honor and remember those who have lost their battle to substance abuse and/or mental health disorders, those whose lives have been impacted by those losses, and to uplift and support those who are coping with these issues in their lives. Following the requiem in the sanctuary, join us for dessert and coffee and a community conversation about the role local faith-based organizations play in addressing the opioid epidemic, and how their organizations are working to help make the community safer for all. The event includes a range of resource tables for support services related to behavioral health.

HOLY LAND TRIP: Pastor Tormod Svensson of Christ Lutheran Church in LaVale MD is leading a trip to the Holy Land from January 15-24 with Good Shepherd Travel. If you are interested in possibly attending this trip the owner of Good Shepherd Travel, Tony Abuiata will be at Christ Lutheran Wednesday, October 17, 7:30PM to give a presentation about the trip, and also to answer any questions anyone might have.

ADMINISTRATION & FINANCE

RULING ELDERS: AGNES YOUNT & GARY HENDRICKSON

ANNUAL GIVING YEAR-TO-DATE:	as of October 7, 2018
Total 2018 Pledges Promised	\$222,725.00
Pre-paid pledges	\$ 11,275.00
<u>2018 Pledge Balance Promised</u>	<u>\$211,450.00</u>
Pledge Balance Received Year-to-Date	\$ 164,054.00
Pledge Balance Promised Year-to-Date	\$ 159,585.00
Over/(Under)	\$ 4,469.00

SUNDAY ATTENDANCE

October 8, 2017
67

October 7, 2018
60

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

MONDAY, OCTOBER (15)

9:00 AM CHURCH OFFICE OPEN
1:30 PM RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

TUESDAY, OCTOBER (16)

9:00 AM CHURCH OFFICE OPEN

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER (17)

9:00 AM CHURCH OFFICE OPEN
11:00 AM STAFF MEETING IN THE PASTOR'S OFFICE
6:15 PM JOYBELLS REHEARSAL
6:15 PM CHRISTIANITY 101 IN THE PASTOR'S OFFICE
7:00 PM N.A. GROUP MEETING IN THE LIBRARY
7:30 PM SANCTUARY CHOIR REHEARSAL

THURSDAY, OCTOBER (18)

9:00 AM CHURCH OFFICE OPEN
6:30 PM ANONYMOUS REQUIEM IN THE SANCTUARY
RECEPTION AND CONVERSATION TO FOLLOW IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

FRIDAY, OCTOBER (19)

9:00 AM CHURCH OFFICE OPEN
6:00 PM STEWARDSHIP DINNER AT SHIRLEY GIARRITTA'S HOME

SATURDAY, OCTOBER (20)

6:00 PM N.A. GROUP MEETING IN THE HERITAGE ROOM

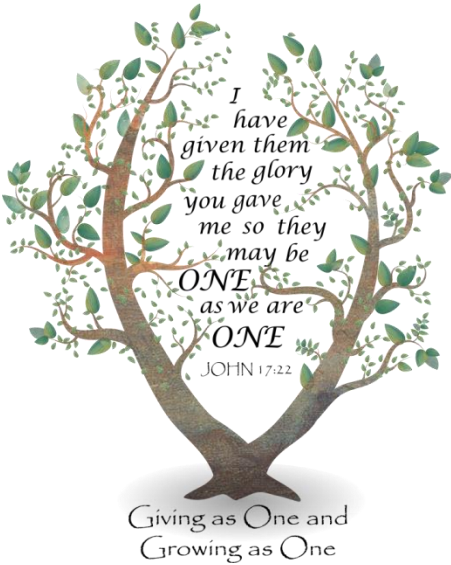
SUNDAY, OCTOBER (21)

GAITHERSBURG PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NAILS GROUP ARRIVAL

9:45 AM AN ILLUSTRATED COMPASSION: LEARNING TO LOVE LIKE GOD (2-5 YEAR OLDS)
9:45 AM FEASTING ON THE WORD - EARLY ELEMENTARY (K-2ND GRADE)
9:45 AM PERSONALIZED BIBLE STORIES (ADULTS)
11:00 AM SERVICE OF WORD & SACRAMENT: BAPTISM OF ZION TIRRELL MOORMAN
12:15 PM STAMPED FROM THE BEGINNING BOOK STUDY IN THE CHAPEL
3:00 PM STEWARDSHIP DINNER AT BOB & SHARON KAZARY'S HOME

MISSION
RULING ELDERS: PHIL MILLS & PAM JAN

MISSION OUTREACH DINNER: The monthly outreach dinner that we help with will be held on **Sunday, October 28th** at **St. John's Lutheran Church on Arch Street**. Dinner will be served from 4:00-5:30PM. If anyone can volunteer to serve dinner and/or help clean tables, please let Judy Stern, Phil Mills, or Linda Smith know.



2019 STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN
“GIVING AS ONE, GROWING AS ONE”
FALL FELLOWSHIP DINNERS

Dear Friends:

This year's dinners are taking shape as we plan for the opportunity to break bread with each other, reflect on how we see our money doing God's work and learn more about our church's financial health and the role our giving plays in constructing the 2019 budget. The host/ess will provide the main course, and you are asked to bring side dishes, bread, beverages or desserts.

Please complete your dinner reservation below and include it in the offering plate or give it to Brittany Jackson in the church office. The Stewardship Committee and church office are coordinating the dinners with guests and hosts.

Name(s): _____

I/We would like to attend the dinner on:

_____ **Sunday, October 21st:** Bob and Sharon Kazary's home in Grantsville at 3:00PM

I/We will bring: _____

I/We would like to attend the luncheon on:

_____ **Sunday, October 28th:** hosted by Judy Stern, David Stickler and Agnes Young in the Fellowship Hall after worship

I/We will bring: _____