

Welcome to Worship at First Presbyterian Church
Please join us for fellowship and refreshments at "Coffee Hour" in the
Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.
(✠ Latecomers may be seated.)

AN ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 13, 2011 10:30 A.M.

THE APPROACH

PRELUDE *Cornet* Donovan Klotzbeacher
Organ

INTROIT *Praise the Lord Together* Cherub and Children's Choirs

CALL TO WORSHIP 1st and 2nd Grade Sunday School Classes
This is the day the Lord has made.
Let us rejoice and be glad in it!
Happy are those who walk in God's ways, and seek the Lord with their whole heart.
Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us worship the Lord our God!

HYMN #229 (Hymnal)* *"From All That Dwell Below the Skies"*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)* Kurt Heineman
God of mercy, through the work of your Son Jesus you have broken down the walls of hostility that divide people. You call us to make peace with one another. We confess that we sometimes choose conflict— in the world, at work, in our homes. Forgive us, O Lord, and teach us your way of peace, so that we may be signs of your reign of justice and love. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON*
HYMN #579 (Hymnal)* *"Gloria Patri"*
THE PEACE* ✠

WELCOME AND RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP (Please sign the red "friendship pads" found at the end of each pew by the center aisle. Note the names of those worshipping around you as you pass the pad back. We encourage you to greet each other after the service.)

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE ✠ Pastor Rosanna

SCRIPTURE Genesis 3: 20 - 4: 2 Stan Dickerson
Pew Bible pg. 3

ANTHEM *Indescribable*
Children's Choir

SCRIPTURE Psalm 139: 1-18, 23, 24 Pew Bible pgs. 577-578

SERMON "Knowing and Being Known" Dr. Louis Mitchell

THE RESPONSE

HYMN #248 (Hymnal)* "*You Are Before Me, Lord*"

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF CHURCH OFFICERS (See insert)

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH Rev. Rosanna Anderson

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)

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.

THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory "*Create in me a clean heart, O God*" Julie Knowles
The Chorale

Hymn #592 (Hymnal)* "*Doxology*"
Prayer of Dedication* Rev. Anderson

HYMN #333 (Hymnal)* "*Seek Ye First*"

BENEDICTION*

RESPONSE* *Twofold Amen in F* Donovan Klotzbeacher
The Chorale

POSTLUDE* "*Auf meinen lieben Gott*" Johann Kuhnau
Organ

*ALL WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF CHURCH OFFICERS

SENTENCES OF SCRIPTURE

There are varieties of gifts, but it is the same Spirit who gives them.

There are different ways of serving God, but it is the same Lord who is served.

God works through each person in a unique way, but it is God's purpose that is accomplished.

To each is given a gift of the Spirit to be used for the common good.

Together we are the body of Christ, and individually members of it.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS FOR ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

Do you trust in the Lord Jesus Christ your Savior, acknowledge him Lord of all and Head of the Church, and through him believe in one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?

I do.

Do you accept the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be, by the Holy Spirit, the unique and authoritative witness to Jesus Christ in the Church universal, and God's Word to you?

I do.

Do you sincerely receive and adopt the essential tenets of the Reformed faith as expressed in the confessions of our church as authentic and reliable expositions of what Scripture leads us to believe and do, and will you be instructed and led by those confessions as you lead the people of God?

I do and I will.

Will you fulfill your office in obedience to Jesus Christ, under the authority of Scripture, and be continually guided by our confessions?

I will.

Will you be governed by our church's polity, and will you abide by its discipline? Will you be a friend among your colleagues in ministry, working with them, subject to the ordering of God's Word and Spirit?

I will.

Will you in your own life seek to follow the Lord Jesus Christ, love your neighbors, and work for the reconciliation of the world?

I will.

Do you promise to further the peace, unity, and purity of the church?

I do.

Will you seek to serve the people with energy, intelligence, imagination, and love?

I will.

(Elders) Will you be a faithful elder, watching over the people, providing for their worship, nurture, and service? Will you share in government and discipline, serving in governing bodies of the Church, and in your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

I will.

(Deacons) Will you be a faithful deacon, teaching charity, urging concern, and directing the people's help to the friendless and those in need? In your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

I will.

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS TO THE CONGREGATION

Do we, the members of the church accept Jack Britton, George Conley, Alan Danser, Gaylord French, Marlene French, *David Geijer, Gail Geijer, Kao-Yang Huang, *Rebecca Huselid, *Brenda Kirkenir, *Paul Michaud, Ron Riemann, *Elvin Rodriguez, Craig Vandenberg, Vicki Waciega, Doris Wiegartner and Walter Wright as Elders and Deacons chosen by God through the voice of this congregation, to lead us in the way of Jesus Christ?

(*to be ordained)

We do.

Do we agree to encourage them, to respect their decisions, and to follow as they guide us, serving Jesus Christ who alone is Head of the Church?

We do.

PRAYER OF INSTALLATION

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise. [the prayer continues]

PRONOUNCEMENT OF INSTALLATION AND WELCOME

(Many thanks to those who have completed their term as active officers.)

Elders: Victoria Bain, Rose Eller, Doreen Grand-Jean, Tom Senko and John Sprout

Deacons: Nicholas Baverov, Janet Furchak, Lola Madsen, Dawn Michaud and Karen Olchvary

~~ CALENDAR ~~

February 13, 2011 – February 20, 2011

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| Sunday 13 | 9:15a Christian Education for all ages (Classrooms/Lib./FH/McKnight Rm) 10:30a Worship w/Ordination & Installation of New Church Officers followed by coffee hour 3:15p-5:45p Youth Group Trip for the Bach Concert at Miller Chapel (Princeton Theological Seminary Campus) VAN 4:00p-5:00p Cranbury Scout Band Practice - upstairs classroom 7:30p-9p Cranbury Men's Bible Study at the Inn |
| Monday 14 | 10:00a Senior Exercise 9:00a-10:00a CPNS Parent Valentine's Day Party-Library 12:30p-1:30p CPNS Parent Valentine's Day Party-Library 7:30p Brass Choir 8:00p Al-Anon-McK Rm |
| Tuesday 15 | 9:00a Bulletin Material Due 10:00a - 4:00p Senior Fellowship Program FH/kit/VAN 1:00p Staff Mtg.-Church Office 7:30p Session Meeting - FH 7:30p AA - McKnight Room |
| Wednesday 16 | 9:00a Skeet's Food Pantry Packing 7:00p Boy Scout District Meeting-McK Rm 7:30p Congregational Life Meeting-Library 7:30p Bell Choir |
| Thursday 17 | 10:00a Senior Exercise 6:30p-7:30p Cub Scouts-McK Rm (KE) 7:00p Boy Scouts (GC)-Library 7:30p The Chorale - Choir Room |
| Friday 18 | CPNS CLOSED 8:30-11:00a Skeet's Food Pantry Distribution 9:00a Bulletin Assembly-Church Office 7:30p AA - McKnight Room |
| Saturday 19 | |
| Sunday 20 | 9:15a Christian Education for all ages (Classrooms/Lib./FH/McKnight Rm) 10:30a Worship followed by coffee hour 4:00p-5:00p Cranbury Scout Band Practice - upstairs classroom 5:30p-7:00p Youth Group- McKnight Room 7:00p Boy Scouts (GC)- FH 7:30p-9p Cranbury Men's Bible Study at the Inn |

Visitors! We hope you will find a warm welcome here. We invite you to consider membership in our church family. Please speak to one of the greeters or pastors after worship for more information.

Childcare is provided during worship. Children from birth to age 2 may be taken to the infant room, and children age 3 through Kindergarten are welcome in the toddler room. Childcare providers for the infant nursery are Linda Protinick and Taylor Panconi. The toddler nursery is staffed by Bob and David Mills. Laurie Davis is the Nursery Coordinator (MusicMomNJ@comcast.net).

Our congregation is very happy to have children participate in worship with their family as part of our church family! "Worship bags" containing quiet faith activities are available in the narthex for children to enjoy during worship.

We thank those who are serving today in these ways:

The Flowers in the chancel today are given in loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hagerty by Mr. John Henzler and Mr. Judson Hagerty.

Head Usher is Barbara Hannon.

Coffee Hour is hosted by Fran Stewart in honor of our new church officers.

After Church Greeter is Joan Fraser.

PRAYER CHAIN

If you have a prayer request, or if you would like to become part of the "chain" of church members who pray daily with and for people with a particular need, please contact the church office at 395-0897.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Church members with special needs: Marge Bloom; Martha Davis; Helen Dickerson; Kim Hafner; John Henzler; Helen Myer; Walter Ornberg; Russ Richardson; Don Jo Swanagan; Anna Wahler; and Mildred Watts.

Family and Friends of Church Members for whom prayers are asked: Linda Cody's father, Frank Morris; Barbara Danser's mother, Evelyn Walton; prayers for the Jankowski family, friend of Jean Dunham, Jeff Jankowski; Paul and Janet Furchak's daughter, Christine Massaro; friend of the church, Malcolm Freeman; David Geijer's friend, Jean on the death of her son, Mark Zakalux; Gail Geijer's son, Dan; Joanne Hughes' father, Cornelius Tanis; Linda Ill's mother, Carol Scarpone; Mary Lou Kerr's brother, Norman Delfino; Carolyn Lee's husband, John; Carlene Reyes and Caren Anuszewski's mother, Ruth Grabbe; Betty Toto's mother, Marie Dickey; and Agnes Winchell's sister, Maria Cismas.

We pray for all the people who are in need in our wider community.

Prayer Requests in the Bulletin: In order to keep the prayer request list up to date we will print the names of friends and family of church members who have prayer requests for one month. After that time you may call the church office to have a name reappear on the prayer list.

Please remember family & friends in our nation's service: Colonel John Bartlotto (US Army), Elsie & Russell Sutton's son-in-law; Lt. Nick Brunetti (USMC), Tracey Yeager Brunetti's husband and Jeff & Diane Yeager's son-in-law; Robert F. Davison (US Army), Earl and Bea Davison's grandson; Sgt. Robert Hansson (75th Ranger Regiment), Janet & Paul Furchak's son; Colonel Martha Lenhart (US Army), Jim & Barbara Cox's daughter-in-law; Greg McAvoy (US Navy), Lewis & Ruth Blackmer's grandson; Michael McSurdy (US Army), Dr. Mitchell's son-in-law; Thomas Menten (9th Cavalry Troop), Pat & Bill Leonard's son-in-law; Major Douglas Miller (US Air Force), George & Audrey Smith's

nephew and Anna Wahler's grandson; Tony Paschall, Ann and Ted Zimmerman's step-grandson, and Colonel Daniel Shanahan (US Army), Leslie Vandenberg's cousin.

- Please be sure to sign the "**Pipeline to Session**" cards found in the pews if you have any questions/concerns for the Session. This is a great way to give "kudos" as well!

Birthdays of Distinction: Thomas Graham on February 16. **Happy Birthday!**

~~ CPNS ~~

We continue on Monday to celebrate Valentine's Day in our classrooms. We will be sharing lessons with the children about love and friendship as well as God's love for all of us.

Valentine's Day Parties will also be celebrated on Monday for our parents and families of CPNS. We want to thank everyone for being a part of their child's preschool education. You are all welcome to join us in the library on Monday from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. or in the afternoon from 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. **HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY**

Please note that we will be closed on Friday, February 18.

Please remember we are registering for the 2011-2012 school year. Please call Janice Parker at 609-655-8663 or email her at CPNSchool@comcast.net for more information.

~~ CHRISTIAN EDUCATION ~~

Adult Classes during Sunday School Hour (9:15-10:15 a.m.)

"Portraits of Jesus from the Gospel According to John" with Doris Wiegartner February 20 **"Look! There Is the Lamb of God!** and February 27 **"I Am the Messiah"**
A deeper understanding of Jesus is vital to our faith. You are invited to learn more about Christ and his significance from Old and New Testament passages. Anyone can attend for a week or both weeks, since each lesson is a discrete unit. Join us in the Library.

~~ MISSION, SERVICE & GRANTS ~~

A SNIPPET FROM THE YEAR BOOK OF PRAYER: Just two years ago the session of Faith United Presbyterian Church in Pen Argyl, Pennsylvania discerned how to live a new vision, resulting in a church-wide effort to extend the hospitality of the congregation to the community. The Hands of Faith commission members decided to undertake a ministry that met the needs of those most affected by the economic downturn, and at the same time enabled the commission to live out their mission. They determined to serve a Hospitality Lunch once a month, this representing the first attempt since the church's organization in 1968 to serve the area beyond the Sunday services. They established relationships with people with needs ranging from spiritual to social to financial. These lunches were a genuine undertaking for this church of 170 members, but since beginning this ministry church members realized a need for take-home meals for shut-ins as well and each month fifty to seventy take-home meals are provided. One service opened eyes to another need that could also be met.

~~ SENIOR FELLOWSHIP ~~

EXERCISE SCHEDULE

February 14, February 17, February 21, February 24

~~ STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE ~~

HELP WANTED: We are looking for additional members for the counting teams committee. We will train you. To qualify you must be willing to count the collection money immediately after church every fourth Sunday. If you are interested in helping with this important task, please contact George Smith or Ken Gordon.

Counting Teams: 2/13 (Team #1) -2/20 (Team #2)

ANNUAL PER CAPITA ASSESSMENT IS DUE

Please consider supporting this important expense of the Presbyterian Church so our Church may continue to pay its fair share for the benefits and support from our connection to others in the Presbytery and nationally. You will find a per capita envelope in your pledge envelope box. This year's per capita assessment is \$35/active member, unchanged from 2010. Thank you.

~~ WORD OF THANKS ~~

Don Swanagan and family wish to express their deep appreciation to the First Presbyterian Church family and staff for their prayers, cards and calls. Don is now at Specialty Hospital in Long Branch.

~~ YOUTH MINISTRY ~~

Youth Group Activities for February

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| Feb. 13 | Field trip from 3:15-5:45 p.m. for the Bach Concert at Miller Chapel on the campus of Princeton Theological Seminary |
| Feb. 20 | 5:30-7 p.m. Youth Group meeting with discussion |
| Feb. 27 | 5-6 p.m. Fellowship Hall and Kitchen: Confirmation class dinner with Mentors 6-8 p.m. Bowling excursion for youth and confirmands |