

*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.)*

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AN ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD  
4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
July 10, 2011 10:00 A.M.

THE APPROACH

PRELUDE *Sonata in F (Larghetto & Allegro)* Geo. F. Handel (1685-1759)  
Lisa Johnson, flute

CALL TO WORSHIP The Rev. Rosanna Anderson  
God's word is a lamp to our feet  
And a light to our path.  
God's decrees are our foundation forever.  
They are the joy of our heart.

HYMN #64 (Songbook)\* *"Our God Reigns"*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)\*  
Gracious God, in Christ Jesus you fulfilled the just requirement of the law and set us free from sin and death. Now your Spirit dwells within us, training us in life and righteousness. We confess the many ways we grieve your Spirit. We are shallow in faith, so that trials uproot us, and we fall away from you. We are deep in ambition, anxiety, and greed, so the cares of the world and the lure of wealth choke off the life and Spirit you graciously bestow. We hear, but make little effort to understand. We receive your gifts, but bear scant fruit for you. O God, forgive us, renew us, tend to us, that we might incline our hearts to you and live in submission to your will. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON\*  
HYMN #577 (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 Lou

SCRIPTURE	Genesis 7: 5-16	Lil Conley Pew Bible pg. 6
SPECIAL MUSIC	<i>Sonata in F (Siciliana &amp; Allegro)</i>	Geo. F. Handel Lisa Johnson, flute
SCRIPTURE	Hebrews 11: 1-3, 6-7 & I Peter 3: 18-22	Pew Bible pgs. 225 & 234
SERMON	“Arkeology II”	Dr. Louis Mitchell

**THE RESPONSE**

HYMN #196 (Songbook)\*      *“In My Life, Lord, Be Glorified”*

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH Rev. 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	<i>Toccata</i>	Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck (1562-1621) Organ
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Hymn #593 (Hymnal)*	<i>“Doxology”</i>	
Prayer of Dedication*		Rev. Anderson

HYMN #112 (Songbook)\*      *“Lamb of God”*

BENEDICTION\*

POSTLUDE*	<i>Grand plein Jeu and Fugue Grave</i>	Jacques Boyvin (1649-1706) Organ
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\***ALL WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND**

**“I am the resurrection and the life.  
Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live,  
and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die.”**

Kim L. Hafner

May 17, 1954 – July 1, 2011

**All Aboard for TASK:** We are looking for teen and young adult volunteers to serve a meal at TASK this summer. The date is **Thursday, August 4** from 2:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. It is a wonderful experience and a meaningful way to serve the church and the folks at TASK. TASK is depending on us. Please contact Anne Gordon, (609)409-7885 or email [kgordon22@comcast.net](mailto:kgordon22@comcast.net) if you can help. Thanks!

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~~ STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE ~~

Counting Teams: 7/10 (Team #2) - 7/17 (Team #3)

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~~ WORSHIP ~~

If you would like to be a lay reader, please sign-up on the schedule in the Fellowship Hall for July through December 2011.

**Please note:** We have openings for flowers on July 17 through July 31. If you are interested, please contact Diane Smith at [d1stargazer@verizon.net](mailto:d1stargazer@verizon.net) or at 609-890-0822.

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~~ YOUTH MINISTRY ~~

**UPCOMING EVENTS for JULY**

**July 17- July 21 (Sunday - Thursday) Youth Mission Trip at Camp Johnsonburg**

Our youth mission team will be commissioned in worship at 10:00 a.m. We will lodge and eat meals at Camp Johnsonburg, do projects there, and assist nearby Andover Presbyterian Church with work projects, and enjoy a hike in the mountains before we return.

**July 24 (Sunday) Assist in worship** at 10:00 a.m. with our report on the Youth Mission Trip

**July 31 (Sunday) Commissioning of VBS leaders** in worship at 10:00 a.m.

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~~ CALENDAR ~~

**July 10, 2011 - July 17, 2011**

<b>Sunday 10</b>	10:00a Worship followed by Fellowship
<b>Monday 11</b>	7:30p Brass Choir 8:00p Al-Anon-McK Rm
<b>Tuesday 12</b>	<b>9:00a Bulletin Material Due</b> 11:00a Staff Mtg.-Church Office 7:00p-8:00p Boy Scouts-FH (JK) 7:30p Stewardship & Finance-Church Office 7:30p AA - McKnight Room
<b>Wednesday 13</b>	9:00a Skeet's Food Pantry Packing
<b>Thursday 14</b>	
<b>Friday 15</b>	8:30-11:00a Skeet's Food Pantry Distribution 9:00a Bulletin Assembly-Church Office 7:30p AA - McKnight Room
<b>Saturday 16</b>	
<b>Sunday 17</b>	<b>(Youth Mission Trip-VAN)</b> 8:15a-9:45a CE Workshop-Library 10:00a Worship with Baptism and Youth Mission Trip Commissioning followed by Fellowship

**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. Laurie Davis is the Nursery Coordinator ([MusicMomNJ@comcast.net](mailto: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.

**Hearing devices** are now available for your convenience in the narthex. The ushers can assist you.

**Gluten free bread** is now available at all communion services. During our Intinction services, it will be presented on the bread and cup trays which are served to those who do not come forward. At our regular communion service, it will be in a small cup or area in the center of the bread trays which are passed throughout the aisles.

**We thank those who are serving today in these ways:**

**The Flowers** in the chancel today are given by Pat Scott in loving memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Hunt.

**Head Ushers** are Stan and Helen Dickerson.

**Coffee Hour** is hosted today by the Mavoides family.

**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; Eddie Hafner and family due to Kim Hafner's death; John Henzler; Ethel Mesner; Helen Myer; Walter Ornberg; Russ Richardson; Marion Sutton; Anna Wahler; Mildred Watts and Edward Zimmerman.

**Family and Friends of Church Members for whom prayers are asked:** Vicki Bain's mother, Joan Stiles; Rose Eller's sister, Frieda Applegate; Gail Geijer's son, Dan; Bev and Craig Gilbert's daughter-in-law, Beth Hurley; Jane Huff's grandson, James Huff-Miller; Joanne Hughes' parents, Cornelius and Bella Tanis; Linda Ill's mother, Carol Scarpone; Carolyn Lee's husband, John; Gretchen Stults' granddaughter-in-law, Erin Haverkamp and Don and Agnes Winchell's friend, Suzanna Foris.

**We pray** for all the people who are in need in our wider community and please remember family and friends in our nation's service.

**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 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:** Gretchen Stults on July 12, Judson Hagerty on July 14 and Walter Wright on July 17. **Happy Birthday!**

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~~ CHRISTIAN EDUCATION ~~

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Calling all teachers and adults who study the Bible! Please consider where God may be leading you to share your gifts in Sunday school in the new program year starting in September. We have many opportunities for teaching and sharing faith with students of all ages! Speak with our Superintendent Peter Miller, Education Committee chair Doris Wiegartner or Pastor Rosanna if you can help or would like to know more about the openings we currently have.

**Save the Date!**

**Teacher Retreat** on Tuesday, August 30 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall  
Inspirational teaching will be provided by biblical scholar Gretchen G. Hull. It is important that every Sunday school teacher, assistant, workshop leader, youth leader and everyone else who helps with children and young people attend this mandatory meeting. We will discuss our goals for the year, pray together, review the Emergency Plan and teachers' manual, meet with teaching teams and enjoy some appetizers and desserts. This new initiative replaces the teachers' meeting that formerly was held on Sunday morning before the start of Sunday school.

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~~ CONGREGATIONAL LIFE ~~

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**Coffee Hour Hosts Wanted!** There is a dire need for people who are willing to host coffee hour this summer. July 24 and every Sunday in August is open. Anyone willing to help please e-mail Fran Stewart at [Frannymag58@aol.com](mailto:Frannymag58@aol.com)

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~~ CPNS ~~

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Our CPNS Summer Program will be held during the weeks of July 18 and the July 25. Our children going into our 3-year-old classes will be taught by Rebecca Franke and Mrs. "K"; our 4-year-old classes will be taught by Laurie Davis and Linda Protinick and our children going into Kindergarten and 1st grade will be taught by Rosellyn Cassidy and Vicki Bain. We are looking forward to sharing with the children a Polar Expedition along with themes such as Music, Animals, the Beach and Bugs. We will continue to enjoy the CPNS garden and all the rewards of the children's hard work. Thank you so much Rosellyn for making sure the garden is a learning experience for everyone. If you are already registered we look forward to sharing this wonderful learning adventure with you, if you or a neighbor are still interested we have just a few spots left.

We also continue to register for the 2011-2012 school year. Please call Janice Parker at (609)655-8663 or email her at [CPNSchool@comcast.net](mailto:CPNSchool@comcast.net) for more information. Don't forget to tell your friends and neighbors about our developmentally appropriate academic Christian preschool. We don't want anyone to miss the opportunity to give their children the best and strongest foundation for their child's academic success.

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~~ MISSION, SERVICE & GRANTS ~~

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**SNIPPETS FROM THE YEAR BOOK OF PRAYER:** St. Paul's Church in Nanjing, China, is reaching out and growing. During last Christmas season, over one hundred people completed seekers' classes and were baptized. One of four Sunday services is an English-language service which is run mostly by the Chinese church itself. The service is in part for expatriates but mostly students attend. The appeal of a service in English lies not only in the opportunity it offers to practice the language, but also the chance to

explore Christianity in a setting with many other young people. Expatriates are welcome in discussion groups, Bible studies, and the English choir.

**SKEET'S PANTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP AGAIN - OUR SHELVES ARE LOW:** We're still seeing more and more people in need of food each month, with several new folks arriving monthly, too. The shelves are looking a little empty after our recent (June 17) food pantry, so we could use your help again.

We especially need: cereal (family size boxes are particularly useful); tuna fish (in cans); soup (in cans); canned fruit. Our families could also use Laundry Detergent and Toothpaste.

Please remember to check the dates on any food donations to be sure they haven't expired. Just put your donations in the wheelbarrow outside church on Sunday or leave bags in the front hall of our Parish House.

And please pat yourselves on the back for being such wonderful neighbors to the people in our surrounding communities who have fallen on hard times. We're averaging at least 150 people (parents and children as well as senior citizens) who are turning to us for help on the third Friday of each month (8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.). THANK YOU and God's Blessings to you for making the mission of Skeet's Pantry possible.

**Save the Date & Donate Jewelry for 2011 Mission Fair:** This year's Mission Fair will take place on Sun., November 13<sup>th</sup> in Fellowship Hall. As always, we will have a wide variety of organizations on hand to share information about their work and how we can lend a hand to help people in need.

BUT.....this year, instead of a Craft Sale at the Mission Fair, we will have a "Jewelry Jumble". That's a flea market filled with lots of great, gently used, unique and fascinating jewelry for sale. Just think of the possibilities for Christmas gifts. You won't want to miss it!

First, though, **we need donations of gently used jewelry:** rings, bracelets, necklaces, pins and earrings. All proceeds from the Jewelry Jumble will go to support the work of the IMCK/ Good Shepherd Hospital in the Congo. They are more in need of help than ever before.

Please start going through your jewelry and set aside your donations for our sale. If you have some jewelry boxes to give us, we'll be glad to have them, too, to help us display the jewelry and keep everything in the very best condition. Then watch for marked containers in Fellowship Hall later this summer and in the Fall - just put your donated jewelry in those marked containers and then plan to be on hand on November 13<sup>th</sup> to do some shopping for yourself.

Once again we'll also have a bake sale at the Mission Fair, and we'll welcome donated goodies from all the cooks and bakers in our congregation. These proceeds will also go to the healing work of the Good Shepherd Hospital. Watch for more news about the 2011 Mission Fair in late summer and early Fall. And THANK YOU for your donations so that we can help save lives in the Congo.