

Welcome to Worship at First Presbyterian Church

*Please join us for fellowship and refreshments
in the courtyard following the service.
(✚ Latecomers may be seated.)*

AN ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Father's Day

June 19, 2016 10:00 A.M.

THE APPROACH

PRELUDE

Sonata (C major)

Geo. F. Handel
Organ

INTROIT

"Father, we praise Thee"

Donovan Klotzbeacher
Summer Chorale

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (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.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

When shall we behold the face of God?

Through earthquake, wind, and fire, we listen for God's voice.

By day, God offers steadfast love.

By night, God's song is with us.

Let us worship God.

HYMN #276 (Hymnal)*

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)*

God of the prophets, we confess that we have failed to heed your word. You break down barriers among people, but we separate ourselves from others. You are ever faithful in your promise, but we turn away from others in fear. Forgive us, God of grace. Stir up that still, small voice in us and speak to us through the silence with a message of hope and welcome; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON*

HYMN #577 (Hymnal)*

"Gloria Patri"

THE PEACE* ✚

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE ✨

Pastor Hannah

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 23

Don Winchell
Pew Bible pg. 501

ANTHEM

"Praise we sing to Thee"

attr. Haydn, arr. Luvaas
Summer Chorale

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 6: 5-15

Pew Bible pgs. 5-6

SERMON

Dr. Louis Mitchell

THE RESPONSE

HYMN #272 (Hymnal)*

"God of the Sparrow"

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH (Unison)

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

PASTORAL PRAYER

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

Chorale Prelude: "Vater Unser im Himmelreich"

D. Klotzbeacher

(Our Father, Thou in heaven above)

Organ

Hymn #593 (Hymnal)*

"Doxology"

Prayer of Dedication*

HYMN #293 (Hymnal)*

"This Is My Father's World"

RESPONSE*

Choral Amen

D. Klotzbeacher
Summer Chorale

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE*

“God the Father, be our stay”

Samuel Scheidt
Organ

***ALL WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND**

Announcements

Visitors! We hope you will find a warm welcome here. We invite you to consider membership in our church family. Please speak to our Greeter or Pastors after worship for more information; or if you would like to be contacted, please provide us with your address and/or email address in the red “friendship pad”.

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. Linda Protinick is the Nursery Coordinator.

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

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

Flowers in the chancel today are given in loving memory of Richard McKenrick by Art and Gloria-Jean (McKenrick) Ryba.

Coffee hour is hosted by Art and Gloria-Jean Ryba.

Head Ushers are Brian and Gina Moore.

Greeter is Jack Britton/Heidi Knowlton.

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 call the church office at 609/395-0897.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Church members with special needs: Bill Chermak; Robert Dyke; Will Ellsworth; Tyler Katsoff; Pete Keve; Russ Richardson; Marge Scott; John & Carol Sprout; Barbara Wahlers; Margo Wegner and Ina Zimmer.

Meadow Lakes members with special needs: Elizabeth Lo; Warren Moore; Mary Palmer; and Betty Smith.

Family and Friends of Church Members for whom prayers are asked: David Anderson’s father, Robert; Betty Borgeson’s sister, Martha; Linda Ferguson’s children’s grandfather, Frank & friend’s grandchild, Ally; Joan & Gordon Fraser’s son, Iain; Gaylord French’s wife, Molly; Gail Geijer’s son, Dan; Fritz & Mary Jane Hager’s daughter-in-law, Liz; Mark Hughes’ grandmother, Olga; Mary Lou Kerr’s cousin, Helen; John & Brenda Kirkenir’s, friend & Skeets’ Pantry supporter, Aydin; Flo & Andy

Kremann's grandson, Nickolas; Sharon Ramkishun's niece, Kaitlyn & father-in-law, Ken; Pat Scott's niece, Brenda; Dale & Joan Smith's sister-in-law, Beverly; Gretchen Stults' granddaughter, Jodi & family; Bonnie & Neal Wagman's grandson, Aiden; and Agnes Winchell's sister, Aniko.

We pray for all people who are in need in our wider community and please remember family and friends in our nation's service. Members of our church family are encouraged to make prayer requests for relatives serving in our armed services, most especially those serving in harm's way.

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: Joan Fraser on June 4; Warren Barnes on June 9; Gordon Fraser on June 13; Hennie Sushereba on June 14; Nancy Stewart and Barbara Balcomb on June 26. **Happy Birthday!**

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Beginning TODAY and continuing through August 28, anthems will be sung by volunteers from the congregation as well as current members of The Chorale. If you have thought it would be fun to sing choral music, now would be an excellent opportunity to give it a try.

We will rehearse an easy anthem each Sunday morning from 9:15 to 9:45 a.m. throughout the summer -- which will then be sung during the worship service that follows. Since choir robes are not worn during the summer months, Sunday church attire (non-distracting) is preferred. The summer pickup choir is basically informal. Just show up and sing!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION and YOUTH MINISTRY

VBS 2016 Water All Around the World! Join us from July 25 to July 29 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. for an unforgettable Vacation Bible School (VBS) experience where we will learn together what it means that "Jesus Christ is Living Water for our Bodies and our Souls". Register your child online at <https://goo.gl/p8j5Lt>.

Check out the **VBS Giving Tree** in the Fellowship Hall. Take a tag with a supply printed on it that we need for VBS and bring that supply back to the tree in the weeks to come.

Going to OHIO! Thank you! Because of your generosity, we've got the gas money needed to get 2 vans-full of kids, tools, and luggage to Lorain County, Ohio and back!

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

We are doing a new **Pictorial Directory** this year! We will be having photos taken on June 23 and June 24 from 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and Saturday, June 25 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Photos will also be taken at Meadow Lakes from 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on June 28.

We will be looking for volunteers to help with this project. If you can help, please email Ed Luffey at eluffey@gmail.com or call the church office. Online appointments can also be made at <https://www.securedata-trans14.com/ap/firstpresbyterianchurchofcranbury>. You can also find this information on our website along with the price list.

CPNS

Our CPNS teachers; Vicki Bain, Denise Reilley, and Linda Protinick have put together an amazing pre-summer program all about story book bears, exploring various authors. The children will have the opportunity to learn math, science, social studies, literacy, and the important social and emotional skills in an environment surrounded by Christian love and values. If you missed participating in our pre-summer program you have another opportunity to register for our July summer program. Registration forms can be found on our website, or feel free to call Janice at (609)655-8663.

We continue to register children for the Cranbury Presbyterian Nursery School 2016-2017 school year. The registration forms can be found on our website. Enrichment program details are now available and can also be found on our website. Please tell your friends and neighbors about our Christian preschool.

MISSION, SERVICE & GRANTS

SKEET'S PANTRY WISH LIST

PASTA – any and all types; **Peanut Butter and Jelly** – one of our favorite staples; **Tuna Fish** – packed with protein; **Cereal** – Large nutritious family-size boxes are ideal; **Pasta Sauce** – last but not least, something to top off the pasta!

And if you have some “miscellaneous” items on your own shelves which you would like to donate, that’s fine, too. Just please be sure the expiration date, if any, is current.

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

Counting Teams: 6/19 (Team #3) – 6/26 (Team #4)

	Week Ended 6/12/16
Weekly Offering	\$6,690
YTD Offerings	\$227,018
YTD Expenses	\$193,161
YTD Net Income/(Loss)	\$33,857
YTD Per Capita: \$3,977 (18% of \$21,780)	

Pledges: Please remember to keep pledges current during the summer. Thank you!

Per Capita: Since the denomination support paid from our operating budget is only a portion of the total assessment for our Church, Session is asking for your help in supporting our ministry by covering the cost of per capita. The amount of this assessment is **\$36 per active member**. The *per capita* is paid for by all active members, including youth who have been confirmed.

WORSHIP

There are **flower openings** for July 17 and July 31. Please call Diane Smith at 609-890-0822 if you are interested.

Lay Readers - the schedule for July to December 2016 has been posted in Fellowship Hall. We look forward to having some new Readers so, if you have been thinking about joining our team, this is your opportunity, and we thank you.

LOST & FOUND

Are you missing a coat? There are coats in the Narthex closet and on the rack outside Fellowship Hall. Please check if they are yours before July 4. After that, the coats will be donated to TASK.

OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR

<p>June 19, 2016 (Father’s Day) Summer Worship Hour Begins 10:00a Worship followed by refreshments 11:45 Library Cmte – Lib. 4p–5p Cranbury Scout Band Practice– upstairs CRs 6:30p–8p Boy Scouts – McK Rm (GC)</p>	<p>June 20, 2016 CPNS Pre-Summer Program 9:00a Bulletin Material Due 7:30p CPNS Board Mtg – Lib. 8:00p Al-Anon-McK Rm</p>
<p>June 21, 2016 CPNS Pre-Summer Program 9:30a Staff Mtg.-Church Office 7:30p Session Mtg - FH 7:30p AA – McKnight Room</p>	<p>June 22, 2016 CPNS Pre-Summer Program</p>
<p>June 23, 2016 CPNS Pre-Summer Program 8:30a Senior Breakfast at the Cranbury Inn 9:00a Bulletin Assembly-Church Office 2p-9p Pictorial Directory – FH/Lib</p>	<p>June 24, 2016 CPNS Pre-Summer Program Church Office Closed 2p-9p Pictorial Directory – FH/Lib</p>
<p>June 25, 2016 10a-5p Pictorial Directory – FH/Lib</p>	<p>June 26, 2016 10:00a Worship followed by refreshments 11:00a Meadow Lakes Worship Service 4p–5p Cranbury Scout Band Practice– upstairs CRs</p>