

*Welcome to Worship at The First Presbyterian Church
Please join us for fellowship and refreshments at “Coffee Hour” in the
Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.*

**AN ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD
Trinity Sunday/Father’s Day
June 16, 2019 10:00 A.M.**

THE APPROACH

PRELUDE Premier Sanctus, Duo & Fond d’Orgue Gaspard Corrette
Organ

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.)

MINUTE FOR MISSION Introduction to Johnsonburg Elise Bates Russel

INTROIT “Sanctus” Donovan Klotzbeacher
The Chorale

CALL TO WORSHIP Ronnie Steen
Because from the beginning God has been faithful,
we aim to serve God with lives of faithfulness.
Because in the Trinity God patterned community,
we bring our lives together in this church.
Because God’s prophets stood up for justice,
we join our voices to witness for peace.
Because God has showered us with love,
we gather to worship God!

HYMN #1 (Hymnal)* “Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!”

CALL TO CONFESSION*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)*

We know that you are a God of abundance, and yet often we have been a people of scarcity. You have showered us with reasons for praise, but we have not always shared your gifts with the world. You have granted us opportunities for love, and we have responded with cold indifference. You have given us chances to be transformed, and we have fallen into old, selfish habits. Forgive us, O God, of the ways we fall short. Empower us to know the depth of your grace. Move us to respond with lives of faithfulness, until our every movement is an act of praise, our every word a song of thanksgiving, and our every breath a prayer: Alleluia. Amen.

SILENT MEDITATION*

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE AND FORGIVENESS*

HYMN #582 (Hymnal)*

"Gloria Patri"

THE PEACE*

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Cali Bronkema and Staff

"Peace Works at Camp Johnsonburg"

LITANY FOR COMMISSIONING OF JOHNSONBURG SUMMER STAFF

Pastor: Camp Johnsonburg Summer Staff of 2019, you have come to the woods along the lakeshore.

Staff: We have come...
from New York
from England
from New Jersey
from Jamaica
from Virginia
from Northern Ireland
from Pennsylvania
from Colombia
from Georgia
from Scotland

People: You have come to the lakeshore,
Staff: to play with children, laugh, listen and love.
Pastor: You have come to lead.
People: You have come to the forest,
Staff: to grow, stretch, learn and be changed by God’s presence.
Pastor: You are ready.
People: You have come to the meadows,
Staff: to serve, live in community, worship and pray.
Pastor: You are called.
People: You have come to the lakeshore,
Staff: and we have dropped our nets. We are prepared to follow.
Pastor: May God bless you richly as you seek God’s face and guidance in all you do this summer through the ministry of Camp Johnsonburg. May your mosquito bites be few, your campfires be bright, your hikes be successful, your campers be happy, your rest hours be quiet, your food be tasty and your impact be lasting.

SCRIPTURE Psalm 8 Glenn Wray
Pew Bible pg. 492

ANTHEM “O Trinity, most blessed light” Kenneth C. Turner
The Chorale

SCRIPTURE Romans 8:12-17 Pew Bible pg. 158

SERMON “Life in the Spirit” Rev. Marie Branigan

THE RESPONSE

HYMN #69 (Hymnal)* “Here I Am, Lord”

MOMENT FOR MISSION Transition Team

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

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.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Johnsonburg Staff

THE GIVING OF OUR OFFERINGS AND PENTECOST OFFERINGS

Offertory

“O Lux Beata Trinitas”

Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck
Organ

Hymn #606 (Hymnal)*

“Doxology”

Prayer of Dedication*

HYMN #300 (Hymnal)*

“We Are One in the Spirit”

RESPONSE*

Donovan Klotzbeacher
The Chorale

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE*

Concluding Voluntary

Thomas A. Walmisley
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 one of our 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”.

Children are welcome in worship! Worship materials for children are available in the Narthex, and are offered with the hope that children who want to will be able to worship alongside the whole church family. Children are also invited to come forward for the children’s message, and nursery care is available throughout the service. Find the way to worship that works best for your family!

Hearing devices are available for your convenience in the Narthex.

Large print bulletins and hymnals are available in the Narthex.

Flowers today are in memory of Richard McKenrick by Arthur and Gloria-Jean (McKenrick) Ryba.

Coffee hour is hosted by George Andrews and Ruth Jost. Come and enjoy old fashioned ice cream floats.

Head Ushers are Brian and Gina Moore.

Greeters are Jack Britton and Heidi Knowlton.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Church members with special prayer concerns: Ethan Anuszewski; Betty Borgeson; Sue Britton; Bill Chermak; Barbara Connors & Emily Holl on the death of Barbara's mother and Emily's grandmother; Bob Demers; Joan Fraser; David Geijer; Sally Giovanos; Judson Hagerty; Scott Kerr; Margaret Lawson; Beatrice Mabutho; Charlie Patterson, Jr.; Marie Perrine; Cheryl Richardson & family due to the death of her husband, Russ; Ken Rossman; Wilma Shimer; and Hennie Sushereba.

Family and Friends of Church Members for whom prayers are asked: Jo D. Andrews' friend, Pamela; Harry & Pat Bohrs' friend, Randy; Helen Dickerson's mother, Martha & brother, Clifford; Jean Dunham's brother-in-law, Chuck & daughter-in-law, Tiffany; Gordon & Joan Fraser's son, Iain; Gail Geijer's son, Dan & sister, Jane; Mark Hughes' father, John; the Khazem family's friend, Jess; Carol Kientz's cousin, Steve; Dorothy Klotzbeacher's ex-husband, Rev. Maltby & son-in-law, Bob; John Ryba & Sharon Marshall's niece, McKenna; Karen Moser's friend, Andrew; Janice Parker's nephew, Matt; Joanne Petto's friend, Estelle; Sr. Exercise member, Bonnie; Sr. Fellowship member, Elizabeth; Joan Smith's brother, Jim; Janet Wheeler's friend, Grace; Agnes Winchell's sister, Aniko; and Walter Wright's daughter, Mary Alice.

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 Chain: If you have a prayer concern, please call the church office at (609)395-0897 or email Daune Arsnow at deersnow@verizon.net. 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.

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 fill out and 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!

Birthday of Distinction: Hennie Sushereba on June 14. **Happy Birthday!**

CHOIR NEWS

Pickup Choir: Summer marks the beginning of our "pickup choir". If you enjoy singing and can carry a tune, now is the time to gather informally about 45 minutes prior to Sunday worship to learn an easy anthem which will then be sung during the service that follows.

Singing in the choir is a good way to memorize bible verses as many of the anthems are directly from scripture! Perhaps you'd even like to sing in choir as part of your time and talent offering. Summer is a good time to give it a go!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION & YOUTH MINISTRY

Register for Vacation Bible School (VBS): Join us on June 24 through June 28 for VBS – To Mars & Beyond! You can still register at <https://tmab.cokesburyvbs.com/FirstPresCranbury>.

Join us for an afternoon of baseball! The youth are selling tickets to the Sunday, July 7 Trenton Thunder Baseball game to benefit their summer youth mission trip. The Thunder face the Hartford Yard Goats at 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$12 a ticket. Seats in the church van are available. Contact Pastor Hannah (firstpreshannah@comcast.net) to reserve your tickets!

Youth Band: All 5th through 12th graders are invited to join our youth band. We will have three practices and then play in church. Please contact Daune Arsnow at (609)395-0897 or firstpresdaune@comcast.net if you are interested!

CPNS

Our CPNS Summer Program is off to a great beginning. We have twelve children registered and Mrs. Halligan and Mrs. Reilley are the teachers. We also have an intern, Ms. Collins, from TCNJ helping in our classroom. Ms. Collins is learning to be an early childhood educator and was a student in my TCNJ class this past fall semester. Her brother attended CPNS many years ago.

Our summer program will be held the weeks of June 10 and June 17. We have a few spots left if you are interested in registering your child. We also are continuing to register for the 2019-2020 school year. Please tell your friends and neighbors about our school. We want everyone to take advantage of giving their children a developmentally appropriate academic, Christian preschool experience.

JOHNSONBURG NEWS

Johnsonburg is 60 Years Young! The celebration continues at Camp Johnsonburg, with Friends Day at the Camp on Saturday, July 6 with games, picnic food, boating and lakeside fun. All are invited! Finally, Saturday, October 5 you are invited to the 60th Anniversary Fundraising Celebration at Johnsonburg! It promises to be an evening of fun, food, drink, and sharing our love for the place we fondly call J'burg.

MISSIONS, SERVICE & GRANTS

Pentecost – A Time to Celebrate by Giving: Join us in celebrating children and youth today, June 16 by giving to the PENTECOST OFFERING. This special offering is dedicated to PC(USA) mission agency work with children and youth and to Urban Promise Trenton, which educates and supports children and youth in Trenton. We support this special offering because we are the church, working together with the larger church to give younger members a chance to grow into a promising and loving future.

Please give generously! Offering envelopes are in the pews and checks should be made out to the First Presbyterian Church, with Pentecost Offering in the memo line. Online giving is available at: presbyterianmission.org/Pentecost.

June is here and Skeet's Pantry needs some Help! As always, you, our wonderful congregation, came through with food and support for our May Skeet's Pantry. But now we're gearing up for June, and there are 5 types of food we would be particularly grateful for:

Peanut Butter (but not jelly – we're good with Jelly for now); **Spaghetti** (but not Pasta – we're good with Pasta, too); **Pasta Sauce** (any flavor!); **Canned Fruit** (all varieties); **Cereal** – (Family Size if possible, and the healthy sorts of cereal rather than overly sweet)

Many Thanks from all of us at Skeet's. Your caring helps so many families!

CROP Hunger Walk: If someone is interested in organizing this year's CROP Hunger Walk for our church, please contact Loida Wilson at loidawilson@comcast.net or call her at (609)947-3348.

SENIOR BREAKFAST

Please join us for Senior Breakfast Club on **Thursday, June 27 at 8:30 a.m.** at The Cranbury Inn. Our speaker will be Frank Marlowe talking about Martin Luther King, Jr.

The Senior Breakfast Club is open to all who wish to hear these events at our Thursday, once-a-month breakfast at 8:30 a.m. at the Cranbury Inn. If you wish to attend, and have not done so before, please notify the church office at (609)395-0897 so that we can contact you. We need to notify the Cranbury Inn with the number of guests that will attend. The cost of breakfast is \$6 payable at the Inn. For information, contact Fritz Hager at (609)655-2787.

SENIOR FELLOWSHIP

Sr. Exercise Schedule: June 18 (last class)

SMALL GROUPS

Read with us this Summer – Our Book Group will be reading Lisa See’s *Snow Flower and the Secret Fan* as well as *The Island of Sea Women* this summer, both to be discussed at book group on Monday, September 23 (7:30 – 9:00p.m.). Join us!

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

Counting Teams: 6/16 (Team #3) – 6/23 (Team #4) – 6/30 (Team #1)

Month Ended 5/31/19

YTD Offerings	\$144,149
YTD Expenses	\$161,978
YTD Net Income/(Loss)	(\$17,829)
YTD Per Capita	\$3,628 (14% of \$25,960)

WORSHIP

We need volunteers to Usher! If you have questions or would like to usher, please contact Heidi Knowlton at (609)480-9176 or email her at cabotk@comcast.net. There is also a sign-up sheet on the Congregational Life bulletin board in Fellowship Hall.

Flowers: If anyone wishes to provide flowers for any given Sunday in memory or in honor of a loved one(s), please contact Heidi Knowlton at (609)799-1724 or email her at cabotk@comcast.net.

Lay Readers: The Lay Reader schedule for July through December 2019 is posted in Fellowship Hall. Please sign up, especially for July, as soon as possible. We are looking for, and would welcome, any new Readers to join our team. Any questions please contact Joan Fraser.

The Children's Choir would like to thank their benevolent friends in the congregation for the gifts that may soon bring new children's choir robes.

Summer Church Office hours begin tomorrow **Monday, June 17** from **9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday and Closed on Friday.**

OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR

June 16 (Trinity Sunday/Father's Day)

10:00a Worship (Commissioning of Johnsonburg Staff) followed by refreshments

11:30a Luncheon for Johnsonburg staff (AG)

11:45a Library Cmte (Lib)

June 17

Small Bathroom Construction

Church Office Hours (9:00a to 2:00p)

9:00a Bulletin Material Due

9:00a-11:30a CPNS Summer Program

8:00p Al-Anon (McK Rm)

June 18

Small Bathroom Construction

9:00a-11:30a CPNS Summer Program

9:30a Staff Mtg and calendar planning

10:00a Sr. Exercise

7:30p AA (McK Rm)

7:30p Session Mtg (Lib)

June 19

Small Bathroom Construction

9:00a-11:30a CPNS Summer Program

7:30p Cemetery Board Mtg (Lib)

7:30p Mercer Area District Mtg (McK Rm)

June 20

Small Bathroom Construction

9:00a Skeet's Food Pantry Packing (FH)

9:00a-11:30a CPNS Summer Program

6:30p-7:30p Wolf Pack (McK Rm/EK)

June 21

Church Office Closed

Small Bathroom Construction

8:00a-10:30a Skeet's Food Pantry Distribution (FH)

9:00a-11:30a CPNS Summer Program

June 22

June 23

10:00a Worship with Baptism, New Member Recognition & VBS Commissioning
followed by refreshments

11:30a VBS Meeting (Lib)