

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

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**AN ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD**

**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

**July 21, 2019 10:00 A.M.**

**THE APPROACH**

PRELUDE

*Prelude & Fugue in G*

Felix Mendelssohn  
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.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Hannah Lovaglio

Let us sit at Christ’s feet, like his servant Mary,  
**and learn from the teachings of our Lord.**

Let us serve Christ with eagerness, like his servant Martha,  
**and share God’s hospitality with all in need.**

Let us bear God’s good news, like the prophet Amos,  
**and worship God with thanksgiving.**

HYMN #363 (Hymnal)\*

*“Rejoice, the Lord Is King!”*

CALL TO CONFESSION\*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)\*

**Faithful and loving God, we confess that we have not lived in faith and love. In the business of our daily life we trample on the poor and needy. In our daily worry and distraction, we forget to rest in your presence. Forgive us, God of grace. Let us be reconciled to you and to one another in Christ, so that we may declare your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

SILENT MEDITATION\*

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE AND FORGIVENESS\*

HYMN #582 (Hymnal)\*

*"Gloria Patri"*

THE PEACE\*

## PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Hannah

COMMISSIONING OF THE YOUTH MISSION TEAM:

In the Christian church, our mission is to make the Lord Jesus Christ known. We hear Jesus' words: "I command that you love one another as I have loved you...by this, all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." (John 13:34-35)

We celebrate you and your devotion to the tasks ahead of you, as you join with other persons in mission to East Rockaway, New York. Through the gift of your service and its example of love, you show others the infinite love that God has for all people. This is both a privilege and a responsibility, and we ask that you now publicly affirm your commitment to this work.

Will you accept the persons whom you serve right where they are and just the way they are? **I will, with God's help.**

Will you seek to work in glad cooperation and mutual support with other workers, being sensitive and helpful according to the needs presented to you? **I will, with God's help.**

Will you conduct yourself in a manner which will demonstrate your love of Christ and the church which you represent? **I will, with God's help.**

Do you sincerely believe that the work you are about to undertake is truly the work of God within our world? **I do.**

Let us pray: Almighty God, look graciously upon these persons now to be commissioned. Endow them with your Spirit, enrich them with your grace, and strengthen them for the tasks which lie ahead, that through their work your name may be glorified. Amen.

## THE COMMISSIONING

**Anna, Ava, Cassandra, Elise, Emily, Emma, Fran, Giavanna, George, Hannah, Jack Finn, Janet, Katie, Kylie, Maggie, Mark, Matthew, Megan M, Megan K, Morgan, Olivia, and Phoebe** on behalf of the Session, I commission you to share the love of Jesus Christ with your gift of service to Next Step Ministries in New York. They go as representatives of Christ and the church. I commend them to you for your love, your care, your prayers, and your support for the work that they will perform.

CONGREGATION: (Unison)

**We rejoice to recognize you as representatives of our church, and thank God for your dedication and your gifts of service. We send you forth with our our prayers and support. With you, we renew our commitment to God and to service in the name of Jesus Christ. We pray God’s blessings for you and for the people you go to serve. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 15

Maggie Hughes  
Pew Bible pg. 495

ANTHEM

*“With a voice of singing”*

**Martin Shaw**  
Summer Chorale

SCRIPTURE

Luke 10:38-42

Rev. Marie Branigan  
Pew Bible pg. 72

SERMON

“Do Be Do Be Do”

Rev. Branigan

## THE RESPONSE

HYMN #835 (Hymnal)\*

*“Just a Closer Walk with Thee”*

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Rev. Branigan

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

*Adagio*

Rev. Branigan  
Felix Mendelssohn  
Organ

Hymn #606 (Hymnal)\*

*(Songs Without Words)*

*"Doxology"*

Prayer of Dedication\*

HYMN #450 (Hymnal)\*

*"Be Thou My Vision"*

BENEDICTION\*

POSTLUDE\*

*La Mourisque*

Tylman Susato  
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** in the chancel today are in memory of Elizabeth Hagerty’s birthday.

**Coffee hour** is hosted by Ken and Anne Gordon.

**Head Usher** is Alan Danser.

**Greeters** are Jack Britton and Heidi Knowlton.

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Church members with special prayer concerns:** Betty Borgeson; Bill Chermak; Bob Demers; David Geijer; Sally Giovanos; Judson Hagerty; Scott Kerr; Flo Kremann; Margaret Lawson; Beatrice Mabutho; Charlie Patterson, Jr.; Ken Rossman; Wilma Shimer; Hennie Sushereba; and Walter & Barb Wright.

**Family and Friends of Church Members for whom prayers are asked:** Jo D. Andrews’ friend, Pamela; Harry & Pat Bohrs’ friend, Randy; Pat & Bob Demer’s nephew, Paul; Helen Dickerson’s mother, Martha & brother, Clifford; Jean Dunham’s brother-in-law, Chuck & daughter-in-law, Tiffany; Arlene & Dennis Duran’s daughters, Catherine & Jennifer; Gail Geijer’s son, Dan & sister, Jane; Mark Hughes’ father, John; the Khazem family’s friend, Jess; Dorothy Klotzbeacher’s ex-husband, Rev. Maltby & son-in-law, Bob; John Ryba & Sharon Marshall’s niece, McKenna; Janice Parker’s nephew, Matt; Joanne Petto’s friend, Estelle; Bev Reddan’s mother, Marie; Sr. Exercise member, Bonnie; Sr. Fellowship member, Elizabeth; Joan Smith’s brother, Jim; Vicki Waciega’s friend, Amy; Larry & Margo Wegner’s niece, Hannah; Janet Wheeler’s friend, Grace; Agnes Winchell’s sister, Aniko; and Walter & Barb Wright’s daughter, Marie 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](mailto: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!

## **CPNS**

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A note from Janice Parker:

Many of you know that I have been the Director of CPNS since 1999 and a teacher and assistant teacher at CPNS since 1994. I have had an amazing time these past 25 years and can't thank you all enough for the support over the years. I have been blessed and honored to have had the opportunity to be the director of CPNS, thank you all for that.

I wanted to let you know that I have accepted a position as an assistant professor at The College of New Jersey beginning in August. My last day at CPNS will be August 23. My plan is to continue to make The First Presbyterian Church of Cranbury my church home, and continue my relationship with all of you as my church family.

The new Director of CPNS will be introduced during our worship service on August 4. I hope you will all be able to attend church that day and have the opportunity to meet her and her family.

## **MISSIONS, SERVICE & GRANTS**

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**No Summertime-Off for Skeet's:** Our Skeet's Pantry patrons need food assistance 12 months a year, so Skeet's is still busy throughout these summer months. Thanks to your incredible generosity, we were able to help 70 families, including 237 adults and children in June. Those families were pretty evenly divided between young ones with children, and older singles & couples.

Now for our JULY WISH LIST:

Pancake Mix; Pancake Syrup; Peanut Butter; Pasta Sauce;  
Soup; Canned Beans; and Canned Fruit

As always, please be sure the dates for "Use By" are still current on cans or jars.  
Thanks so much!

## **OUTREACH**

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**Prayer Chain:** At this time, those on the Prayer Chain can receive requests via email or telephone. We have two lists with only those on the telephone having to call the next person on the list. Most requests come to the church office at (609)395-0897. The request immediately goes out to the list of those praying. You can also email Daune Arsnow at [deersnow@verizon.net](mailto:deersnow@verizon.net) with a request. If you need prayers for any reason, know anyone – friend – neighbor - co-worker – who needs prayer, contact us - imagine so many prayers going out to God.

We Need Volunteers! We are a "praying" church. If you volunteer, you only have to check your emails or telephone messages daily and agree to say a prayer for any requests that come in. It will just take a minute or two of your time and prayers are answered – we are thrilled when we get good news back from those for whom we prayed!!! Call the office or email [doriswieg@aol.com](mailto:doriswieg@aol.com) to join us – if you have questions, call Doris at (609)395-7099.

## **SMALL GROUPS**

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**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**

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Counting Teams: 7/21 (Team #4) – 7/28 (Team #1)

### **Month Ended 6/30/19**

YTD Offerings	\$182,104
YTD Expenses	\$200,949
YTD Net Income/(Loss)	<b>(\$18,845)</b>
YTD Per Capita	\$3,668 (14% of \$25,960)

## **WORSHIP**

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**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](mailto: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](mailto:cabotk@comcast.net).

**Lay Readers:** The Lay Reader schedule from now 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.

## **OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR**

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### **July 21**

Youth Mission Trip (VAN)

10:00a Worship and Commissioning of Youth Mission Trip followed by refreshments

11:30a Prayer Partner Lunch and Send off

### **July 22**

Youth Mission Trip(VAN)

9:00a Bulletin Material Due

8:00p Al-Anon (McK Rm)

### **July 23**

Youth Mission Trip(VAN)

9:30a Staff Meeting

7:30p AA (McK Rm)

### **July 24**

Youth Mission Trip(VAN)

7:30p Transition Team Mtg (Lib)

### **July 25**

Youth Mission Trip(VAN)

8:30a Bulletin Assembly

### **July 26**

Church Office Closed

Youth Mission Trip(VAN)

### **July 27**

Youth Mission Trip(VAN)

### **July 28 (Christmas in July)**

10:00a Worship followed by refreshments