

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

All Saints’ Sunday

November 3, 2019 10:30 A.M.

THE APPROACH

PRELUDE

“A Joyful Thanksgiving”

Anna Laura Page
Bell Choir

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.)

INTROIT

“Come, come, ye saints”

English folksong,
Arr. Donovan Klotzbecher
The Chorale

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Hannah Lovaglio

Giving thanks for all the saints,
who from their labors rest.
We gather to worship God,
who loves beyond life or death.
With the cloud of witnesses,
by the grace of Christ,
in the presence of the Spirit,
let us worship God.

HYMN #326 (Hymnal)*

“For All the Saints”

CALL TO CONFESSION*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)*

As we remember the saints of our faith, and all your children in the church triumphant, look kindly on our memories and forgive us where they falter. If we were unkind or unjust, forgive us. If we missed opportunities for compassion, convict us. If we turned our back on a neighbor, heal us. If we failed to recognize your image in the faces of people long gone, enlighten us to your presence and wash us in your mercy. Amen.

SILENT MEDITATION*

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE AND FORGIVENESS*

HYMN #581 (Hymnal)*

"Gloria Patri"

THE PEACE*

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Hannah

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Rev. Lovaglio and Rev. Joanne Petto

PRESENTATION

WORDS OF SCRIPTURE

Mrs. Dorothy Klotzbeacher

On behalf of the Session we present

Ella Marie Lindendorf

daughter of Paul H. Lindendorf and Jennifer M. Lindendorf

born on January 13, 2015 to be baptized.

QUESTIONS TO THE PARENTS

Jennifer, relying on God's grace, do you promise to live the Christian faith, and to teach that faith to Ella? **I do.**

Paul, relying on God's grace, do you promise to live a life of faith in God, and to teach that faith to Ella? **I do.**

QUESTIONS TO THE SPONSOR

Trish, as a sponsor, do you promise, through prayer and example, to support and encourage Ella to be a faithful Christian? **I do.**

QUESTIONS TO BAPTISED MEMBERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

Will we help Ella remember that God loves her and that we love her? **We will.**

Will we share the stories of Jesus with Ella? **We will.**

QUESTION TO ADULT MEMBERS OF THE CONGREGATION:*

Do you, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to guide and nurture Ella by word and deed, with love and prayer, encouraging her to know and follow Christ and to be a faithful member of her church? **We do.**

PROFESSION OF FAITH*

Jennifer and Trish, do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Lord and Savior, trusting in his grace and love? **I do.**

Jennifer and Trish, will you be Christ's faithful disciple, obeying his Word and showing his love? **I will, with God's help.**

Paul, will you be a faithful follower of God, obeying his Word and showing his love? **I will, with God's help.**

THE APOSTLES' CREED

(Hymnal, pg. 35)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

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.

Blessed are you, holy God. You are the creator of the waters of the earth. You are the fire of rebirth. You poured out your Spirit on your people Israel. You breathe life into our dry bones. Your Son Jesus promised to send the Spirit to us that the world may know your peace and truth. Pour out your Holy Spirit and breathe new

life into those who are here baptized. By your Spirit adopt us all as your children, through our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**

THE BAPTISM & WELCOME INTO THE HOUSEHOLD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE Psalm 149 Mary Speer
Pew Bible pg. 583

ANTHEM *“All Things Bright and Beautiful”* arr. Susan E. Geschke
Bell Choir

SCRIPTURE Ephesians 1:11-23 Pew Bible pg. 192

SERMON “Every Day Saints” Rev. Marie Branigan

HYMN #369 (Hymnal)* *“Blessing and Honor”*

MINUTE FOR MISSION Stewardship Matt Curran

THE RESPONSE

THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory *“In Dat Great Day”* Spiritual,
Arr. Richard Harrison Smith
The Chorale

Hymn #606 (Hymnal)* *“Doxology”*
Prayer of Dedication* Rev. Branigan

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

HYMN #525 (Hymnal)* *“Let Us Break Bread Together”*

INVITATION Rev. Lovaglio

PRAYER OF GREAT THANKSGIVING

Rev. Branigan

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Holy God, we praise you. Let the heavens be joyful, and the earth be glad. We bless you for creating the whole world, for your promises to your people Israel, and for Jesus Christ in whom your fullness dwells. Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with the heavenly choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Born of Mary, he shares our life. Eating with sinners, he welcomes us. Guiding his children, he leads us. Visiting the sick, he heals us. Dying on the cross, he saves us. Risen from the dead, he gives new life. Living with you, he prays for us. With thanksgiving we take this bread and this cup and proclaim the death and resurrection of our Lord. Receive our sacrifice of praise.

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us that this meal may be a communion in the body and blood of our Lord. Make us one with Christ and with all who share this feast. Unite us in faith, encourage us with hope, and inspire us to love, that we may serve as your faithful disciples until we feast at your table in glory. We praise you, eternal God, through Christ your Word made flesh, in the holy and life-giving Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Unison – The Chorale/Congregation)

“Our Father...”

Albert Hay Malotte,
arr. Donovan Klotzbeacher

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor Hannah

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Blessed are you, O Lord our God, creator and ruler of the universe, for you have satisfied our souls with this feast of your grace. Keep us faithful in your service until your realm of glory comes; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

HYMN #804 (Hymnal)*

“Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!”

RESPONSE*

Choral Amen

The Chorale

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE*

Festival Finale

Malcolm Archer
Organ

***ALL WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND**

In Memoriam

O God, before whom generations rise and pass away:
we praise you for all your servants who, having lived this life in
faith, now live eternally with you:

John Bloom
Spencer Bruno
Robert Demers
Judson Hagerty
William Hilgendorff
Gretchen Hull
Lucille Kirkenir
Nancy Norland
Marie Perrine
Henry Richardson
Beverly Robertson
Esta Schulte
Diane Smith
Henrietta Sushereba
Ina Zimmer



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

[John 11:25-26]

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Friends, as we prepare to worship the Lord together, please be mindful of our neighbors and choir offerings by settling down prior to the start of our Prelude. Thanks very much for your thoughtfulness.

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.

Gluten Free bread is available, and it will be in a small cup or area in the center of the bread trays which are passed throughout the aisles.

Communion Servers are Margie & George Conley, Sharon Marshall, Audrey & George Smith and Dave Stewart.

Flowers in the chancel today are giving in loving memory of Joe and Mary Konrad by Ed, Debbie and Ben Konrad.

Coffee hour is hosted Jo D. Andrews and the Children’s Choir.

Head Usher is George Arsnow.

Greeters are Jack Britton and Heidi Knowlton.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Church members with special prayer concerns: Betty Borgeson; Bill Chermak; Pat Demers and family due to the passing of her husband, Bob; Arlene Duran; Craig Gilbert; Sally Giovanos; Harry Kleinkauf; Beatrice Mabutho; Charlie Patterson, Jr.; Ken Rossman; Wilma Shimer; and Elliott Wilson

Family and Friends of Church Members for whom prayers are asked: Helen Dickerson’s mother, Martha & brother, Clifford; Joan & Gordon Fraser’s daughter, Fiona; Gail Geijer’s son, Dan & sister, Jane; Mark Hughes’ father, John; Dorothy Klotzbeacher’s ex-husband, Rev. Maltby; Sharon Ramkishun’s niece, Kaity; Jane Siebert’s friend, Madlyn; Doris Wiegartner’s nephew, Gary; Loida Wilson’s mother, Loli; 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 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: Carol Fisher on November 2. **Happy Birthday!**

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

We want to invite everyone to our **Fall Workday on TODAY, November 3** beginning at 12:00 p.m. The Buildings & Grounds Committee will provide lunch for those helping during the workday as we tackle some projects around the church.

There is a variety of jobs that we would like to complete this fall. This includes some outside and inside clean up and some repairs and maintenance items. No special skills are required. We hope to see you today after worship! We are very thankful for any and all help in maintaining our church building and property. Looking forward to a productive day.

CEMETERY BOARD

The Cemetery Committee will be honored by Cranbury Historical & Preservation Society for their preservation efforts at a dinner held at the Cranbury Inn on Friday, November 15 at 6:00 p.m. Tickets are available at cranburyhistory.org or by contacting Audrey Smith at (609)655-5361 or by email at aud123abc@aol.com.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION & YOUTH MINISTRY

Celebration Sunday! Our Whole Church Family is invited to Celebration Sunday next Sunday, November 10. We will be making sandwiches for TASK and creating our Good News November bulletin board!

Youth Group (Sunday): Middle School Youth Group meets at 5:00 p.m. High School Youth Group meets at 6:30 p.m.

Youth Group: Hope you can come out for some Thanksgiving fun & service! On Sunday, November 17 from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., we will be sorting Thanksgiving Food Drive items in Fellowship Hall for the Deacons and having pizza together! On Sunday, November 24, we will enjoy a Friendsgiving Feast from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Giving Tree! This Christmas, I invite you to Dream Big! Imagine with me, that it's Christmas time at UrbanPromise in Trenton and each of the 20+ children in the Harry Potter Book Club receive a Harry Potter Wand and a Harry Potter LEGO Kit! Can you imagine the smiles and the excitement of these first through eighth grade children?! But wait - there's more! - the 20+ High Schoolers that work as After School Camp Counselors or "Street Leaders" at UrbanPromise are opening their matching L.L. Bean Flannel Shirts. And look - now they're posing in their matching flannels for a group photo!

It's just a November dream now...but our church family can make this a reality! This Christmas, the Christian Ed Committee and CPNS invite you to select a tag from the giving tree on the bulletin board in Fellowship Hall, and then place the tag and a monetary donation in the UrbanPromise stocking to cover the cost of the gift. The Christian Ed committee will purchase the gift on the tag with your donation. We encourage friends to go in on a gift (or two!) together. Checks can be made out to the First Presbyterian Church with "UrbanPromise Giving Tree" in the memo line. Thank you for having Big Dreams for the children and youth at UrbanPromise this Christmas!

DEACONS

Coffee Hour Host(s) Needed: Anyone who signs up for Coffee Hour will have a Deacon helper if they want a Deacon helper. There are two sign-up lists; the first is to sign-up to be a Coffee Hour Host. The second is to volunteer to bring a plate of cookies or crackers or the like to help the host. If you have any questions, please contact Ruth Jost at ruthjost@comcast.net.

Thanksgiving Food Baskets: The Deacons may be filling as many as 150 holiday baskets this year for families in need in our area, and they need your help to make 2019 a wonderful Thanksgiving for all.

Items needed are:

Frozen turkeys(we especially need turkeys as we will only have 64 and need to fill 150 baskets – please donate!); **canned vegetables; canned fruits; soups; cranberry sauce; cereal; pasta/sauce; crackers; rice; boxed potatoes; stuffing; cookies; pancake mix/syrup; cake/muffin mixes; olives; peanut butter; jam; jello/pudding; canned nuts; granola bars; copy paper boxes** (for packing the baskets)

Donations can be left in the box on the porch of the Fellowship Hall, in the box inside of the Fellowship Hall and/or the church office. If you have any questions, please call (609)395-0897. Food collection will run through **November 19**.

OTHER NEWS

The Bohrs, Hagerty and Swartz families express their deepest appreciation and thanks to the church office and members of the congregation who took time to offer their condolences, at the passing of Judson C. Hagerty.

OUTREACH

Do you have a church name badge? Many of you already have a name badge. If you already have one, please remember to wear it. You might consider leaving it in a place in your home where you will see it when you are getting ready for church. If you don't have a name badge and would like one, please email Audrey Smith at aud123abc@aol.com.

SENIOR FELLOWSHIP

Senior Exercise Schedule: November 4; November 7, November 11, November 14; November 18, and NO CLASSES on November 21, November 24, November 28

SMALL GROUPS

Prayer Shawl Group: Join us in Room 1 on **November 14** at 11:00 a.m. Knit or crochet along with us. We'd love to welcome you into our group. While we knit together, we enjoy our fellowship time together – so will you!

Book Club: Our Book Group is reading *The Water Dancer*, by Ta-Nehisi Coates, to be discussed at book group on **Monday, November 25** (7:30 to 9 p.m.). Join us in the church library!

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

The **Annual Stewardship** mailing went out this past week. Please prayerfully respond to God's call for a renewed relationship. **Dedication Sunday** is scheduled for **November 10**, when we will collect your pledge and Time & Talent sheets during the regular offering. If you cannot make it that day, you can always return these to the church office or place in the offering plate another day. Let us promise to renew our commitment to our ministry so we have a firm financial foundation for 2020.

Counting Teams: 11/3 (Team #3) – 11/10 (Team #4) – 11/17 (Team #1)

TRANSITION TEAM

HOLY COW! PLEASE SAVE THE DATE

It's Time for our Church-Wide Retreat: "FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS"

When: November 17, 2019

Where: Fellowship Hall

Time: 9:30 a.m. Gathering Time: Refreshments

10:00 a.m. Worship

10:30 a.m. Part 1: Keynote Speaker Holy Cow Consultant, Robyn Strain

11:30 a.m. Refreshment Break

11:45 a.m. Part 2: Keynote Speaker Holy Cow Consultant, Robyn Strain

12:30 pm Closing

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.

OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR

November 3 (All Saints' Sunday/Daylight Saving time ends)

9:15a Sunday School (all areas)

10:30a Worship w/Communion & Baptism followed by coffee hour

11:30a B&G Fall Workday (All areas)

3:30p-5p Boy Scouts (FH)

5p-6:30p Middle School Yth Grp (All Areas)

6:30p-8p High School Yth Grp (Yth Rm)

November 4

10:00a Senior Exercise

1:30p Adult Bible Study (Lib.)

7:00p B&G Meeting (Lib.)

7:30p Brass Choir

8:00p Al-Anon (McK Rm)

November 5

9:00a Bulletin Material Due

9:30a Staff Meeting

3:45p Children's Choir

7:00p CE and Youth Meeting (Lib.)

7:30p AA (McK Rm)

7:30p MS&G Meeting (Church Office)

November 6

11:00a Deacons (VAN)

11:20a-12:30p CPNS Teachers Mtg (Lib)

11:30a-4:30p Women's Club (FH)

6:00p Scout Mtg (FH/JY)

7:00p Bell Choir

7:30p Transition Team Mtg (Lib)

November 7

CPNS Closed

10:00a Senior Exercise

2:30p-5:30p TASK - VAN

6:45p Worship Committee Meeting (Lib.)

6:45p Nominating Cmte (Church Office)

November 8

CPNS Closed

8:30a Bulletin Assembly

9:30a-10:30a God & Me Playgroup (Rm 8)

November 9

Memorial Service: Maire Claire Voorhees

November 10 (Dedication Sunday)

9:15a Celebration Sunday

10:30a Worship followed by coffee hour

5p-6:30p Middle School Yth Grp (All Areas)

6:30p-8p High School Yth Grp (Yth Rm)