

FARRAGUT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

OCTOBER 9, 2022 ~ 9:00 AM

Welcome to Worship!

We are glad to have you here. Be sure to grab a cup of coffee with your bulletin.

*indicates standing, if able.

This service is being recorded by video and audio means.

~We Gather~



Welcome

Rev. Matt Nieman

Prelude

We Will Glorify the King of Kings
Dr. Khyle Wooten, piano

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*Call to Worship

Give thanks to the Lord with your whole heart.

Great are the works of the Lord!

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding.

God's praise endures forever!

Come, let us worship the Lord.

*Opening Songs

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High
and
Be Still and Know

(please sing along with music and lyrics on the following pages)

*Song

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High

Rick Founds

Lord, I lift your name on high;

Lord, I love to sing your praises.

I'm so glad you're in my life;

I'm so glad you came to save us.

You came from heav - en to earth _ to show the way, _

_ from the earth _ to the cross _ my debt to pay; _

_ from the cross to the grave, _ from the grave to the sky; _

_ Lord, I lift your name on high.

*Song

Be Still and Know

arr. Jack Schrader

The musical score is written for a three-part setting (Soprano, Alto, and Tenor/Bass) in 3/4 time. It consists of three systems of staves. The lyrics are arranged in three columns corresponding to the parts. The first system covers the first line of lyrics, the second system covers the second line, and the third system covers the third line. The music features a mix of whole, half, and quarter notes, with some measures containing rests. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 3/4.

1. Be still and know that I am
2. The Lord Al - migh - ty is our
3. The God of Ja - cob is our

God, be still and know that I am
God, the Lord Al - migh - ty is our
rock, the God of Ja - cob is our

God, be still and know that I am God.
God, the Lord Al - migh - ty is our God.
rock, the God of Ja - cob is our rock.

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*Prayer of Confession

**Compassionate Christ, you send us to cure the sick,
but we blame the sick for their choices.
You ask us to restore the unclean, but we separate them into high risk pools.
You compel us to raise the dead, but we insist some are beyond help.**

**In your patient and persistent mercy, forgive us, O Lord.
Teach us to heal without condition and help without limitation.
Enable us to love one another as you love us, that as recipients of unmerited
grace, we may freely shower care upon all people.**

(please continue in silent prayer)

*Declaration of Forgiveness

*The Peace

The Peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

~We Proclaim~

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings: Luke 17:11-19
Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“Where We Are”

Rev. Matt Nieman

~We Respond~

*Affirmation of Faith – from the *Brief Statement of Faith*

The Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles rules our faith and life through Scripture, engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims us in the waters of baptism, feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation, and calls women and men to all ministries of the Church.

In a broken and fearful world, the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing, to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior, to unmask idolatries in Church and culture, to hear the voices of peoples long silenced, and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.

Musical Reflection

A Common Love

Charles Brown

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Call for the Offering

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

**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.**

~ We Go Out Into the World ~

*Closing Song

Guide My Feet

African-American Spiritual

1. Guide my feet
 2. Hold my hand while I run this race,
 3. Stand by me
 4. I'm Your child

yes, my Lord!

Guide my feet
 Hold my hand while I run this race,
 Stand by me
 I'm Your child

yes, my Lord!

Guide my feet
 Hold my hand while I run this race, For I
 Stand by me
 I'm Your child

don't want to run this race in vain! (race in vain!)

5. Search my heart . . .

6. Guide my feet . . .

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*Charge and Benediction





If you would like the church office to record your attendance today, you can:

- Scan this QR code and click on the generated google doc link, or
- Go to <https://tinyurl.com/record-FPC-attendance>, or
- Email the office at office@fpctn.org



Our chancel flowers were donated today by the Maley family in celebration of the baptism of *Thomas Charles Maley* at the 11:00 service.

Our celebration is just a week away! We invite you, our friends, to participate in our annual **“Invite a Friend to Choir”** Day. As we have in the past, we would like to fill the choir loft with the people of God who are bonded together through music. This event is **NOT** just for people who know how to read music, or who have sung in a choir before. No previous experience is required! The music ministry of Farragut Presbyterian is for **ALL** the people of God! Please join us for rehearsal and fellowship on Wednesday night, October 12, and Sunday, October 16 as we **MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE!**



Join us for fall fun at the **DEEP WELL FARM PUMPKIN PATCH TODAY, from 12pm-2pm.** (PLEASE NOTE THE TIME CHANGE.) This event is open to all, so bring friends and family. Deep Well Farm is located at 9567 U.S. 11 E, Lenoir City, TN (<http://www.deepwellfarm.com/>). The cost is \$12 for the corn maze, \$14 for the pumpkin patch/hayride (the most popular option with families), or \$20 for all events – and only cash is accepted. (No debit or credit cards.) The farm has a petting zoo, slides, and wonderful activities for kids of all ages (especially the wee ones). We’ll gather near the ticket booth around 12:00 pm, and head out as a group from there. If the weather is inclement, the event will be cancelled. Please RSVP to Jenny Trussell or Mason Warren at masonwarren@fpctn.org.

HELLO FOODIES!

The October Foodies will meet on Saturday, October 22nd. The menu will be: Stuffed Mushrooms, Grilled Pork Tenderloin, Rosemary Roasted Potatoes, Roasted Asparagus, and German Chocolate Cake. Look for the sign-up sheet in the narthex. Today is the final day to sign up. If you have questions, please contact Pat Hickman.



Today is the last day to donate to the **POUND PARTY** sponsored by Presbyterian Women to help stock the Sunset Gap Food Pantry. Thank you for your generous support. Please contact Debbie Long with any questions.

CAM CABIN DONATIONS: It’s that time again...we will be making a trip to the CAM Cabin in Wear’s Valley, so any craft items that you no longer need, can find a new home with a needy crafter. Items requested: fabric, thread, yarn, batting, buttons, costume jewelry, old license plates. Deadline to donate is Oct. 16. Questions or want to ride along? Contact Debbie Long or Mikie Lancaster.

We are in need of coffee mugs at **RANDOM ACTS OF FLOWERS.**

We have an abundance of vases, so at this time we are looking for coffee mugs only. No corporate logos please. Please contact Linda Scothorn for more information.



Presbyterian Women will be having a **THANK OFFERING LUNCHEON** on Saturday, November 5 at 11:30 a.m. Tickets for the luncheon will be sold after both services on October 16, 23 and 30 at \$15 each. Our speaker will be Rachel Penmore and some students from UKirk, the University of Tennessee Presbyterian-sponsored center.

We have two Tuesday **PW MORNING CIRCLES** which meet at 10am at the church on the second Tuesday of each month, and one circle at 10am on the second Wednesday of each month. In October, the meetings will be held on Oct. 11th and Oct. 12th. If you have never attended a circle and would like to join one, or you have any questions, please contact Beth White at 865-966-1121 or bwhite6@msn.com.



FALL-A-PALOOZA: Join us for “trunk or treat” and Halloween fun at our Fall-A-Palooza scheduled for Sunday October 30th from 5-7 pm in the FPC parking lot near Fellowship Hall. We’re partnering with Faith Lutheran Church for this event and hope to pack the parking lot with decorated trunks, treats, and games for the kids. Our Fellowship Hall will also be filled with activities including a photo booth, spooky prizes, and hands-on fun. We’ve had a special request from parents this year to focus on healthy and allergen free treats (no nuts), and/or to consider creative trunk games with prizes in lieu of candy

(although either prizes or treats are fine). Please note the Farragut Harvest Fest will be going on from 2 – 6 pm in the Village Green Shopping Center, so we may get some later treaters (which is wonderful outreach). We need trunkers as well as treaters – so please RSVP to Jenny Trussell or Mason Warren at masonwarren@fpctn.org if you plan on volunteering to set up a trunk or plan on attending with children.



KARM would like to “Cover the Endzone with 10,000 Coats” for their **2022 COATS FOR THE COLD** campaign. If you would like to donate a gently-used coat for distribution to help those in need stay warm this winter, drop them off at any KARM store or Prestige Cleaners location between October 17 and November 12. Coats will be cleaned and distributed between 11/14 and 12/10 at all KARM store locations.

MOBILE MEALS is experiencing a shortage of volunteers this Fall. Home-delivered meals help the very old and frail continue to live independently in their own homes. Until several years ago, the Mobile Meals program was only able to serve those in the direst need. Thanks to community support, the program is now trying to reach older adults before they get into a medical crisis, allowing them to remain independent in their own homes longer. The program needs more volunteers to deliver meals to homebound clients every Monday – Friday. If you can take a route in the coming days or weeks, please let Irene or David Rice know.

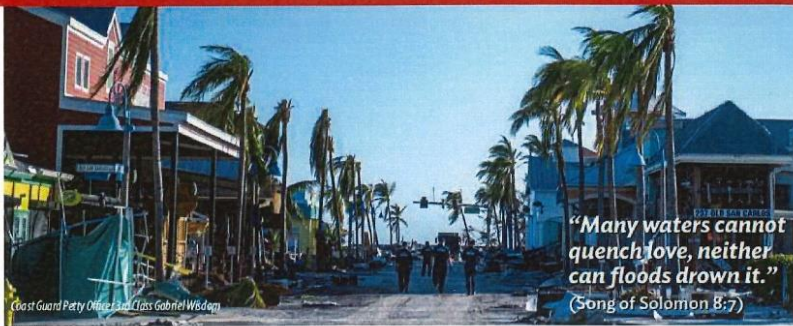


On Sunday, October 23rd we will have **ONE WORSHIP SERVICE** at 10:00 a.m. in the sanctuary followed by our **TAILGATE LUNCHEON** in the Fellowship Hall at 11:00 a.m. The Church Life Committee will provide: Fried Chicken – Dessert – and Drinks. Please bring your favorite tailgate dish to share (enough for 24 people) and wear your favorite team colors, shirts and hats! To make sure we order enough chicken, please fill out this form by October 16 and drop it off in the narthex basket, or email the office at office@fpctn.org. Don't forget to **SHOW YOUR TEAM SPIRIT** on 10/23!

Name: _____

Number attending: _____

Hurricane Season 2022



Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) urges your support this hurricane season. In the wake of catastrophic impacts from Hurricane Ian, recovery is ongoing in places hit by Hurricane Fiona, including Puerto Rico, the Dominican Republic and Cuba. Storms are becoming more frequent and more severe, and this early in the hurricane season we must prepare for these broad and anticipated catastrophes that have not yet formed. Give today to enable our response, from emergency needs through the long-term recovery phase.

Years of recovery lie ahead, and your commitment will help PDA extend the hands of Christ. Will you stand in the "GAP" for the people affected by these catastrophic hurricanes? — **Give. Act. Pray.**

GIVE: PDA's emergency response and specialization in long-term recovery is fueled by your generous gifts. Gifts can be made online at pcusa.org/GIVE-HURRICANES, by phone at (800) 872-3283, or by check made payable to Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) with "DR000194" written on the memo line and mailed to Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), P.O. Box 643700, Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700

ACT: Assemble Gift of the Heart kits for survivors in the affected areas — hygiene kits and cleanup buckets are especially needed. For more information, go to pcusa.info/heart.

PRAY: We ask for sustaining courage for those who are suffering; wisdom and diligence among agencies and individuals assessing damage and directing relief efforts; and for generosity to flow as powerfully as rivers and streams.

☐ \$500 ☐ \$125 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$25 ☐ Other \$ _____

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Congregation/PIN _____

Please detach the reply form and return it with your gift to your church; or enclose it in an envelope with your check and mail it to Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), P.O. Box 643700, Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700.



**PRESBYTERIAN
DISASTER ASSISTANCE**
OUT OF CHAOS, HOPE



Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)
Presbyterian Mission

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Give. Act. Pray.

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance is ready to help victims of Hurricane Ian. How can you help?

Give. Act. Pray.

Read this article to see the many ways you can help and how your gifts will aid in relief efforts to those who are suffering.

Give. Act. Pray.



PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Candice Blake, Patricia Dail, Barbara Emery, Dean Fleming, Chuck Foriska, Tyrone Gregory, Sandi Keagy, Bron Lewis, Mike and Janet Murphy, Tami Newsom, Larry Roberts, Jerry Seiler, Dorean Stuewe, Steve Tinder, Helen Weaver, George White

BEREAVED:

The family of Ray McMahon, Carolyn Caldwell's brother-in-law
The family of Larry Vines, Mikie Lancaster's brother-in-law
The family of Robert Kivlin,
Barbara Kivlin's son & Joanie Scheuer's brother

BIRTHS:

Congratulations to Beth and Jerry Martin on the birth of two granddaughters: *Harper Judd Hensley* born to daughter Kaylor and husband Sean on September 19, and *Hadley Day Collins* born on October 4 to daughter Lindsey and husband Briton.

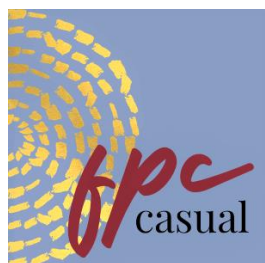


This Week at FPC

Sun, Oct 09	9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Sunday Worship		
Mon, Oct 10	9:00	a.m.	KidZone/Room 10
	12:00	p.m.	Deep Well Farm Pumpkin Patch Outing
	3:00	p.m.	Growing Families Small Group/Room A
	10:00	a.m.	Chair Yoga/Narthex
Tues, Oct 11	7:00	p.m.	Stephen Ministry/Room A
	7:00	p.m.	Christian Education Committee/Zoom
	10:00	a.m.	PW Circle #1/Room A
	10:00	a.m.	PW Circle #2/Library
Wed, Oct 12	7:00	p.m.	Boy Scouts #444/FH, Narthex, Rm A
	7:00	p.m.	Personnel Committee/Library
	10:00	a.m.	PW Circle #3/Library
	4:50	p.m.	FPC Fellowship Golf/Avalon Country Club
Thur, Oct 13	7:00	p.m.	Invite a Friend to Choir /Narthex, Sanctuary
	7:30	p.m.	Chancel Choir/Sanctuary
	8:00	a.m.	Men's Bible Study/Narthex
	6:30	p.m.	Cub Scouts/Fellowship Hall
Fri, Oct 14	7:00	p.m.	Thursday Night Bible Study/Zoom
	10:00	a.m.	Chair Yoga/Narthex
	7:00	p.m.	Gentle Yoga/Fellowship Hall

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

Class	Room	Topic
Adult Bible Study	Outside or in the Parlor in bad weather	This class discusses the Lectionary text from the sermon, and still meets under the trees in good weather and in the parlor in bad weather.
Monday Connection	Zoom and Room A	This class is studying the book <i>Grateful: The Subversive Practice of Giving Thanks</i> by Diana Butler Bass. The study shows it is not impossible to imagine a society based on gratitude; it just takes courage, creativity & trust.
Pastor Matt's Class	Library	Currently, the study utilized by this class is based on the book <i>We Make the Road by Walking</i> by Brian D. McLaren. The book is a brilliant retelling of the Biblical story and a thrilling reintroduction to Christian faith.
Youth	Room 10	The youth Sunday School class meets to "DIVE IN to the Old Testament!" Each week throughout the 2022-2023 school year, youth explore a specific book of the Old Testament utilizing videos and discussion.



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