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~We Gather~

Welcome

Rev. Matt Nieman

Prelude

Every Praise

J. David Bratton

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*Call to Worship

Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.
Faith is a gift to be received, treasured, and shared with joy and thanksgiving.
Come, with songs of praise let us worship God.

*Opening Songs How Majestic Is Your Name and You Deserve the Glory

(See music and lyrics on next page)



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You Deserve the Glory

Eva-Lena Hellmark



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*Prayer of Confession

God of the ages, God of the old, old story, we hear of our ancestors and are astounded by their faith. They trusted you, but we waver. They believed your promise, but we cling to our own ideas.

Forgive us and free us from our fear, that we may follow with joy wherever you may lead; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

(please continue in silent prayer)

*Declaration of Forgiveness

*The Peace

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

~We Proclaim~

Musical Reflection

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing Music Ensemble

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Prayer for Illumination

Beth Honey

Nettleton

God of Hope, by faith we know that you created the world, and that what is seen is made by things that are not visible. Open our eyes to your presence among us so we may hear your word with clarity and a sureness of hope as we follow you in all righteousness. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

First Scripture Reading: Isaiah 1:1, 10-20

The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God.**

Second Scripture Readings: Luke 12:32-34

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

"Taking Care of Stuff"

Rev. Matt Nieman

~We Respond~

*Affirmation of Faith (from Hebrews 11 and Luke 12)

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for; the conviction of things not seen. Indeed, by faith our ancestors received approval. By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is seen was made visible from things that are not visible. We affirm our need to take care of all things both seen and unseen. They are part of God's beautiful creation. And where our treasure is, there our hearts will be also.

Songs

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FPC Kid Singers ~ Joanie Scheuer, guitar

Call for the Offering

~We Remember~

The Invitation to the Lord's Table

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.

Words of Institution

The Communion of the People

The Prayer after Communion

~ We Go Out Into the Word ~

*Hymn #430

Come Sing, O Church in Joy

Darwall's 148th

Come sing, O church, in joy! Come join, O church, in song! For Christ the Lord has led us through the ages long! In bold accord, come celebrate the journey now and praise the Lord!

Long years have come and gone, and still God reigns supreme, Empowering us to catch the vision, dream the dream! In bold accord, come celebrate the journey now and praise the Lord!

Let courage be our friend, let wisdom be our guide, As we in mission magnify the Crucified! In bold accord, come celebrate the journey now and praise the Lord!

Come sing, O church, in joy! Come join, O church, in song! For Christ the Lord has triumphed o'er the ages long! In bold accord, come celebrate the journey now and praise the Lord!

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*Charge and Benediction

*Postlude

Recessional Linda Stutzenberger, organ Stanley

Special thanks to today's singers and musicians:

Dr. Khyle Wooten, piano ~ Tim Mashue, bass ~ Jacob Nieman, violin Joey Nieman, guitar ~ Joanie Scheuer, guitar ~ Dr. Linda Stutzenberger, organ and the adorable FPC Kid Singers!



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

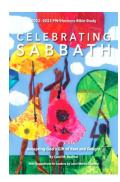
- Scan this QR code and click on the generated google doc link, or
- Go to <u>https://tinyurl.com/record-FPC-attendance</u>, or

Email the office at <u>office@fpctn.org</u>



Join us in the Fellowship Hall immediately following worship today for a CHURCHWIDE MEAL and our SUMMER FAIR with loads of fun and games like the Thrill Zone, Splash Zone, Rocket Zone, Photo Zone, and much, much more!

Presbyterian Women invite the congregation to join them in collecting <u>needed school supplies for</u> <u>the "Special Area" teachers</u> in the Sunset Gap region. The teachers need: pencils, crayons, colored pencils, dry erase markers, tissue, hand sanitizer, sanitizing wipes, bottle glue, glue sticks, copy paper, construction paper, and Ziplock bags, all sizes. <u>Deadline to donate is August 14</u>.



There will be an AUGUST GATHERING for all the women in our church.

The gathering is scheduled for Saturday, August 13 at 11:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. It will include a brunch provided by Apple Cake Tea Room, installation of new Presbyterian Women officers, and a "Get to Know Each Other" event. Tickets prices are \$15/person and will be sold before and after the service today in the narthex.

Thanks to last month's VMC VOLUNTEERS: Mason Warren, Jacob Nieman, Turner Neely, Kirby Purjet and Gloria Purjet for serving a meal to the homeless at Volunteer Ministry Center downtown. The next VMC lunch is on Tuesday, August 16 and is coordinated by Linda & Jim Scothorn. If you would like to participate in this rewarding outreach program, a sign-up sheet is available in the narthex.



Presbyterian Women are sponsoring a **POUND PARTY** in September and October to help stock the Sunset Gap Food Pantry. Items most needed include: sugar, cooking oil, flour, cornmeal mix, pasta and pasta sauce. With tax-free food in the month of August, some of you may want to purchase now and store your donated items at home until our donation drive starts in mid-September. Any questions, contact Debbie Long.



<u>ROCKERS</u>: The Daytime Rockers are on summer vacation and will not be meeting in July and August. *See y'all in the Fall!*



WILD ENCOUNTERS – Bring the kids to FPC

KidZone at 9 am on Sundays during the casual service for a wild time with animal friends! These engaging animals

will guide the children through historical bible events during our next program that <u>starts</u> <u>August 21st</u> (there is no KidZone on Sunday, August 14th so the children can have church time with their parents). Adult helpers



and substitutes are always needed – please contact Mason Warren at <u>masonwarren@fpctn.org</u> for more information.

HELPING OUR NEIGHBORS IN KENTUCKY: Your Outreach Committee is planning to send a \$1000 donation to assist with the recovery efforts of the recent devastating floods in Eastern Kentucky. Our donation will go directly to a relief fund established by the Commonwealth of Kentucky and 100% will go to the East KY victims. If you would like to add to this contribution, you may donate in any of the following ways: Use a pew envelope or mail in a check with "Kentucky Flood Relief" designated in the memo section, or submit a gift electronically through our e-giving page at https://www.fpctn.org/electronic-giving-e-giving/. If you wish to donate, please do so by August 22.



The war in Ukraine sadly continues. To help over 8 million people who have fled their homes with virtually nothing and desperately need the basics like shelter, food, and clothing, please visit <u>pcusa.org/pda/Ukraine</u>. Pray for our siblings in Ukraine. Pray for peace.

- WAYS TO GIVE – Through the church • Online at <u>pcusa.org/pda/Ukraine</u> or Text PDAUKR to 41444

FREE CHAIR YOGA CLASSES are now offered two times per week: Monday mornings and

Friday mornings at 10 a.m. in the narthex. These classes are perfect for beginners, seniors, and those with limited mobility and balance concerns. Please dress in comfortable clothing and appropriate footwear. All classes are taught by yoga instructors Jenny Trussell (RYT500/RCYT) and Collin Greaser (RYT), and offered at no cost. Sorry, no childcare is available. Please reach out to Jenny at <u>CEDARSTUDIOS4@GMAIL.COM</u> for additional information or a private introductory session!



Special Thanks to all who participated in the Sunset Gap Back to School drive...those who

sponsored a tag, those who helped sort and bag, and those who helped load and deliver to Sunset Gap. You have made a difference in the lives of 25 elementary age children. *Thank you!*

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Patricia Dail, Dean Fleming, Chuck Foriska, Tyrone Gregory, Bron Lewis, Gary Marks, Mike and Janet Murphy, Larry Roberts, Helen Weaver, George White

This Week at FPC

Sun, Aug 07	10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship		
	9:00	a.m.	KidZone/Room A
	11:00	a.m.	Churchwide Brunch/Fellowship Hall
	12:00	p.m.	FPC Summer Fair /FH and back parking lot
Mon, Aug 08	****	****	1 st day for Big Fish Academy /Education Wing
	10:00	a.m.	Chair Yoga/Narthex
	11:00	a.m.	Lectio Divina/Parlor
	11:30	a.m.	BFA Chapel and Music/Sanctuary
	7:00	p.m.	Christian Education Committee/Zoom
	7:00	p.m.	Stephen Ministry Group/Room A
Tues, Aug 09	11:30	a.m.	BFA Chapel and Music/Sanctuary
	7:00	p.m.	Boy Scout #444/FH, Narthex, Room A
	7:00	p.m.	Personnel Committee/Library
Wed, Aug 10	11:30	a.m.	BFA Chapel and Music/Sanctuary
	4:50	p.m.	FPC Fellowship Golf/Avalon Country Club
Thur, Aug 11	8:00	a.m.	Men's Bible Study/Narthex
	11:30	a.m.	BFA Chapel and Music/Sanctuary
	6:30	p.m.	Cub Scouts/Fellowship Hall
Fri, Aug 12	10:00	a.m.	Chair Yoga/Narthex
	7:00	p.m.	Gentle Yoga Class/Fellowship Hall
Sat, August 13	10:00	a.m.	PET Stated Meeting/Madisonville Presbyterian
	11:30	a.m.	PW August Gathering/Fellowship Hall

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

Class	Room	Торіс
Adult Bible Study	Outside	On Summer break.
Monday Connection	Zoom and Parlor	This class is currently studying "God and the Pandemic: A Christian Reflection on the Coronavirus and Its Aftermath" by N.T. Wright. Come discover a different way of seeing and responding to the Coronavirus pandemic, an approach drawing on Scripture, Christian history, and the way of living, thinking, and praying revealed to us by Jesus.
Pastor Matt's Class	Zoom/ Library	The class is focusing on some of the phrases we think are Biblical but really aren't.
Youth	Room 1	On Summer break.



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