

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF METUCHEN



"Lenten Labyrinth," by Mike Moyers, begins and ends with the dark path at the bottom - representing Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Themes depicted include covenant relationship, scripture, The Law, discipleship, betrayal, servanthood, readiness, patience, Christ's Passion, deliverance, abundance, provision, sacrifice, new life, and love.

March 1, 2026 at 9:30 a.m.

2nd Sunday in Lent

**Our vision is to love God with all our heart, mind, soul, and strength,
and to love our neighbor as ourselves.**

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GATHERING

ENTRANCE OF CHRIST'S LIGHT

The Cook Family

Candles are lit to represent the presence of Christ, offering a moment to center ourselves to worship.

PRELUDE The Old Rugged Cross

Concord Ringers

Cynthia Dobrinski

WELCOME & TIDINGS

Rev. Dr. Fred G. Garry

*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 101, adapted

Rev. Dr. Fred G. Garry

Leader: This is the house of the Lord.

All: **We will sing of justice.**

Leader: This is the house of the Lord.

All: **We will pray for peace.**

Leader: This is the house of the Lord.

All: **We will welcome all to the table.**

Leader: This is the house of the Lord.

All: **We will find truth and beauty.**

Let us worship the Lord our God.

*HYMN 165 The Glory of These Forty Days

ERHALT UNS, HERR

*OUR PRAYERS OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION – Unison

Rev. Khayla Henry

God of steadfast love, hear our confession.

Forgive us for a lack of beauty.

For the demanded apology,

For the gaze without grace,

For the love withheld in spite.

Give us a heart ready to praise;

Give us a spirit of graciousness.

Make our life a place of splendid love.

God of steadfast love, accept our confession. Amen.

*KYRIE

Lord, _____ have_ mer - - - cy up - on us.

Christ, _____ have_ merc - - - cy up - on us.

Lord, _____ have mer - - - cy up - on us.

Written for Third Presbyterian Church, Rochester, NY by Peter DuBois

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Rev. Khayla Henry

Leader: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

During Lent, the Gloria is omitted as God's people reflect on the solemn, penitential nature of this season, in which we ask, "How shall we sing the Lord's song in a foreign land?" The Gloria returns at Easter.

CHILDREN'S TIME

Marty Brennan & Troop 80032

Nursery care is available in Room 107. Pre-K to 2nd grade will proceed to the GLOW Room; 3rd through 7th grade will exit to the Social Center kitchen for Baking Through the Bible with Chef Dan Slobodien.

THE PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Proverbs 3:13-18

Rev. Leksmana Leonard & Sandra Laluw

This is the Word of the Lord . . . **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM Ave Verum Corpus

Senior Choir

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 15:8-10

This is the Word of the Lord . . . **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

"Beauty Makes You Better"

Rev. Dr. Fred. G. Garry

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

SETTLING OF THE WORD

***HYMN 794** O Savior, in This Quiet Place

ST. STEPHEN

***CONFESSION OF FAITH** (Apostle's Creed) – **Unison**

Rev. Leksmana Leonard

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen.

CALL TO OFFERING

Rev. Leksmana Leonard

***DOXOLOGY**

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
 praise God all creatures here below,
 Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts,
 Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

Rev. Leksmana Leonard

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

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

***RESPONSE**

Choir: All:
 When they build walls we will build bridge-es, o - pen up a dif-f'rent way, — when they
 close their eyes, we will sing, — whe-ther you're a friend or a stran-ger, one
 world we're travel - in' through, whe - ther you're
 fear - ful — or in dan - ger, peace — be with you.

*Written by Penny Stone (adapted)***INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE**

Rev. Khayla Henry & Rev. Leksmana Leonard

A gluten-free option is available on the Communion table. Please ask a server for assistance.

COMMUNION HYMN 525 Let Us Break Bread Together

LET US BREAK BREAD

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

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

Leader: Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with the choirs of heaven and with all the faithful of every time and place who forever sing to the glory of your name:

All: **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.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Leader: Great is the mystery of faith:

All: **Christ has died,
Christ is risen,
Christ will come again.**

PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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 let us not fall into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever.
Amen.

Rev. Leksmana Leonard

Bapa kami yang di sorga,
Dikuduskanlah nama-Mu, datanglah Kerajaan-Mu,
jadilah kehendak-Mu di bumi seperti di sorga.
Berikanlah kami pada hari ini makanan kami yang
secukupnya dan ampunilah kami akan kesalahan kami,
seperti kami juga mengampuni orang yang bersalah
kepada kami;
dan janganlah membawa kami ke dalam pencobaan,
tetapi lepaskanlah kami dari pada yang jahat.
Karena engkau yang punya Kerajaan, Kuasa dan
Kemuliaan sampai Se-lamat nya.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

*THE SHARING OF BREAD AND THE CUP

COMMUNION PRAYER

*HYMN 353 My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

SOLID ROCK

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

In keeping with the season of Lent, the postlude is omitted and will return at Easter.

*Today is Scout Sunday and we have scouts led by Marty and Maggie Brennan as greeters,
and the ushers are Susan Hammer, Andrene Sinclair-Pennix and June Young.*

Serving communion are Lorraine LeSter, Brian Smith, Bill Volz, and June Young.

*The flowers in the Sanctuary are from Ellen Van Horn and family, given in loving memory of Ellen's husband,
Dennis, on his 20th birthday in heaven.*

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Proverbs 3:13-18

Happy are those who find wisdom and those who get understanding, for her income is better than silver and her revenue better than gold.

She is more precious than jewels, and nothing you desire can compare with her. Long life is in her right hand; in her left hand are riches and honor. Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace. She is a tree of life to those who lay hold of her; those who hold her fast are called happy.

SCRIPTURE READER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 15:8-10

"Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? And when she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.' Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

SCRIPTURE READER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

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PEMBACAAN ALKITAB PERTAMA

Amsal 3:13-18

Berbahagialah orang yang mendapat hikmat, orang yang memperoleh kepandaian, karena keuntungannya melebihi keuntungan perak, dan hasilnya melebihi emas.

Ia lebih berharga dari pada permata; apa pun yang kauinginkan, tidak dapat menyamainya. Umur panjang ada di tangan kanannya, di tangan kirinya kekayaan dan kehormatan. Jalannya adalah jalan penuh bahagia, segala jalannya sejahtera semata-mata.

Ia menjadi pohon kehidupan bagi orang yang memegangnya, siapa yang berpegang padanya akan disebut berbahagia.

SCRIPTURE READER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

PEMBACAAN ALKITAB KEDUA

Lukas 15:8-10

"Atau perempuan manakah yang mempunyai sepuluh dirham, dan jika ia kehilangan satu di antaranya, tidak menyalakan pelita dan menyapu rumah serta mencarinya dengan cermat sampai ia menemukannya? Dan kalau ia telah menemukannya, ia memanggil sahabat-sahabat dan tetangga-tetangganya serta berkata: Bersukacitalah bersama-sama dengan aku, sebab dirhamku yang hilang itu telah kutemukan. Aku berkata kepadamu: Demikian juga akan ada sukacita pada malaikat-malaikat Allah karena satu orang berdosa yang bertobat."

SCRIPTURE READER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

165 The Glory of These Forty Days

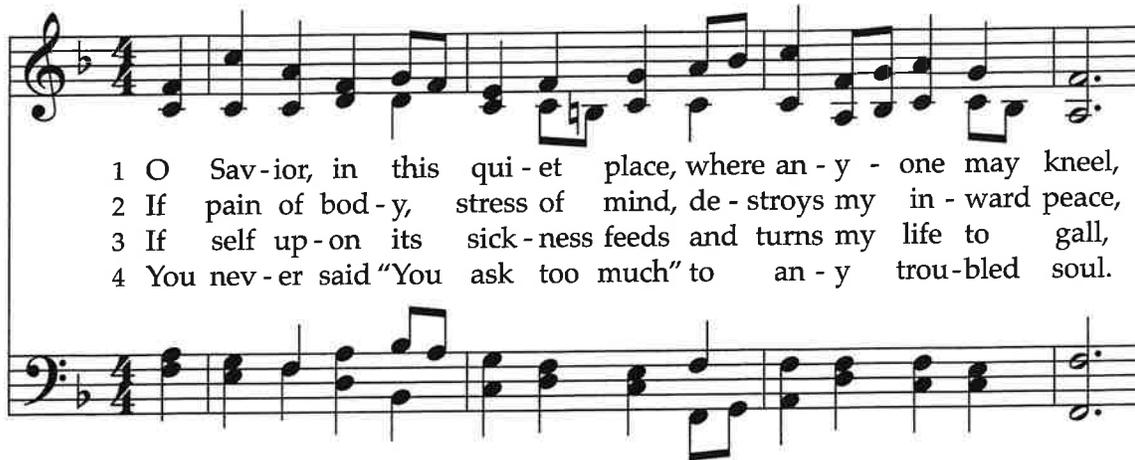
1 The glo - ry of these for - ty days we
 2 A - lone and fast - ing Mo - ses saw the
 3 So Dan - iel trained his mys - tic sight, de -
 4 Then grant that we like them be true, con -

cel - e - brate with songs of praise; for Christ, by whom all
 lov - ing God who gave the law; and to E - li - jah,
 liv - ered from the li - ons' might; and John, the Bride-groom's
 sumed in fast and prayer with you; our spir - its strength-en

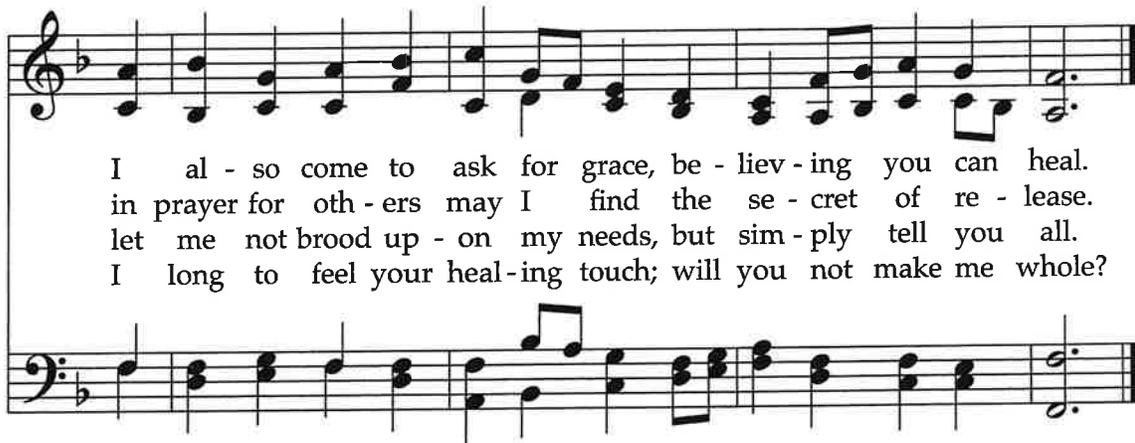
things were made, him - self has fast - ed and has prayed.
 fast - ing, came the steeds and char - i - ots of flame.
 friend, be - came the her - ald of Mes - si - ah's name.
 with your grace, and give us joy to see your face.

Appropriate for singing at any time during Lent, this stately text connects Jesus' wilderness fast with the solitary testing of other prophetic souls: Moses, Elijah, Daniel, and John the Baptist. This sturdy 16th-century chorale melody formed the basis of Bach's *Cantata 126*.

O Savior, in This Quiet Place 794



1 O Sav-ior, in this qui-et place, where an-y-one may kneel,
 2 If pain of bod-y, stress of mind, de-stroys my in-ward peace,
 3 If self up-on its sick-ness feeds and turns my life to gall,
 4 You nev-er said "You ask too much" to an-y trou-bled soul.



I al- so come to ask for grace, be-liev-ing you can heal.
 in prayer for oth-ers may I find the se-cret of re-lease.
 let me not brood up-on my needs, but sim-ply tell you all.
 I long to feel your heal-ing touch; will you not make me whole?

- 5 But if the thing I most desire
 is not your way for me,
 may faith, when tested in the fire,
 prove its integrity.
- 6 Of all my prayers, may this be chief:
 till faith is fully grown,
 Lord, disbelieve my unbelief,
 and claim me as your own.

This prayer for healing was written for the ecumenical St. Barnabas Counseling Centre in Norwich, England. As hymns often do, it provides a model for how to pray honestly but not selfishly. It is set to a tune by an Anglican clergyman who wrote on scientific and musical matters.

Let Us Break Bread Together 525

1 Let us break bread to - geth - er on our knees; (on our knees)
 2 Let us drink wine to - geth - er on our knees; (on our knees)
 3 Let us praise God to - geth - er on our knees; (on our knees)

let us break bread to - geth - er on our knees. (on our knees)
 let us drink wine to - geth - er on our knees. (on our knees)
 let us praise God to - geth - er on our knees. (on our knees)

Refrain

When I fall on my knees, with my face to the ris - ing sun,

O Lord, have mer - cy on me. (on me)

This African American spiritual quite possibly reflects the circumstances of slaves attending early morning communion services in colonial Anglican churches, but its combination of hope ("rising sun") and supplication ("Lord, have mercy") speaks to many worshipers' experience.

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less 353

1 My hope is built on noth-ing less than Je-sus' blood and
 2 When dark-ness seems to hide his face, I rest on his un-
 3 His oath, his cov - e - nant, his blood sup - port me in the
 4 When he shall come with trum-pet sound, O may I then in

righteous-ness; I dare not trust the sweet-est frame, but
 chang-ing grace; in ev-ery high and storm-y gale, my
 whelm-ing flood; when all a-round my soul gives way, he
 him be found, dressed in his right-eous-ness a-lone, fault-

Refrain

whol-ly lean on Je-sus' name.
 an-chor holds with-in the veil. On Christ, the sol-id Rock, I stand; all
 then is all my hope and stay.
 less to stand be-fore the throne.

oth-er ground is sink-ing sand; all oth-er ground is sink-ing sand.

This hymn develops the imagery of Jesus' remark (Matthew 7:24-27/Luke 6:47-49) that those who believe in him and act on that belief are like someone who builds a house on a rock. The text is set to a tune created for it by a prolific 19th-century American composer and editor.

OUR WEEKLY PRAYER LIST

To be added in the weekly Prayer List, individuals must give permission for their names to be included. CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE – 732-491-2300 to add a person to the prayer list. Persons requested to be on the prayer list will remain for one month, unless requested to keep for a longer period.

Jackson Alcantara (*grandson of Lori Nielsen*)
*Lynne Angley
John Bertelsen and family (*Brother of Amy Bertelsen-Robles*)
Brad (*friend of Ingrid Hammond*)
Linda Burr (*June Young's sister*)
Pat Byrne (*Sue Harmon's brother-in-law*)
Dorothy Canary (*aunt of Sue Harmon*)
Luis Canton (*Laurie Toth's father*)
Art Cabbage (*father of Laura Draper*)
*Mary Kay Dangremond
Darla Dimatteo
George Doerbecker (*friend of Kristina Scoglio*)
Hank Frank, Jr. (*Deb Teall's partner*)
*Judy Fuller
Marc Gale (*Marie Gale's husband*)
*Marie Gale
*Doris Gulotta
*Joey Hale (*Son of Matt and Laura Hale*)
*Margaret Hathaway
Teresa Prete-Kaltenbach (*friend of the Hajjar family*)
*Susan Kozo
*Patricia Lagay
Jetty Mailangkay (*wife of Rev. Herby Moningka*)
Dennis Maiuro (*Colleen Walker's brother-in-law*)
Patricia Maktal (*friend of Messina Family*)
*Ed Meyer
Elliot Miller (*Larrie Servino's brother*)

Michael Murach (*Kristina Scoglio's cousin*)
Virginia Newton (*Virginia Shaw's mother*)
Lisa Qualben (*friend of Nancy Leardi*)
Jeff Rubin (*friend of June Keehbler*)
*Dave Ryder
Angela Sampoli (*friend of Dawn Adam*)
Cara Moskal Scacco (*niece of June Young*)
Karen Scoglio (*Kristina Scoglio's mother*)
*Lorraine Sheaffer
*Deb Sorensen
Katie Strittmatter (*friend of Kozo-Mollison family*)
Bud Wilson (*friend of Niall Corbalis*)
David Wong
*Lynn Hendricks Wong

Names highlighted in boldface were recently added
*Members of the church

OUR CONDOLENCES AND PRAYERS OF COMFORT

- for the family of Ruth Endicott, long-time active member until her move to Ohio to be with her family. She passed away February 22. The funeral service is tomorrow, March 2nd at 10:00 am here at FPC-M.
- for Tracy Donahue and her family on the passing of her mother, Judith W. Coffey, on February 21. A memorial service is planned for March 7; details will be shared once it becomes available.

PASTORAL CARE:

If you or a family member is in the hospital, please contact Rev. Dr. Fred Garry at (315) 771-3590 or Rev. Khayla J. Henry at (843) 312-7288. **Hospitals no longer contact clergy when a parishioner is admitted.** We are more than ready and glad to visit. Please contact us even if it is to pray for you. You can also call the church office (732) 491-2300 during office hours.

FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY:

David Garry, Coast Guard Cutter Bear, Philadelphia, PA (*Son of Fred & Kathy Garry*)
MSgt. David Hansen, USAF (*Son of Elaine Hansen*)
MC1 Kevin Leitner, U.S. Navy, San Diego, CA (*Sue Harmon's cousin*)
Lt. Cmdr. Krista Marquard, U.S. Public Health Service, Lawrence, KS (*Bill & Susan Marquard's daughter-in-law*)
Major Matthew McQueeney, Pilot & DO, Mountain Home AFB, Idaho (*Son/Stepson of Amy & Pete Bellisano*)
LT John Alexander Petr, U. S. Navy, San Diego, CA (*Pennix Family friend*)
*CPT Bradley Shaver, U. S. Army – Ft. Carson, CO (*Brother/Son of Greg and Julie Walton Shaver*)
CPT Julia Harris Switzer, MD USAF (*Granddaughter of Grace Hammesfahr*)
Petty Officer 1st Class Mason Weingarten, Coast Guard (*Bill & Susan Marquard's grandnephew*)

THIS WEEK

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Thursday, 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

And by appointment for other times

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

Worship Service - Sanctuary and Virtual 9:30 a.m.

Baking Through the Bible – Social Center Kitchen

2nd Hour: Supporting Our Immigrant Neighbors – Chapel
 10:30 a.m.

After Worship Refreshments – Deacons Room . . 10:30 a.m.

Organ Recital – Sanctuary 1:00 p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 2

Horizon Bible Study – PW Lounge/ Zoom 6:00 p.m.

DBSA Support Group – Deacons Room 7:30 – 9:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3

Carol Choir – Choir Room 4:00 p.m.

1st Tuesday – GLOW Room 4:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Deacons Meeting – Chapel 7:30 p.m.

AA Support Group – Deacons Room 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4

Pastoral Bible Study – PW Lounge 10:30 a.m.

Lenten Concert – Sanctuary Noon – 12:30 p.m.

Westminster Choir – Choir Room 6:30 p.m.

Trinity Ringers – Bell Loft 7:00 p.m.

Youth Group – Room 201 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 5

Concord Ringers – Bell Loft 9:30 -10:15 a.m.

Junior Choir – Choir Room 4:15 - 5:00 p.m.

Joy Ringers – Bell Loft 5:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Junior Club – GLOW Room 5:30 - 6:15 p.m.

Covenant Ringers – Bell Loft 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Senior Choir – Choir Room 8:00 - 9:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 6

Women’s AA Support Grp – Deacons Rm. . . 7:30 – 8:30 p.m.

FULL CHURCH CALENDAR ONLINE:

Scan the QR code or visit our website

<https://bit.ly/4emWby6>



CHURCH STAFF:

Senior Pastor/Head of Staff Rev. Dr. Fred G. Garry

Associate Pastor Rev. Khayla J. Henry

Pastor Emeritus Rev. Robert A. Beringer

Parish Associate Rev. Dr. Glory J. Thomas

COMING SOON

Mar 8 Habitat Pancake Breakfast – Dining Room – 10:30 am

Mar 10 PW Coordinating Team – PW Lounge – 11:00 a.m.

Mar 10 Unicameral Board – Chapel/Zoom – 7:30 p.m.

Mar 11 Men’s Breakfast – Dining Room – 7:30 am

Mar 11 Lenten Concert – Sanctuary – Noon - 12:30 pm

Mar 12 Local Mission – Auditorium – 11:45 am

Mar 12 Mission Commission – PW Lounge – 7:00 pm

Mar 15 2nd Hour: A Fool’s Boast – Chapel – 10:30 am

Mar 15 Youth Commission – PW Lounge – 10:30 am

Mar 15 Community Dinner – Social Center – 5:00 pm

Mar 17 B & G Meeting – PW Lounge – 8:00 am

Mar 17 Social Justice – PW Lounge – 7:30 pm

Mar 18 Lenten Concert – Sanctuary – Noon - 12:30 pm

Mar 19 Crafty Ladies – PW Lounge – 1:00 pm

Mar 19 Junior Club – GLOW Room – 5:30 pm

Mar 22 2nd Hour: Psalms – Chapel – 10:30 am

TREASURER’S TWO CENTS

Offerings & Gifts Received February 22

Pledge	\$ 3,512
Non-pledge	\$ 170
Per Capita	\$ 1,856
Other funds	\$ 200

TOTAL: \$ 5,738

OTHER RECEIPTS \$540

(Building Rental and Parking)

HERE ARE WAYS YOU CAN GIVE:

Direct Cash or check in the plate are always welcome!

Online From our website fpcweb.org/give, click on the **Give Online** button. This will redirect you to the Vanco app to set up your donation.

Thank you for your generous support!

Indonesian Pastoral Supply Rev. Leksmana Leonard

Director of Music Ministries Jordan Klotz

Minister of Music Emeritus Brenda Arnold Day

Director for Christian Education Nancy Leardi



TODAY, March 1st

10:30 a.m. in the Chapel

The Social Justice Committee invites you to an informative session and discussion to be led by the Rev. Dr. Shannon Smythe. She serves in a validated ministry of the Presbytery of the Coastlands and on the Social Witness and Restorative Justice Committee of the presbytery. Learn about the situation at Delaney Hall in Newark, which is the largest immigration detention center on the East Coast, and ways to get involved to help immigrants in our community.

FPC FAMILY SCOOP

All the information you need in one place!

If you have a child or youth participating in any of our various programs, including music, THIS IS FOR YOU!

We are streamlining our eblasts so at a glance, families can view what is the schedule for the upcoming week. We also have a section for what's ahead to help families plan their schedule.

Simply scan the QR code to take you to the sign up, and once you have filled this with your email and name, you will be instantly subscribed!

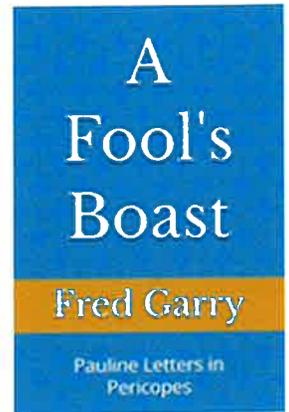
Questions?

See Rev. Khayla Henry, Jordan Klotz, or Nancy Leardi.



We invite our families to participate in the **One Great Hour of Sharing through the Fish Banks**. Take one home for your children to be part of One Great Hour of Sharing. Fish Banks may be picked up at the Narthex, GLOW Room or the CE office. **The Fish Banks will be collected on March 29, Palm Sunday. Let's be generous in sharing to others.**

Rev. Garry's new book is offered as a Lenten devotional with hopes to build you up and mend what has been torn down. These letters of the Apostle Paul to churches presented in pericopes are to be "read with appreciation and care, with caution and trust, with devotion and critique," to bring peace.



Take a copy now and join Rev. Garry in a 2nd Hour on **March 15**. Books are available in the Narthex or the church office for a suggested donation of \$5.



Pathway to Easter: A Simple Family Practice

We invite our families to pick up their Lenten kit from the Narthex.

What is the Lenten kit and why does it matter?

Walk alongside Jesus by filling the path

with words and stones as you recall and reflect on Jesus' journey to the cross. We hope that this visual practice makes faith something tangible, not just hear about, and gently build the rhythm of daily Scripture reading and conversation, without pressure or perfection.

Look for the kits outside the GLOW room, or see Nancy Leardi if you have any questions.

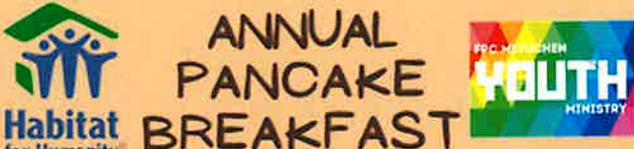


For those attending Camp Johnsonburg this summer, PW is again offering Nancy's Camperships for FPC youth in grades 1 to 12 in the Fall. Camperships are given in memory of Nancy Blomn-Kipnis, an advocate for Camp Johnsonburg. For the 2026 Summer offerings visit <https://www.campjburg.org/summer-camp/>. As you plan for summer camps, take advantage of Nancy's Camperships by filling out a form available in the Narthex, Church office and soon from our website.

FORMS ARE DUE ON MAY 27, Wednesday.



Hear the pipe organ with instrumentalists and singers as our members and their guests perform in this FREE concert open to the public.



ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST
MARCH 8, 2026 AT 10:30AM



Join us for our Annual Pancake Breakfast and let's support our youth as they prepare for Habitat for Humanity in Roanoke, VA. Bring the whole family, and your friends, for breakfast immediately after worship on March 8th. We will have pancakes, sausage, fruit, coffee, tea, and orange juice. All proceeds go directly to our youth to make this year's trip a success!

Questions? Email Rev. Khayla kjohnson@fpcweb.org

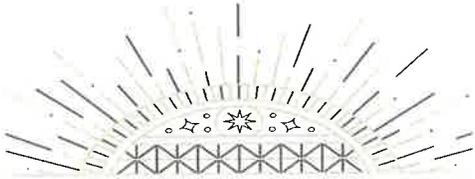


FREE COMMUNITY DINNER
MARCH 15, 5:00 PM
SOCIAL CENTER DINING ROOM

It's St. Patrick's Day, and we are excited to serve for everyone's enjoyment corned beef and cabbage, vegetarian shepherd's pie, salad, rolls and butter, and a homemade dessert! Join us in community and fellowship.

ALL ARE WELCOME!
 We have a place for you!

If you are interested to volunteer, we welcome the extra hands – before, during and after the dinner. Please email Gilly McKie, gilly@mckie.com or call the church office.



LENTEN CONCERT SERIES
WEDNESDAYS AT NOON
IN THE SANCTUARY

- March 4** Ethan Draper, organ
- March 11** Jordan Klotz, organ
- March 18** Lyndon Ji, piano
- March 25** Eleanor Rees, soprano

The Lenten Concert series was off to a great start, and we are excited to have our own Ethan Draper return this week.

Join us for some peace and calm in your day, each Wednesday of Lent. For only half an hour, refresh yourself with beautiful music for quiet reflection.