



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
of Santa Fe

Behold. Be still. Become.

Celebrating **150** *years*

in congregation since 1867,
oldest continuing Protestant church
in the New Mexico Territory

Behold a transforming God who invites us to

- A joyous way of being
- A bolder way of believing
- A deeper way of seeing

Be still and take time to

- Focus on the Spiritual
- Restore your energy
- Experience God's word in scripture, music and art

Become followers of Jesus who are

- Open to God's Spirit
- Trusting, welcoming, caring for one another
- Passionate about including everyone, confronting injustice, and healing the world

NEW TO OUR CHURCH?

- **Parking** can usually be found in the Santa Fe County lot behind the church and at metered parking without charge.
- **Childcare** available Sunday mornings 8:15- 12:15 on the second floor.
- **Ask the Ushers** if you have questions. We have hearing assistance devices and large print bulletins available.
- **New Member Gatherings** are the second Sunday of each month between services in the Rendon Room.
- **Counseling** by arrangement with the Pastoral Counseling Center (988.4131). Medicare and most insurance accepted or sliding scale fees negotiable.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Congregation and the Corporation will be held on Sunday, January 29, in the Sanctuary after the 11:00AM service.

Sunday Services

January 8, 2017

Celebration of Epiphany

Baptism of the Lord

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150TH CELEBRATION SCHEDULE

Details on these events on the last two pages of the bulletin.

TODAY Sunday, January 8

- 8:30AM MorningSong Service in Pope Hall
Between services Cake for the coffee fellowship for the church's birthday and in honor of our confirmation students.
- 9:30AM Presbyterian Educational and Medical Missions in McFarland Chapel
- 11:00AM Worship in the Sanctuary

Wednesday, January 11

- 7:00AM Morning Prayer in McFarland Chapel
- 5:30PM Celtic EvenSong in the Sanctuary

Friday, January 13

- 5:30PM TGIF Concert in the Sanctuary

Saturday, January 14

- 8:00AM Men's Breakfast in Pope Hall
- 10:00AM Women's Coffee in Pope Hall
- 11:30AM History Tour of Church and Archives
- 6:00PM Celebration Dinner* at La Fonda with Tony De La Rosa as keynote speaker
**the Celebration Dinner is the only event that requires reservations*

Sunday, January 15

- 8:00AM Informal Breakfast in Pope Hall
- 8:30AM Former pastors share their memories of the church and Santa Fe in Pope Hall
- 9:30AM Panel discussion in Pope Hall with the denominational leaders from the Presbyterian Church (USA)
- 11:00AM Worship in the Sanctuary with the Rev. Jan Edmiston preaching

Wednesday, January 25

- 7:45PM Birthday Party at Pete's Place

January 8, 2017 11:00AM

►Those who are able may stand

The moments before worship are a transition from “getting here” to “being here.” Take the opportunity to listen to the prelude and quiet one’s mind and become open to the spirit.

GOD CALLS US

PRELUDE

Introit for Epiphany

by Maurice Durufle

PROCLAMATION

Chief Justice William Hayes Pope

►**HYMN 485**

When Know That Christ Is Raised

►**WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP**

bold in unison

Baptized to begin lives of faith,
**we would witness to all you do
in our communities, in our midst, in our world.**

Baptized to serve,
**we would speak up for the voiceless,
we would bring justice to those who have none.**

Baptized to speak,
**we would heal, and not hurt;
we would bless, and not curse.**

Baptized to do what is right,
**we would not play favorites,
but treat each as your Beloved.**

CANDLELIGHTING

In this time of prayer and quiet meditation
you are invited to come forward to light a prayer candle

OPENING PRAYER

bold in unison

Most wonderful God,
foolish and flawed though we are,
we too delight in your beloved Son.

**As in his name we gather in the house of many praises,
may the heavens be opened for us,
that we may catch a glimpse of that Light and Love
that transforms our common days
with a beauty not of our making.
Through Christ Jesus our Lord.
Amen!**

RESPONSE 662

vs. 3, words printed at right

♪ Visit then this soul of mine;
pierce the gloom of sin and grief;
fill me, radiancy divine;
scatter all my unbelief;
more and more thyself display,
shining to the perfect day.

GOD RENEWS US

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 3:15–17

New Revised Standard Version, pg 3

ANTHEM

Chancel Choir

Alleluia, Sing to Jesus

arr. Greg Schneider

SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 42:1–9

New Revised Standard Version, pg 670

MESSAGE Renewal of Baptism

Rev. Dr. Harry Eberts III

► **HYMN** *Behold. Be Still. Become*

by Linda Rice Beck

printed on next two pages

**RECOGNITION OF
MEMBERSHIP**

Confirmation Students Milan Brkić
Sadie Hill
Brian Ortiz

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY *We Need Each Other's Voice to Sing*

by Joel Martinson

*Choir and Congregation
printed on page after hymn*

RESPONSE 667 🎵 Be this, while life is mine,
vs. 4, words printed at right my canticle divine:
may Jesus Christ be praised!
Be this the eternal song
through all the ages long:
may Jesus Christ be praised!

**ORDINATION AND
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

GOD SENDS US ON OUR JOURNEY

► **PASSING OF THE PEACE** 🎵 *Dona nobis pacem, pacem. Dona nobis pacem.*

*752 in the hymnal,
words at right*

► **HYMN 484** *Out of Deep, Unordered Water*

► **BLESSING**

POSTLUDE *Bright Beams~Fantasy for Organ* by Joel Martinson

The service of worship concludes after the postlude. The music can be enjoyed and this time can be used for prayer. You may remain seated or depart quietly.

SERVING TODAY

Officiants: Rev. Dr. Harry Eberts III
Music Director: Linda Raney
Choir Accompanist: David Solem
Liturgists: Drew Hill
Leah Mitchell

Call to Worship by Thom Shuman and Opening Prayer
written by Bruce Prewer and posted on his home page.

WORSHIP COORDINATORS

Worship Chair: Jeannie Bowman
Ushers: James Smock
Liturgists: Sarah Miller
Liturgical Arts: Leah Paalman
Communion: Jane Stringfellow
Malissa Haslam
Outreach: Bruce Black

Behold. Be Still. Become

Written for First Presbyterian Church Santa Fe
in honor of their 150th Anniversary

Linda Rice Beck
ASCAP

$\text{♩} = 150$

mf 1. We be - hold God's beau - ti - ful world, All of cre -
p 2. "Be still and know that I am God," All so said the
f 3. "You have be - come the peo - ple of God." "Go forth in

6

a - tion we praise, All of God's mer - cy,
Lord a - bove, All En - ter the mer pre - sence
peace," God pro - claims, Love all hum - an - i - ty,

11

boun - ty, and kind - ness, In - spir - ing us all of our days.
of the Al - migh - ty, Graced by God's in - fin - ite love.
Live in com - mun - i - ty, Bless - ing and prais - ing God's name!

16

Refrain

mf Be - hold God's glo - ry in all the world,

21

p Be still and lis - ten, *mf* Be - come a child of the

27

Lord our God, Be - hold. Be still. Be - come.

Hymn We Need Each Other's Voice to Sing



Choir 1. We need each oth - er's voice to sing the song our hearts would raise to
Choir 2. We need each oth - er's strength to lift the cross we're called to bear. Each
Choir 3. We need each oth - er's views to see the lim - its of the mind, that
All 4. We need each oth - er's voice to sing, each oth - er's strength to love, each



set the whole world e - cho - ing with one great hymn³ of praise. We
 oth - er's pres - ence is a gift of God's in - car - nate care. When
 God in fact turns out to be far more than we've de - fined, that
 oth - er's views to help us bring our hearts to God a - bove. Our



blend our voi - ces to com - plete the mel - o - dy that starts with
 acts of love and ten - der speech con - vey the Sav - ior's voice, our
 God's one im - age shines in all, in ev - ery class and race, and
 lives like coals placed side by side to feed each oth - er's flame, shall



God who sets and keeps the beat that stirs our lov - ing
 praise ex - ceeds what words can reach and we with song re -
 ev - ery group re - ceives the call to sing with faith and
 with the Spir - it's breath pro - vide a blaze of faith to



hearts. *All* We give our al - le - lu - ias to the chur - ch's com - mon chord: Al - le -
 joyce: *All* We give our al - le - lu - ias to the chur - ch's com - mon chord: Al - le -
 grace: *Choir* We give our al - le - lu - ias to the chur - ch's com - mon chord: Al - le -
 claim: *(All)* We give our al - le - lu - ias to the chur - ch's com - mon chord: Al - le -



lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Praise, O praise, O praise the Lord!
 lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Praise, O praise, O praise the Lord!
 lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Praise, O praise, O praise the Lord!
 lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Praise, O praise, O praise the Lord!

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TODAY

The proclamation from Governor Susana Martinez declaring this week “First Presbyterian Church of Santa Fe Celebration Week” in the State of New Mexico will be read at both services.

At the 9:30 educational hour in the chapel, we’ll learn of the development of the schools and medical clinics, which made such a huge impact in New Mexico. Julia Hudson—who spent some 40 years teaching in the John Hyson mission school in Chimayó—will reflect on some of her experiences, and then Larry Martinez of Presbyterian Medical Services will describe how this institution carries on and has further developed the medical efforts started by the Presbyterian Board of National Missions.

Special Music and Art

The 150th features programs and music in worship composed by talented members of our congregation or by others specifically for the congregation. The January 6 TGIF featured Greg Schneider’s *Melancholy Prelude* played by eSSO and David Beatty’s *Melodie* and *South African National Anthem* played by the Chancel Bell Choir. Our Chancel Choir performs Linda Rice Beck’s *Requiem* at the January 13 TGIF Concert.

We also have two very special pieces that we will be singing this Sunday and next. *We Need Each Other’s Voice* by Joel Martinson was commissioned by the church and the text is especially poignant as we are celebrating the past, the present and the future voices of the church. Linda Rice Beck has composed the hymn *Behold, Be Still, Become* especially for the anniversary celebrations and the congregation and choir will sing it on January 8 and 15.

Please visit the Timeless Treasures on display in the Back Pew Gallery through Sunday, January 22. The History Committee has put together a display for the 150th Celebration of some of the church’s historical objects, artifacts, furniture and books.

All are invited and encouraged to attend all events.

The designation “men’s” or “women’s” only describes who is providing the food.

Men’s Breakfast

The Presbyterian Men’s Breakfast takes part in the 150th celebration weekend by featuring Ana Pacheco, the City Historian of Santa Fe, as our guest speaker. She will give a portion of her popular lecture *Spirituality in Santa Fe* with a focus on the arrival of the Protestant denominations. Ana Pacheco is a writer, editor and publisher whose ancestral roots in Santa Fe stretch back 400 years to the arrival of the Spanish. In 2010 she published the official magazine for Santa Fe’s 400th anniversary. Her most recent book *A History of Spirituality in Santa Fe: The City of Holy Faith* was published in February 2016, and copies will be available for purchase at the breakfast. Join us on Saturday, January 14, at 8:00AM in Pope Hall. All are invited and the men cook—the suggested donation of \$2 for breakfast and coffee is almost 1867 prices!

Women’s Coffee

Historically the women of the church have played key roles in raising funds for the church and carrying out many of the primary responsibilities—teaching church school, gathering people in community, hosting events, and providing some of the best study and faith development opportunities. Carol Winkler is the national elected moderator (president) of the Presbyterian Women’s organization. In speaking at the coffee, she will highlight how women are still at the forefront of many of the activities and missions of the church today. Join us at 10:00AM in Pope Hall.

Party at Pete's

We’re extending our festivities in January to Pete’s Place, 2801 Cerrillos Road. The evening of January 25, as part of Shelter Week, we’ve planned a 150th birthday party at Pete’s Place. After the nutritious dinner we are cooking for the guests, we’ll serve birthday cake and ice cream. To make it a true birthday party, the 150th Task Force is asking for your donation of new clothing items for Pete’s guests that evening.

Donated items of new, warm long-sleeved women’s pullover shirts in sizes medium and large, men’s and women’s socks, gloves, and knitted caps can be placed in the large birthday box located in the church lobby. Please be generous with your donations. Pete’s guests are in need of warm clothing during Santa Fe’s cold winter weather.

Ruling Elder Tony De La Rosa

Interim Executive Director, Presbyterian Mission Agency and Keynote Speaker for the Celebration Dinner on January 14

Ruling Elder Luis Antonio (Tony) De La Rosa has served since December 1, 2015, as the interim executive director of the Presbyterian Mission Agency. Prior to accepting his current call, De La Rosa, a lifelong Presbyterian, most recently served as a commissioned ruling elder and interim lay pastor of Newport Presbyterian Church in Bellevue, Washington. From 2010 to 2013, De La Rosa was the interim executive presbyter of the Presbytery of New York City. He and his husband, Michael P. Bendgen, were married in June 2015 at Immanuel Presbyterian Church in Los Angeles, California, where De La Rosa is a member and its former Clerk of Session. He received Bachelor of Arts, Master of Divinity and Juris Doctor degrees from Yale University.

Rev. Jan Edmiston *Co-Moderator of the 222nd General Assembly (2016) and Guest Preacher for Sunday, January 15*

Jan Edmiston is Co-Moderator of the 222nd General Assembly of the PC(USA) along with her friend and colleague the Rev. Denise Anderson of Maryland. Jan also serves as the Associate Executive Presbyter of the Presbytery of Chicago. Prior to serving at the Mid-Council level, she was a pastor for five years in Albany Presbytery and for 22 years in National Capital Presbytery. Jan has written the blog *A Church for Starving Artists* (<https://achurchforstarvingartists.wordpress.com/>) for over 11 years. She is a national speaker and member of RevGalBlogPals, and her special interests are culture shifts and being a different kind of church in the 21st Century. She is a lifelong Presbyterian. Jan is a native of Chapel Hill, North Carolina, and her family includes her husband the Rev. Fred Lyon who is Pastor of Flossmoor Community Church in Flossmoor, Illinois and their young adult children who live on the East Coast.

MISSION AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

Refugees Speak: An afternoon of intimate conversation with our new neighbors from Syria, Iraq, Afghanistan and Mozambique today from 1:00–3:00PM in the Sanctuary.

Shelter Week January 25–27: First Presbyterian Church working with Westminster Presbyterian Church will provide meals and services again in January. On January 22 and 23 we will ONLY provide help for the services like sleeping bags, storage monitor, etc. January 24 and 25 we provide food and kitchen help. We celebrate our 150th anniversary with a birthday party at the shelter—see the list of gifts requested under the Party at Pete's information on the 150th celebrations. Call Nancy Peterson at 424.0414 or e-mail Mary & Bruce Black or Tom Mott for more information on the shelter week.

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

Notify the church office 982.8544 or office@fpcsantafe.org to add a name to our prayer list.

We pray for Janice Mayer's father Russell who is dealing with complications from cancer.

We pray for Brandon Main, Julia Hudson's great-nephew, dealing with paralysis possibly caused by a viral infection.

We continue to pray for Linda Trujillo's grandniece Brianna, Dick Fallis, Jeff Baker, Ayla Wolff, Dr. Ronald Shumaker, Leo Krulitz, Sheldon Thompson, and Tony Herrera.

We pray for our partners in ministry: the Church of the Holy Faith and the Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis; the Sagua la Grande Church—our brothers and sisters in Cuba; and Westminster Presbyterian Church.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you are blinded by the **Dazzling Pews** when you come in the Sanctuary, thank Anne Maglisceau, Liz Hinds, Lynn and Jim Babcock, Sara Haber, Alice Tinkle, and Judy Crawford. This crew cleaned, polished and removed wax from cushions and pews. Leelah Larson cleaned the carpets so thank you to her as well!

There will be **No Computer Helper/Update Tuesday** this month as we have a busy week this week with the celebration events. Krista will be back answering your computer and device questions next month from 3:00–4:00 on the second Tuesday of the month and from 4:00–5:00 will talk and answer questions on a specific topic. On February 14 the topic will be organizing and storing your photos.

Meet and Pray for Your Mission Co-Workers

Jeff and Christi Boyd

Central Africa

As regional liaison for Central Africa Jeff facilitates support for relationships, programs and activities of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Cameroon, and Equatorial Guinea. Christi works in Madagascar, Niger, Rwanda and South Sudan. She works to remedy the marginalization of women and children in their communities.



Earth Care Tidbit of the Week:

Victory for the environment—and us!!!

President Obama on 12/20/16 banned oil and gas drilling in almost all of our Arctic Ocean and swaths of the Atlantic—forever.

~ alerts@nrdcaction 12/20/16