**Sunday Worship**

**April 7, 2019**

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

8:30AM MorningSong Service in Pope Hall

11:00AM Worship Service in the Sanctuary

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**Holy Week and Easter**

**Palm Sunday—April 14**

8:30AM MorningSong, Pope Hall

10:30AM Worship Service, the Sanctuary

11:30AM Procession to the Plaza for worship with the Cathedral Basilica and Holy Faith.

**Celtic EvenSong—April 17, 5:30PM, the Sanctuary**

A service of creation care, with Celtic songs and liturgy, and Communion. A light meal follows.

**Maundy Thursday—April 18, 5:30PM, the Sanctuary**

On this solemn night we once again hold a Tenebrae service. *Tenebrae* comes from the Latin meaning darkness. Tenebrae is an ancient Christian service where light gradually diminishes symbolizing the darkness of Jesus’ death and the hopelessness in the world without God. The Chancel Choir sings “Were You There” by Bob Chilcott

**Good Friday Concert—April 19, 5:30PM, the Sanctuary**

*Requiem* by Luigi Cherubini, the Chancel Choir with David Solem, organ, and Linda Raney and Travis Bregier, conductors

**Easter Egg Hunt—Saturday, April 20, 10:00AM at Federal Park**

Everyone welcome! Bring your own basket. Refreshments served.

**Easter Sunday—April 21**

6:30AM MorningSong, Rooftop Garden: songs, prayers, renewal of baptism

8:30AM & 11:00AM Worship Service, the Sanctuary: hymns, organ, trumpets, choir

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**Acts II Adult Education, 9:45-10:45AM**

March 31-May 19, in McFarland Chapel

Are you half asleep, mistaking your current state for wakefulness? If you are sleep living, chances are you will find that this class is just what you are looking for! The March-to-May Acts II class will focus on how to be awake to God’s presence in your life, to remove prayer and spiritual practice from whatever box you may have stashed them. Spiritual Directors Christine Vogel and Jeannie Bowman will explore a look at the larger possibilities, using Jane Vennard’s book *Fully Awake and Truly Alive* as a guide for journeying toward a fully awake life.

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**Weekday Worship**

**Wednesday 7–7:30AM—Morning Prayer** McFarland Chapel: contemplative, prayers, Book of Common Prayer

**Wednesday 5:30–6PM—Celtic EvenSong in the Sanctuary** Celtic songs & liturgy, communion, weekly themes: 1st—justice & peace, 2nd—healing, 3rd—creation care, 4th—welcome; 5th—commitment

**Weekday Studies & Ministries**

**Grief Group:** Monday, 4-5:30PM, Rendon Room

**Religion & Science:** 1st/3rd Monday, 7-9pm, Pope Hall C

**Prayer Shawl Ministry:** 1st/3rd Tuesday, 9:30-11:30am Rendon Room

**Fireside Chat with the Mystics:** Tuesday, 5-6pm Rendon Room

**Women’s Bible Study:** 2nd Wednesday, 10AM Rendon Room

**Bible Study:** Friday, 11:30AM-12:30, Rendon Room

**Journaling as a Spiritual Practice:** Last Friday, 11:30AM Pope Hall C

**Men’s Breakfast:** 2nd Saturday, 8-9AM, Pope Hall

**Spanish Bible Study:** Saturday, 9-10AM, Volunteer Room

**Circle of Friends:** 2nd Saturday, 10am, member’s homes
God Calls Us

WELCOME

Prelude

Schönster Herr Jesu

by Hermann Schroeder

CALL to WORSHIP

When God restored us to freedom
it was like a dream!

Our mouths were filled with laughter.
Our tongues sang out our joy.

Then they said among the nations,
‘God has done great things for them!’

Yes, God has done great things for us,
and we are overjoyed.

HYMN 484

Out of Deep, Unordered Water

OPENING PRAYER

For the right roads we avoided traveling,
and the kindly words were fused to share;
for the false god who received our worship
and the true selves we have starved of love . . .

God, by your grace,

forgive us.

—Silence is kept—

Hear and believe these words of Jesus:

Your sins are forgiven.
Go in peace.
Come and follow me.
Amen.

RESPONSE HYMN 291

Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness (verse 1)

God Renews Us

SCRIPTURE

Revelation 22:1-7

BLESSING

The Youth and the Congregation exchange the following blessing:

In body, mind, and spirit, may you be well this day.
And may you be strong for the work of healing in the world.

MESSAGE

Then the Angel Showed Me a River

The Rev. Dr. Harry Eberts III

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE

We pray for people and places, silently or aloud, and respond together:

May they know the deep peace of Christ.
You are invited to come forward to light a prayer candle during the time of meditation.

Shall We Gather at the River (verse 1)

The River of the Water of Life
by Malcolm Archer

In the Lord I’ll Be Ever Thankful

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
And also with you.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.
It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks and praise . . .

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

Communion is by intinction: take a piece of bread and dip it in the chalice.
Gluten-free wafers and cups of juice are available on the Communion Table.

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Dona nobis pacem, pacem. Dona nobis pacem.

For the Healing of the Nations

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

Chorale Prelude on Drop, Drop, Slow Tears, Opus 104 (1968)
by Vincent Persichetti

SERVING TODAY

Officiant: Rev. Dr. Harry Eberts III
Liturgist: Thomas Shumaker
Organist/Music Director: Linda Raney
Assistant Organist: David Solem
Assistant Choir Director: Travis Bregier
Children's Ministry: Jill McCormick

WORSHIP COORDINATORS

Worship & Music: Paul Vogel
Ushers: Penney Poole, Alice Tinkle
Liturgists: Rebecca Heindel, interim
Liturgical Arts: Karin Lerew
Communion: Malissa Haslam, Barbara Ivy
Outreach: Betty Jones
**Announcements**

**Men’s Breakfast** 8AM Saturday, April 13, in Pope Hall. We will hear from Peter Wirth, NM Senate Majority Leader, about the outcome of the NM Legislature session. We will begin with Linda Raney playing *Let There Be Peace on Earth*. The Beatitudes will be read and then breakfast served. After Peter’s report and discussion, we will conclude with *Dona Nobis Pacem*. RSVP to John Whitcomb 982-3921 or the Presbyterian Men’s Breakfast FPC Santa Fe Facebook page.

All women are invited to join **Circle of Friends** on Saturday, April 13, 10AM-12, at the home of Melissa Haslam. We continue with *The Breath of the Soul: Reflections on Prayer* by Joan Chittister; no pre-reading required. Circle of Friends is a welcoming group of fellowship and spiritual growth, for women new or old to the church and community, who seek a deeper connection with other women. You are warmly invited to drop in and find out what we are all about. For more info, contact Jenny Harland at harlandjn@gmail.com.

Join Linda Biehl and Steve Gish for a book signing of *Amy Biehl’s Last Home*, Friday, April 26, 5:30-7:30PM, Santa Fe School of Cooking. Limited seating; please RSVP to linda.abf@gmail.com.

"I am sharing this invitation with our many friends at the church. My daughter Molly and I enjoyed being with you at the great anniversary event and reconnecting with old friends and meeting new ones. Santa Fe was a great influence on Amy and hope some friends might join me (and Molly) at this event."

Linda Biehl

The Worship & Music Committee invites you to donate a lily for Easter services on Sunday, April 21. Order forms are available in the lobby. Please put completed forms in the offering plate or in the Office Manager’s mailbox. Forms are due by April 14, Palm Sunday.

Third Sunday Lunch continues on Easter. We will gather at Café Sonder on Guadalupe St. after the 11:00 service. We order from the menu and receive separate checks. While reservations aren’t necessary, because of Easter it will be best if we estimate our count. If you plan to come, please sign the sheet in the lobby. Everyone is welcome to enjoy a special fellowship of this festive day.

**Earth Day, April 22, 6pm, in Pope Hall**—come join us for a meal and a movie: *John Muir, The Unruly Mystic*. Other Earth Week events at earth-keepers.org/events/

**Music and Art**

**TGIF 10th Anniversary Season, Friday at 5:30PM:** Melissa Colgin Abeln and Carol Redman, flutes with Linda Raney, organ. Flute duos of Telemann and Kuhlau, and the Hamburg Sonata for flute and continuo by C.P.E. Bach.

**Back Pew Gallery** — Our current show is called "Pathways : A Journey". We’re waiting for your visit. Come in and see these wonderful pieces of art.

Attention Artists:: We are looking for your art work to be shown in our next show “PIECES”. Quilts, collages, triptychs, and anything in between. All mediums accepted. All art must be ready for display and will be received on Sunday, April 28 from 8:30-11AM. No late entries will be accepted. Questions? Call Barb Hutchison 982.0684 or Carol Fallis 670.9250.

**Prayers and Praise**

*Please notify the church office (office@fpcsantafe.org or 982.8544) to add or remove a name on our prayer list.*

**We pray for:** Anna Marie Houser, Burt Alpert (friend of the Trimmers), Chandler and Jenny (children of Susan and Al Clark), Darlene Otero and Erin Armstrong (friends of Janis Gonzales), Rev. Katharine Rice (Gwen Fuller’s sister), Charlie Stringfellow, Cheri Schumann, Mary Melodie Schneider, David Ingalls, Kati Schwartz, Susan Sloter, Dan Crane, Marcella Ortiz, Sheldon Thompson, Jeff Baker, Brianna (Linda Trujillo’s granddaughter), Jennifer Elliott, Jane & Jene Alexander, Bess Brooks.

**And our ministry partners:** Westminster Presbyterian, Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis, Episcopal Church of the Holy Faith, and Sagua la Grande Church—our brothers and sisters in Cuba.

Charlie Stringfellow is at Albuquerque’s Medical Resort at Fiesta Park, 8820 Horizon Blvd. N.E. 87113. Visiting hours are 7:30am to 8pm but check his PT schedule first.

La EpÍstola (Summer) will be published May 15. The deadline to submit articles, photos, event news is April 15. Let everyone hear from you and your group. Three ways to contribute: frontdesk@fpcsantafe.org, bring to the church office, or place in Rebecca’s mailbox.

**Earth Care Tidbit:** Many daily activities create greenhouse gas emissions. Calculate your footprint at www3.epa.gov/carbon-footprint-calculator/PCUSA Daily Reflection Calendar for Lent 2019