Sunday Worship
October 20, 2019

8:30AM MorningSong in the Sanctuary
11:00AM Worship Service in the Sanctuary

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ACTS II ADULT EDUCATION
9:45-10:45AM IN POPE HALL

Live Generously! The Stewardship Committee hosts a hands-on event where everyone —children, youth, and adults—can help prepare items for one of the groups we support. Stewardship is much more than a monetary pledge.

WEEKDAY STUDIES & MINISTRIES

Religion & Science: 1st/3rd Mon., 7-9pm, Pope Hall C
Prayer Shawl Ministry: 1st/3rd Tues., 9:30-11:30am, Rendon Room
Environmental Ethics: Tues., Noon-1pm, Rendon Room
Fireside Chat with the Mystics: Tues., 5-6pm, Rendon Room
Presbyterian Women: 2nd Weds., 10AM, Rendon Room
Bible Study: Fri., 11:30AM-12:30, Rendon Room
Journaling as a Spiritual Practice: Last Fri., 11:30AM, Pope Hall C
Spanish Bible Study: Sat., 9-10AM, Volunteer Room
Men’s Breakfast: 2nd Sat., 8-9AM, Pope Hall
Circle of Friends: 2nd Sat., 10am, member’s homes

Journaling as a Spiritual Practice meets this month on Friday, October 25, at 11:30 in Pope Hall. This month’s class will be writing about the subject of trust while journaling our spiritual path. Newcomers to the class are welcomed, whether just interested in the subject or with seasoned journal-keeping experience. The class is based on Christina Baldwin’s book Life's Companion. Having the book is not a requirement. Please bring a journal and writing instrument with you to class. Facilitator: Jeannie Bowman, Spiritual Director.

WEEKDAY WORSHIP

Wednesday 7–7:30am—Morning Prayer McFarland Chapel: contemplative, prayers, Book of Common Prayer
Wednesday 5:30–6pm—Celtic EvenSong, Sanctuary: Celtic songs & liturgy, communion, weekly themes: week 1—justice & peace, week 2—creation care, week 4—welcome; week 5—commitment
A light supper is served after EvenSong.
I embrace the term 'evangelical', if by that we mean a belief that we together can actually work for change in the world, caring for the environment, extending to the poor generosity and kindness, a hopeful outlook. That's a beautiful sort of thing. **Rob Bell**

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**God Calls Us**

**Prelude**

*Mass of the 2nd Tone* by Andre Raison

**Welcome**

**Introit Hymn 24**

*God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens* (verse 1)

**Call to Worship**

*Sing a psalm to God, you faithful people; give thanks to God's holy name.*

God’s anger lasts for a moment,

*God’s grace lasts for a lifetime.*

Tears may linger through the night,

*but joy comes in the morning.*

**Hymn 12**

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

**Opening Prayer**

*In gratitude for this moment, this place, those around us, Christ among us, we give ourselves to you our God.*

Worship Resource from the Presbyterian Church (USA)

*Take us out to live as changed people because we have met the risen Christ and cannot be the same.*

Ask much of us, expect much from us, enable much by us, encourage many through us.

*So we may live to your glory both as inhabitants of earth and citizens of the commonwealth of heaven.*

Amen.

**Response Hymn 711**

*Lord of All Good* (verse 2)

**Moment for Generosity**

Diane Buchanan and Rick Andrew

**Anthem**

*You are the Peace of All Things Calm* by Alan Smith

**Expression of Devotion**

Recognition of New Members

**Response Hymn 306**

*Blessed Be the Ties that Bind* (verse 1)
I Timothy 6:18-19

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.

The Life that Really is Life

Rev. Dr. Harry Eberts III

Break Thou the Bread of Life

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.

His Eye is On the Sparrow (verse 1)

Simple Gifts    arr. Hal Hopson

Like your words, O God, the tangible gifts with which we are blessed
are not to be hoarded or hidden away for rainy days. Rather we offer them so they might bring healing, hope, grace, and peace to all around us, your children. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.

We welcome our visitors.

Dona nobis pacem, pacem. Dona nobis pacem.

Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak

Arrival of the Queen of Sheba

by G. F. Handel

God Sends Us

Officiant: Rev. Dr. Harry Eberts III
Liturgist: Barb Hutchison
Organist/Music Director: Linda Raney
Assistant Organist: David Solem
Assistant Choir Director: Travis Bregier
Associate Musician: David Beatty
Worship & Music: Paul Vogel
Ushers: Penney Poole & Alice Tinkle
Liturgists: Tom Kingston
Liturgical Arts: Karin Lerew
Communion: Malissa Haslam & Barbara Ivy
Outreach: Betty Jones
ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sunday, October 27, Mission and Social Justice Committee, Stewardship Committee, and Acts II Ministry are sponsoring a Ministry and Mission Fair about the ongoing ministries within First Presbyterian and the local community organizations that we support. Come learn how you might be inspired to participate!

2020 Calendars and Greeting Cards. We are collecting unwanted/unused 2020 calendars and greeting cards of all kinds—holiday, general, special occasion—to distribute to those incarcerated at the State Penitentiary south of Santa Fe. For easy sorting, please attach cards to their envelopes with a rubber band or paperclip. A collection box is located by the counter in the lobby.

Worship & Music Committee will hold a Roundtable on Wednesday, November 13, at 6:30PM in the Sanctuary, to give members and regular attendees an opportunity to bring their worship/music thoughts and concerns to committee members. If you are interested in attending, please RSVP Paul Vogel: pvogel5400 at gmail.com

Prayer Candles. Each week, we are invited to light a candle for someone or some occurrence for which we are praying. Do you wonder where these beeswax candles originate? Each one is hand-dipped by a monk at St. Michael the Archangel Monastery in Canones, near Lake Abiquiu. A member of our congregation makes the trip every three months to replenish our supply. Smaller remains are returned to the monastery to be melted down and reused. Larger stubs, too small to last through the worship service, make good personal meditation and devotional candles. Bundles of these are available on the counter in the Lobby. Feel free to take one for your quiet spiritual moments. For additional information, contact Jeannie.bowman17 at gmail.com

Music and Art

TGIF Concert Series 11th Season, Friday at 5:30PM: Air & Hammers: Maxine Thévènot, organ and piano, and Edmund Connolly, baritone.

Back Pew Gallery — Our new show, Collaborative Works, is up and ready for your visit. Come in and enjoy. The show runs through November 3.

Calling all artists for our next show "Doors, Windows and Mailboxes". All mediums accepted—one or two pieces ready for display. Art will be received on Sunday, November 3, 8:30 to 11:00AM. No late entries accepted.

It’s time again for our "Ornaments, Ornaments, Ornaments" sale. Please bring in your new or gently used ornaments and place them in the box in the lobby. Ornaments need to be in by November 24. Sale begins on December 1.

Questions about either of these shows? Call Carol Fallis 670.9250 or Barb Hutchison 982.0684.

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

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

I find myself short of words to express my gratitude for your kindness and support through our storm. We were given strength by friends like you when we were weary. On behalf of my whole family, thank you. Eliza Sultan and Henry and Maizie.

We pray for: Lori Tormey (Thomas and Alexander Shumaker’s cousin), Dr. Ronald C. Shumaker (Thomas’s father and Alexander’s grandfather), Madeleine Wright, Jeannie H. Barrera (Lisa Barrera’s mother), JoAnn Hays (Pauline Toevs’ sister), Anton Brkic, Laurie Wisdom, Janis Chitwood, Elisa Bowles (CDC teacher), Ron Ball, Teresa Gomez (friend of Janis Gonzales), Chandler & Jenny (Susan & Al Clark’s children), Erin Armstrong (friend of Janis Gonzales), Mary Melodie Schneider, David Ingalls, Susan Slotter, Marcella Ortiz, Sheldon Thompson, Jeff Baker, Brianna (Linda Trujillo’s grandniece), Jennifer Elliott.

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.

Earth Care Tidbit: Eliminating incandescent light bulbs nationwide—a 2007 regulation—would save electricity equivalent to the output of at least 25 large power plants. NYTdige@NYTimes 9/11/19