To desire more than we possess is a timeless human struggle. Whether a desire to possess someone else's good looks, a house in the best neighborhood, or even the neighbor's spouse, humans swing with the pendulum from desire to contentment. We know this about ourselves. And yet, here we find ourselves in the twenty-first century with the same old longings and leanings. At our fingertips are myriad methods for practicing gratitude, mindfulness, and apps that coach us to embrace the moment. Whether modern or ancient, we humans lose our focus, become itchy in our lives, and are prone to wander from what we profess and value most.

Paul and Jesus knew all of this about us too. That's why Paul instructed his readers to "take hold of the life that really is life." For the same reason, Jesus became known for teaching, "Do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear." When we are focused on the gifts of the present moment directly before us, everything changes. The ordinary becomes a miracle. And life becomes life in the fullness of God.

-from the writings of Elizabeth Mangham Lott in the Giving: Growing Joyful Stewards in Your Congregation magazine, volume 19

As you worship today and throughout this week, be mindful about celebrating the gifts of the moment. How is God calling you to let go of your worries and modify your desires so that you can become more generous?

**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—healing, week 3—creation care, week 4—welcome; week 5—commitment A light supper is served after EvenSong.

**ACTS II ADULT EDUCATION**

**9:45-10:45AM IN POPE HALL**

**November 3:** On All Saints’ Day we will recognize the saints among us by highlighting the ways our congregation has been instrumental in initiating and supporting programs that care for our planet and those who inhabit it: Earth Keepers 360, English Language Learner (ELL), New Mexicans to Prevent Gun Violence, Interfaith Community Shelter, Feeding Santa Fe, and Interfaith Coalition for Public Education

**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

**Circle of Friends.** All women are invited to join us for our Saturday gathering, November 9, from 10am-noon, at the home of Jenny Harland. We are an open group with the purpose of spiritual growth, for women new or old to the church and community, who seek a deeper connection with other women in a smaller group. We are reading The Breath of the Soul: Reflections on Prayer by Joan Chittister. We are an informal group, women attend when able, the short reflections are read together. Your voice and ideas will be honored. You are warmly invited to drop in and find out what we are all about. For more information, email Jenny: harlandjn at gmail.com.
I am reminded of the biblical use of the term saint in the book of Acts, that it applies to each of us, all who are attempting to imitate the Christ in their lives merit the title of 'saint'. Some do it more fully than others and are willing to let go of more to get the job done.  

Matthew Fox

PRELUDE  
Requiem aeternam I  
by Eleanor Daley

Grant them rest eternal, Lord our God, we pray to thee.

Each night I listened for your call,  
when your call stopped I held my breath, suspended,  
I’d grown accustomed to a dialogue with silence,  
Then wait for the sounds of night.  
Each night I listened for your call,  
you, dying, and I but witness to the end.

Text from Missa pro defunctis
and by Carolyn Smart

WELCOME

CALL to WORSHIP  
bold in unison  
from Psalm 148

Praise God from the heavens,  
praise God in the highest of heavens.

Praise God, all you angels,  
all you who live in God’s presence.

Praise God, sun and moon  
and all you glittering stars.

Praise God, mountains and hills,  
orchards and great forests.

Praise God, men and women alike,  
young and old together.

Let us praise and honor God’s name,  
whose glory abounds forever.

HYMN 10  
Sing Glory to the Name of God

OPENING PRAYER  
Please be seated  
bold in unison

written by Rev. Susannah DeBenedetto, and posted on LiturgyLink

We remember…

…teachers and storytellers  
who made God’s stories come alive for us  
and We give thanks!

We remember…

…choir members, praise bands, organists,  
and all the musicians who sang and played your praises  
and We give thanks!

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We remember…

...preachers and lay leaders
who led our worship through the years
and We give thanks!

We remember…

...parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, sisters, and brothers
who sat with us on Sundays and lived out their faith all week long
and We give thanks!

We remember…

...our church families – this one and others we have loved.
We remember all those who have been a part of this faith family
and We give thanks!

We remember…

...our ancestors in the faith
whose courage enables us to be here today.
For our sisters and brothers in the faith
whose names are remembered only by God
We give thanks!

We remember…

...our church families – this one and others we have loved.
We remember all those who have been a part of this faith family
and We give thanks!

RESPONSE

Chancel Choir
and soloist
Travis Bregier, baritone

Out of the Deep
by Eleanor Daley

Out of the deep have I called unto Thee, O Lord: hear my voice.
O let Thine ears consider well: the voice of my complaint.
Lord wilt be extreme to mark what is done amiss:
O Lord, who may abide it?
For there is mercy with Thee: therefore Thou be feared.
I look for the Lord: my soul doth wait for Him:
And in His word is my trust.

My soul fleeth unto the Lord: before the morning watch, I say.

O Israel, trust in the Lord, for with the Lord there is mercy:
And with Him is plenteous redemption.
And He shall redeem Israel from their sins.

Out of the deep have I called unto Thee, O Lord. (Lord, hear my voice.)
Text from Psalm 130

MOMENT for GENEROSITY

Judy Crawford

GOD RENEWS US

SCRIPTURE
Revelation 21:1-4

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.
And God Shall Wipe Away All Tears

**by Eleanor Daley**

I heard a voice out of heaven saying,  
“Behold, the dwelling of God is with all people  
And God shall dwell with them  
And they shall be God’s people.  
God shall be with them  
And the voice of weeping shall no more be heard:

And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes,  
And there shall be no more death,  
And there shall be no more death,  
Neither sorrow, nor crying,  
Neither shall there be any more pain,  
For the former things are passed away.”

Lux aeterna luceat eis.

I am the resurrection and the life, saith the Lord:  
He that believeth in me, though he were dead,  
Yet shall he live:  
and whosoever liveth and believeth in me  
shall never, never die.  

Text from Revelation 21:3-4

**PRAYERS of the PEOPLE**

We pray for people and places, silently or aloud, and respond together:  
May they know the deep peace of Christ.

**SILENT MEDITATION**

and PRAYER CANDLES

You are invited to come forward to light a prayer candle.

**MEDITATION**

**Chancel Choir**

In Remembrance  
by Eleanor Daley

Do not stand at my grave and weep.  
I am not there, I do not sleep.  
I am a thousand winds that blow,  
I am the diamond glint on snow,  
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,  
I am the gentle morning rain.  
And when you wake in the morning’s hush,  
I am the sweet uplifting rush of quiet birds in circled flight.  
I am the soft stars that shine at night.  
Do not stand at my grave and cry,  
I am not there, I did not die.  

Text by Mary Elizabeth Frye

The LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING
I Heard a Voice from Heaven

I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me,
“Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord,
For they rest from their labours:
Even so saith the spirit.”

Text from the Burial Service, 1662 Book of Common Prayer

The Lord be with you.

Lift up your hearts.

And also with you.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

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.

Thou Knowest, Lord

In the midst of life we are in death.
Thou knowest, Lord, the secrets of our hearts;
Shut not Thy merciful ears to our prayer;
But spare us, Lord most holy.
Lord most holy, O God most mighty,
O holy and merciful Saviour,
Thou most worthy Judge Eternal,
Suffer us not, at our last hour,
for any pains of death to fall from Thee.
Spare us, Lord, most holy.

Thou knowest, Lord, the secrets of our hearts.

from the Burial Service
1662 Book of Common Prayer

We welcome our visitors.

Dona nobis pacem, pacem. Dona nobis pacem.
HYMN 326  
For All the Saints (verses 1-4)
Between verses, the names of Departed Saints will be read.
May they rest in peace eternal.

BLESSING

POSTLUDE  
Requiem aeternam II and In paradisum  
by Eleanor Daley

Grant them rest eternal, Lord our God, we pray to thee.

The stillness is a room I’ve moved into,  
and you are not here, you are gone.

The dark heart of a night without song,  
Go forth upon Thy journey from this world,  
Go forth, O Christian soul,  
in the name of God the Father, the Son and Holy Sprit  
in the company of the blessed angels and archangels  
and all the heavenly host.

May Thy Portion this day be in peace  
and Thy dwelling place in Jerusalem.

Text from Missa pro defunctis,  
from a Russian benediction,  
and by Carolyn Smart

Linda Raney, Director of Music/Organist
David Solem, Assistant Organist
Travis Bregier, Assistant Choir Director
David Beatty, Associate Musician

Sopranos
Linda Beck
Johanna Friedrich
Anna Meike Gassmeyer
Susan Harris
Mary Ann Lundy
Nancy Maret
Jill McCormick
Elizabeth Roghair

Altos
Nina Brown
Margaret Dean
Amy Gross
Judi Haines
Jenny Harland
Barb Hutchison
Joy Ice
Sue Kingston

Tenors
Darryl Bowman
Keytha Jones
Chantal Quincy

Basses
David Beatty
Travis Bregier
Kelly Johnson
John Pasch
Howard Turner
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Worship & Music: Paul Vogel
Ushers: Penney Poole & Alice Tinkle
Liturgists: Tom Kingston
Liturgical Arts: Karin Lerew
Communion: Malissa Haslam & Barbara Ivy
Outreach: Betty Jones
We remember those Departed Saints who have left us during the last year.

Members and Friends of First Presbyterian Church

William Amorous
Bess Brooks
Marge Denniston
Anna Marie Houser
Mary Beth Jones
The Rev. Raymond Kersting
Kerry King
Barbara G. (Bobby) Plauth

Member of the church
Friend of the church
Former member of the church and friend of Barb Hutchison
Member of the church
Member of the church
Friend of the church
Member of the church
Member of the church

Others to Be Remembered

Carlynn Nicole Beatty
John Brooks
John Chittum
Edwin J. Delattre
Judi Dixon
Charles Foster
Darol Helweg
Robert Latimer
Jack R. Moore
Sherman Harrison Neal
Malcolm Offield
Rachel Pringle
James Edwin "Eddie" Saltz
Marvin VanDilla
Betty Jean Wulff
Joshua Ditlow Yuan

Niece of Anne and Ed Maglisceau
cousin of Ron Latimer
cousin of Ron Latimer
Lifelong friend and mentor to Sue and Tom Kingston
Aunt of Shellie Follmer
Friend of David Beatty
Good friend of John Vanderhagen
nephew of Ron Latimer
Brother-in-law of Judy Montaño
Beloved Uncle of Linda Beck
brother-in-law of Ron Latimer
Friend of David Beatty
Friend to many in Santa Fe
Faithful attendee and supporter of the TGIF Concert Series
Dear friend and Ohio neighbor of Jim and Linda Beck
Infant son of Kristin Ditlow Yuan and John Yuan,
friends of David Beatty and Travis Bregier

We also remember
all those whose names we do not know
and who have no one to speak for or remember them.
If you haven’t already done so please pick up your **Live Generously pledge packet** in the church lobby today. On November 17 we will be dedicating and celebrating our pledges in support of the 2020 budget during worship. The Stewardship Committee hopes you will join with us as we “take hold of the life that really is life” (I Timothy 6: 18–19) and achieve our budgetary goal of $500,000 enabling FPC to continue to do great things in the new year.

**Prepared by Men’s Breakfast:** Saturday November 9 at 8:00AM in Pope Hall, guest speaker, Alan Hook who is Water Resource Analyst City of Santa Fe Water Resource Division will describe the current outlook for Santa Fe in his talk *Ten Years of Watershed Protection Success*. Prepare your questions for the Q&A. All are welcome. Contact John Whitcomb 982-3921 or visit church web page to RSVP

**2020 Calendars and Greeting Cards.** Donations of unused 2020 calendars and greeting cards for those incarcerated at the State Penitentiary are being collected in a box in the lobby. Please attach cards to envelopes.

**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 @ gmail.com

If you bring a coat or jacket for the shelter and leave it in the cloak room, please label it so I can take it to the shelter! Also, there is a need at the shelter for socks and winter clothing! Thank you.

**Meet and Pray for Your Mission Co-Workers**

*Ellen and Alan Smith work in Germany, Russia, and Belarus.* Their ministry is one of reconciliation, fulfilling the biblical call to help people be reconciled to one another and to God thru Jesus Christ.

**Contemplative silence Forum:** **Exploring Centering Prayer.** Sunday, November 10, 9:30–10:30AM, Koinonia Hall, Westminster Presbyterian. Two wonderful local presenters, Frances Kean and Jim Bailey, will offer an introduction to Centering Prayer. They are both team members of Contemplative Outreach of New Mexico, part of an international organization that supports and offers teachings in the contemplative practice of Centering Prayer.

**Earth Care Tidbit:** Choose life; heaven & earth are called as witnesses and our relationship with God is intimately tied with how we live on the land. Deuteronomy 30:15-20 summarized