

Behold. Be still. Become.

Celebrating 150 years

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

HOSPITALITY

First Presbyterian Church is an inclusive, reconciling congregation which welcomes into its worship and full membership all persons who profess faith in Jesus Christ regardless of race, age, gender, disability, sexual orientation, or economic status.

We are delighted you joined us today and invite you to register your presence with us on the friendship sheets. On Sundays **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 or need assistance.

Do you want to become a member and/ or learn more about the church? New member gatherings on the second Sunday of each month between services in the Rendon Room. Contact the church office (982.8544) if you have questions about how to become involved in the church.

Counseling by arrangement with the Pastoral Counseling Center (988.4131). Medicare and most insurance accepted or sliding scale fees negotiable.

A special **150**th **Anniversary Task Force** has been meeting monthly on the third Tuesday of the month at **12**:00_{NOON}. You are welcome to join in as we finalize celebration plans. We also have some immediate needs:

- Photos of weddings and other special events that have taken place through the years in the church.
 These will be used in a slideshow at the anniversary dinner. Send or give them to Krista in the church office.
- Airline mileage points to bring national church figures here for the celebration weekend.
- Persons to head and work with others in carrying out a number of events being planned, especially someone interested in planning a "homecoming"/reunion event.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

There will be a gathering for those who are interested in helping with the program for the coming school year on Wednesday, August 10, at 5:30_{PM}. Bring some food to share. Thank you!

Jill McCormick children-youth@fpcsantafe.org 699.5093.

Sunday Services August 7, 2016

208 Grant Avenue Santa Fe, NM 87501 505.982.8544 fpcsantafe.org

WORSHIP & MUSIC

Pick up a copy of the **TGIF Brochure** including the schedule through the end of the year for yourself and your friends and neighbors from the TGIF display case across from the Grant Avenue glass doors. Spread the word about the TGIF Concert series, one of the hundred greatest things about Santa Fe. The concerts feature local, national and international musicians in concert every Friday at 5:30_{PM} at no charge—just a freewill offering accepted.

Opera Apprentice Andrew Maughan, from Woods Cross, Utah, earned BM at University of Utah and MM at Indiana University. He was Young Artist at Glimmerglass Festival where he sang Cacambo and covered Candide Candide. He was Alfred in Fledermaus and Frederick in Pirates of Penzance for Ohio Light Opera. He performed in Face on the Barroom Floor Grand Junction Symphony. He was Eisenstein Fledermaus and Rodolfo Boheme for Indiana University. SFO Andrew covers Nick Fanciulla, sings Diener 1 Capriccio and covers Anatol Vanessa.

Flowers Make the Difference: The Worship & Music Committee would like to invite you to join us if flowers are a special interest of yours. We are looking for someone who will coordinate weekly flower gifts for memorials and honorariums from the congregation with a florist. If you feel a tug to be involved in this ministry, please call the Worship & Music Chair Jeannie Bowman at 610.764.4817, or e-mail her at jeannie. bowman 17@gmail.com.

August 7, 2016 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 When Love Is Found by Emma Lou Diemer

HYMN 13

The Mighty God with Power Speaks

WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP Creator of the world, eternal God,

bold in unison

Redeemer of humanity, God-with-us,

We have come from many places for a little while.

We have come with all our differences, seeking common ground.

Spirit of unity, go-between God,

We have come on journeys of our own,

To a place where journeys meet. So here, in this shelter house,

Let us take time together.

For when paths cross and pilgrims gather, There is much to share and celebrate.

In your name, three-in-one God, Pattern of community. Amen.

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

O God, set your blessing on us As we begin this day together.

Confirm us in the truth by which we rightly live;

Confront us with the truth from which we wrongly turn.

We ask not for what we want, But for what you know we need,

As we offer this day and ourselves for you and to you,

Through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Amen.

RESPONSE 688

vs. 5, words printed at right

Teach me to love thee as thine angels love, one holy passion filling all my frame; the baptism of the heaven-descended Dove,

my heart an altar, and thy love the flame.

GOD RENEWS US

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 50:1-8 New Revised Standard Version, pg 519

> The Lord Is My Light by Frances Allitsen **SOLO**

Andrew Maughan, tenor

Luke 12:32-40 **SCRIPTURE READING** New Revised Standard Version, pg 74

> **MESSAGE** Blessed Are Those

Rev. Dr. Harry Eberts III

COMMUNION The Lord be with you.

Lift up your hearts.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

And also with you. We lift them up to the Lord. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks and praise...

Sanctus

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.

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY

Were You There Andrew Maughan, tenor

arr. Harry Burleigh

RESPONSE 643

vs. 3, words printed at right

All praise and thanks to God, who reigns in highest heaven, to Father and to Son and Spirit now be given: the one eternal God, whom heaven and earth adore, the God who was, and is, and shall be evermore

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 819** Be Still, My Soul

BLESSING

POSTLUDE Praeludium in f# minor, BuxWV 146 by Dietrich Buxtehude

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

Rev. Dr. Harry Eberts III

Rev. Charles Spring

Music Director: **Linda Raney**

Portions of today's liturgy from the Iona Community's

Iona Abbey Worship Book.

WORSHIP COORDINATORS

Worship Chair: Jeannie Bowman **Ushers:** James Smock **Liturgists:** Sarah Miller **Liturgical Arts:** Jane Alexander

Leah Paalman

Communion: Jane Stringfellow

Malissa Haslam

Outreach: **Bruce Black**

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

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

The Mass of the Resurrection for the Rev. Canon Kenneth J.G. Semon, rector of the Church of the Holy Faith, will be at Holy Faith Wednesday, August 10, at 10:00AM.

We continue to pray for C.C. Wright, Jane Stringfellow, Betty Thompson, Leo Krulitz, Sheldon Thompson, Anna Marie Houser, Bill Range, Fred Miller, Ayla Wolff, Arlena Jackson, Teyton Pressley, 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.

WORSHIP & STUDY

- ---WEEKDAYS
- Morning Prayer Wednesdays at 7:00AM, McFarland Chapel
- Taizé Service first Thursday of the month in the summer at 5:30_{PM}, Westminster Presbyterian Church, 841 W Manhattan Avenue
- Spanish Bible Study Saturdays 9:00-10:00AM, Rendon Room

A Guided Journey on Grief and Loss will take place for six Wednesdays from 4:00–5:30_{PM}, August 10 through September 14. Sessions will be held at Westminster Presbyterian Church in the pastor's study. Limit six participants. Your guides: Rev. Lee Walters and Rev. Georgia Ortiz. There is no charge however a commitment for the six sessions is needed. See the flyer on the table in the gathering space for information on how to sign up.

—Sundays 9:45–10:45am

An Intimate Walk with Brother Luke Moore Conference Room (third floor): Join in whenever you are able, bring a Bible from home to have a variety of translations of the gospel of Luke. Led by Kate Dryer.

—UPCOMING

Celtic Journey on August 21, 28, and September 4 in Pope Hall: Come see the beauty of Iona and why it has been a world pilgrimage site for centuries, hear the stories of those who have followed its tradition through the ages, and discover how Celtic spirituality is informing our faith today. We will be using John Philips Newell's Listening to the Heartbeat of God as guide and photographs of the island from our recent trip in June. Come see, hear, and discover the Celtic way that was silenced for centuries and now before us once again. Led by Pastor Harry Eberts and members of the June pilgrimage.

Earth Care Tidbit of the Week:



Food is the largest single source of waste in the US—\$165 billion worth of groceries annually. Half of U.S. land and 80 percent of freshwater consumed goes to grow it, and then 40 percent of what's grown is wasted.

~ takepart@e.takepart.com 7/2/16

MISSION AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

Fridays with First at the Shelter: Come join us Fridays at the Interfaith Community Shelter, 2801 Cerrillos Road, preparing lunch for our homeless neighbors. From 8:30 to 10:30 help prep the food and from 10:30 to 12:30 serve the guests.

The Interfaith Community Shelter is holding its annual **Chefscapades Benefit Dinner** on September 6. The major fundraiser for the homeless shelter will be held at 6:00_{PM} at Las Campanas Clubhouse. Tickets are \$150 each with \$125 tax deductible and may be purchased online or through Mary Ann Lundy, board member, 455.0011 or at lunwil1@q.com. We hope to contribute at least two tables each of 10 FPC supporters!

Concerned about gun violence? **Guns to Gardens** is a gun buyback program where collected guns will be forged into garden shovels and spades and public art projects. On Thursday, August 11, join Mayor Javier Gonzales, author Valerie Plame, and Ambassador Joe Wilson at the Center for Contemporary Arts (CCA), 5:30–7:30_{PM}, for the film screening of *Trigger: The Ripple Effect of Gun Violence*. Tickets are \$100 and go entirely to getting unwanted guns out of our homes and off our streets. For more information contact New Mexicans to Prevent Gun Violence at 984.3058, nmtpgv@gmail.com, or talk to Pastor Harry Eberts.

Meet Your Mission Co-Worker

Rev. Dr. Karla Ann Koll

Latin American Biblical University

Judy Crawford had the pleasure of meeting Karla at General Assembly this past June. Her husband lives in Nicaragua where they have a farm. She will be teaching a course on the early Christian communities in the fall and asks for our prayers for her work and her students.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Keep Your Directory Updated! In the lobby you will find the four new member inserts we have done since our last picture directory. There is also an updated roster available with our new members' information and the addresses for the members who have moved recently.

Our Sincerest Apologies to new members Mary Ann Amos and Judy Banner. We mixed up their pictures in the photo directory insert that was sent out with the newsletter. A corrected copy of that page is available with the other directory info in the lobby.

Bring your computers or devices or any questions you may have about either and gather around the Community Table for **Update Tuesday Afternoon** hosted by Krista every second Tuesday of the month. Come this Tuesday, August 9, between 2:00–4:00.

If you have not filled out the **Survey on the Capital Campaign**, please do so by tomorrow, August 8. Print copies of the survey are available on the table under the information wall in the gathering space (lobby).