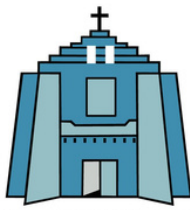


Welcome! Our community is



made stronger by your presence.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH *Of* SFe



**MAY 25, 2025**

**The Charcoal Fire**  
*John 21:15-25*

*Rev. Harry Eberts*

Worship 8:30am Rooftop  
11am Sanctuary

Children's Program begins at the  
8:30am and 11am Worship Service

Ice Cream Social on the Triangle!  
(let's celebrate our graduates)

Adult Education 9:45am McFarland  
Chapel

Join us as we continue our  
"Listening Sessions"

with Pastor  
Andrew Black.

What are  
your hopes and  
dreams for 1<sup>st</sup> Pres?



**EVENTS COMING SOON**

**CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF MARY ANN LUNDY**

*May 26, noon Ghost Ranch Agape Worship Gathering Space*—You are invited to attend a service for Mary Ann Lundy. It is followed by a celebration luncheon.

**TGIF CONCERT WITH FOLIAS DUO**

*May 30, 5:30pm Sanctuary*

Join us this Friday for a captivating concert with Folias Duo, the celebrated pairing of flutist Carmen Maret and guitarist Andrew Bergeron.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**BOTTLE CAPS TO BENCHES  
RECYCLING COLLECTION PROJECT**

Tierra Nueva Counseling Center is asking you to recycle your plastic bottle caps and lids to make beautiful park benches. Drop them off in our church lobby.

**MEMORY BOX FOR PASTOR HARRY**

*Until June 1st*

Share your memories of Pastor Harry's ministry with him by dropping them in this lovely tin work Memory Box crafted by Becky Crutchfield. This box is now available on a table in front of the display cabinets.

**PRELUDE**

Prelude and Fugue in c minor, BWV 546

J.S. Bach

**WELCOME**

Rev. Harry Eberts

**+CALL TO  
WORSHIP**

**bold in unison**

Iona Worship  
Book, 2001  
p.149

Creator of the cosmos, of eternity and time:  
**Be with us in this time.**

Sharon Eklund

Saviour of the world, healer of the nations:  
**Be with us in this place.**

Breath of all that lives, of people near and far:  
**Stir within our lives.**

Maker-Spirit-Son,  
God of here and now:  
**Be present in our worship,  
that we may find new ways  
to be present in your world.**

**+HYMN 268**

*Crown Him with Many Crowns*

**OPEING PRAYER  
please be seated**

Iona Worship  
Book, 2001  
pp.183-184, 52  
adapted

O Trinity of love, God in community, holy and one, look  
now on us who look to you . . .  
**and hear our prayer for our community:**

Where there is falseness . . .  
**smother it by your truth;**  
Where there is any coldness . . .  
**kindle the flame of your love;**  
Where there is joy and hope . . .  
**free us to share it together;**  
And make us one . . .  
as you are one.

**Before God and you who are near,  
we release anything we hold against one another;  
We regret all the harm we have done;  
We stand beside the wrong in our lives  
and ask for forgiveness.**

~Silence is kept~

Here now the words of Jesus for all who seek to renew  
their lives:  
Your sins are forgiven.  
Go in peace;  
come and follow me.

**SCRIPTURE**

John 21:15-25

**ANTHEM**

*How Can I Keep from Singing*

Mark Hayes

**+HYMN 693** *Though I May Speak***+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**Iona Worship Book,  
p.74

In the midst of hunger and war  
**we celebrate the promise of plenty and peace.**  
 In the midst of oppression and tyranny  
**we celebrate the promise of service and freedom.**  
 In the midst of doubt and despair  
**we celebrate the promise of faith and hope.**  
 In the midst of fear and betrayal  
**we celebrate the promise of joy and loyalty.**  
 In the midst of hatred and death  
**we celebrate the promise of love and life.**  
 In the midst of sin and decay  
**we celebrate the promise of salvation and renewal.**  
 In the midst of death on every side  
**we celebrate the promise of the living Christ. Amen.**

**OFFERING AND  
OFFERTORY 400****I Rejoiced When I Heard Them Say****+DOXOLOGY 607**

***Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow***  
 Sing words that a meaningful for you

**+PRAYER OF  
DEDICATION**

Thom M. Shuman

**Stir our apathy, our fears that we don't have enough,  
 our worries that others will misuse what is given, so  
 that our generosity may overflow into grace, life,  
 justice, and hope for others. This we pray in Jesus'  
 name. Amen.**

**PRAYERS OF THE  
PEOPLE****PRAYER CANDLES***Scenes from Dinetaah (2020) Cedar*

Conner Chee

**LORD'S PRAYER****ANNOUNCEMENTS&  
WELCOME****PASSING OF PEACE****+HYMN 373** *O Day of Peace***+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.***

**+BENEDICTION****POSTLUDE***Passacaglia in d minor*

Max Reger

## WE PRAY FOR

Kay Duke Ingalls  
Juanita Thorne-Connerty  
Malissa and Larry Haslam  
Lynne West  
Nancy Armbruster  
Annetta Grace-Darmitzel  
Teresa Bremer  
Mary Lou Williams  
Bill Gee  
Sara Romer  
Chuck Poitras  
Jennifer Elliott  
Steve Kinnett

Rob Smillow (friend of Elizabeth and Alan Hook)  
Patricia Kingston (Tom's and Sue's sister-in-law)  
David Moody (friend of Dennis Sanderson)  
Eva Reneau (mother of Donna Shands)  
Gayle Green and her family (friends of Madeleine Wright)  
Mary Ann and Greg Edwards (friends of Leah Pallman)  
Ona Larson Malleck (sister of Lelah Larson)  
Elaine Lea (mother of Leah Paalman)  
Simon Bredbeck (great nephew of Janis Chitwood)  
Carolyn Bell (mother of Rebecca Hodges)  
Daniel Weir (son of Heather Weir)

## SERVING TODAY

Officiant: Rev. Dr Harry Eberts  
Liturgist: Sharon Eklund  
Organist/Music Director: Dr. Linda Raney  
Assistant Organist: David Solem  
Assistant Choir Director & Cantor: Travis Bergier

## WORSHIP COORDINATORS

Worship & Music: Diane Buchanan  
Ushers: Allen Gulledge  
Liturgical Arts: Judi Haines  
Communion: Alice Tinkle & Jean Withers  
Welcome Ministry: Sharon Kirby



CELEBRATING  
GRADUATES/PROMOTIONS

Kindergarten: **Brooke Black**  
High School: **Santiago Dodge**

1<sup>st</sup> Grade: **Quinn Hook**  
**Oliver Williams**  
**Julia Morello**  
College: **Drew Hill**  
**Leah Mitchell**

## Weekly Events

### WEDNESDAY

5:30pm Celtic Evensong  
Sanctuary via Zoom

7:30am Morning prayer and Coffee,  
McFarland Chapel

### THURSDAY

5:30pm TGIF Choir, Sanctuary

6:30pm Sunday Chancel Choir,  
Sanctuary

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