

# WELCOME



Whether today is your first time worshipping with us or you are from one of our founding families, we are glad you are here! The First Presbyterian Church of East Hampton is an affirming and welcoming community, always looking for new ways to embody Jesus' call to love God and our neighbors in this community and throughout the world. We'd love for you to be part of our future, continuing Jesus Christ's earthly ministry of building God's Kingdom.

## Sharing the Light of Christ for 370 Years



### Visiting with Children?

- ✘ **Activity materials** for young worshipers are located behind the last pew at the center aisle.
- ✘ **Infant and child care** is provided during the service upstairs from the narthex (lobby). We also invite you to keep your child with you in the sanctuary.
- ✘ **Restrooms:** Please accompany children (under age 10) to the restrooms. The restrooms are located by each side entrance, in the narthex.

### Special Needs?

- ✘ **Earphones** and **large print hymnals** are available from the ushers.
- ✘ **Feel free to ask** ushers for any assistance that you might need.

### Please Come Again

- ✘ **Sunday Worship** is always at 10:00. We celebrate the **Lord's Supper** on the first Sunday of each month.
- ✘ **Sunday School** gathers after the Children's Message, so children age 3 – grade 5 join us for the beginning of each worship service.
- ✘ **Youth Group (grades 6-12)** meets most Sunday evenings at 5:00 during the school year. Ask Pastor Scot for more information.

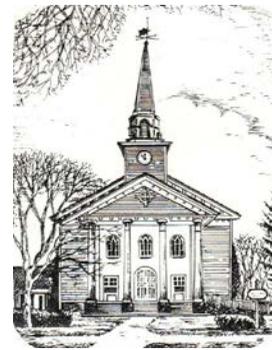


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# THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF EAST HAMPTON

Celebration of the Lord's Day

February 17, 2019

*6<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time*

## Gathering in God's Name

Welcoming the Light of Christ

*Take me to the water to be baptized.*

Welcome and Parish Concerns

Prelude

\*Call to Worship (*Jeremiah 17, Psalm 1*)

Leader: Blessed are those who trust God, whose trust is in the Lord.

**People: They are like trees planted by water, sending out roots by the stream.**

Leader: They have no fear of summer's heat, nor do they wither in the sun.

**People: In the year of drought they are not anxious, for their lives bear fruit of righteousness.**

Leader: Come to the waters of life all you who trust in the Lord.

**People: We have come to worship and to send forth our roots into streams of God's living water.**

\*Opening Prayer (*Luke 6*)

\*Hymn #482

Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

*Stralsund Erneueren Gesangbuch*

Confession and Pardon (*unison*) (*Jeremiah 17, Psalm 1*)

**Gentle Guide, Loving Guardian, heal our foolish ways. We long to forsake the advice of the wicked and the slow seduction of sinful paths, but our speech and actions often belie us.**

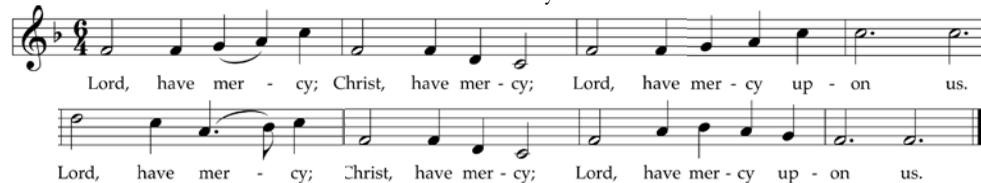
**We yearn to be like trees planted beside living waters, bearing the fruit of righteousness in due season, but the seat of scoffers calls to us and the temptation to return evil for evil withers our souls like shrubs in the desert. This is not your hope and plan for us. Forgive us. Turn us again to the healing you so freely offer, and mend the brokenness in our lives and in the world. Amen.**

Silent Confession

Kyrie

Lord Have Mercy

Richard Proulx



Assurance of Pardon

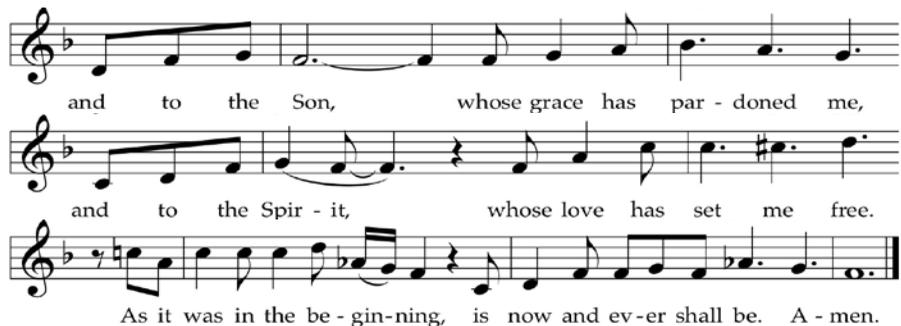
Pastor: Blessed are you: for God forgives you and restores you to new life. Rejoice in this day and dance for joy!

the One we can trust not only on this day, but in every day to come. Amen.

\*Passing of the Peace

\*Gloria Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me

Paul M. Vasile



Proclaiming God's Word

Children's Message

Prayer for Illumination (Jeremiah 17, Luke 6)

Scripture Reading

Old Testament Jeremiah 17:5-10 (OT Page 719)
Psalter Psalm 1 (OT Page 489)
Gospel Luke 6:17-26 (NT Page 64)

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Sermon Wiggle Room Pastor Scot

Parish News



Meet our new Church Administrator, Gina Ferrara

We are happy to announce that Gina will be officially starting this Tuesday, February 19. She comes to us with a strong background in administration and accounting. Gina has already been using her accounting skills to help get our 2018 books squared away for next week's congregational meeting. Gina is very excited about joining us and has already proven herself to be a valuable addition. She has worked in East Hampton for many years and currently resides in Wainscott. In the coming weeks and months, make sure to take an opportunity to come in and meet Gina in person and welcome her to First Presbyterian!

Thank you to Harriet Snowden!

Harriet has graciously and skillfully covered our administrator's desk during the interim period. She will still be in the office for the next few weeks helping get Gina up to speed. If you have a chance, stop in or call to say "Thanks!"



Annual Congregational Meeting

The session has called a meeting of the congregation following worship next week, February 24, 2019. The purpose of the meeting is to hold our annual meeting and to receive an additional nominee for deacon from the Church Nominating Committee. No other business will be conducted at this meeting.

Urgent needs for Cuba Mission!

Part of our mission trip to Cuba is bringing things the people urgently need. If you'd like to be part of this mission, this year we're asking for new over-the-counter medicines: Aspirin and Non-Aspirin Products (Acetaminophen), Naproxen (Aleve is the name brand), Ibuprofen, Tylenol, Children's Tylenol; Multi-Vitamins for Children, Adults, and Sr. Adults; Vitamins C, B and E; Anti-inflammatory Creams like Hydrocortisone; Antibiotic Creams like Triple Antibiotic, Bacitracin, etc; Heart burn meds like Malox, Tums, Pepto Bismol, Zantac, etc.; Ben Gay, Eye drops, Nasal spray, Band aids, etc. Pill form is best because liquids weigh more and can open in your suitcase and make a mess. Also, we'd like to bring fabric for the church's women's group. If you have remnants, we'd love to take them. If you have notions you have no use for, we'd take them too. The mission team leaves on Monday, March 11 and can accept donations through Sunday, March 10. Please help us. A collection basket will be located in the church narthex.



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Pastors Emeriti
The Rev. Dr. John Ames
The Rev. Dr. Fred Schulz

## Responding to God with Thanksgiving

\*Hymn (from the new Glory to God Hymnbook) Jesus, Light of Joy John Goss

1 Je - sus, light of joy, sur - round us; let your splen - did glo - ry shine: source of ev - ery earth - ly bles - sing,  
 2 Now the shad - ows fall a - round us; now the eve - ning has be - gun: still your gra - cious light is with us,  
 3 With the saints we lift our voic - es, God of pow - er, God of might. All cre - a - tion shines with glo - ry,  
 heav - en's ev - er - last - ing sign. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, we a - dore you, light di - vine.  
 bright - er than the morn - ing sun. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, God of glo - ry, Three - in - One.  
 sing - ing prais - es day and night: al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly light.

\*Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles’ Creed (traditional) (2.1-3)

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Choral Prayer Response

*Rain down your love on your people. Rain down your love, God of life.*

Tithes and Offerings – Visitor and Prayer Cards may also be placed in the collection boxes

Chancel Choir Offertory Love One Another Hal H. Hopson

\*Doxology (Hymn 592) “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” Old Hundredth

*“Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;  
 Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen”*

\*Prayer of Dedication

### Going Forth in God’s Name

\*Hymn #432 Song of Hope (sing **twice** through) Argentine folk melody

\*Benediction and Response

Amen

Richard Proulx

A - men, a - men, a - men.

\*Taking the Light of Christ into the World

Postlude



WORSHIP LEADERS

The Reverend Scot McCachren, Pastor

Jane Hastay, Music Director

Don Smith, Lay Reader

Chancel Choir

USHERS

Bruce Siska

Mary Siska

Mary Ella Moeller

Jane Kiembock

ELDER OF THE MONTH

Lee Andrews

DEACON OF THE MONTH

David Cataletto

### Unceasing Prayers

You may make prayer requests using a "Request for Prayer" pew card or by contacting Pastor Scot directly. Unless otherwise requested, names will be included on this prayer list for four weeks. Requests can always be renewed.

*Trusting that God knows each person and need, please hold in your prayers...*

Regina Foley

Rick Bock

Paul Vogel

Linda Miller

FLOWERS on the communion table are given to the Glory of God from the Deacon’s Flower Fund

To offer flowers in memory or honor of a loved one, contact Summer Borsack,  
 (631) 903-0778 or summerborsack@gmail.com

**THIS WEEK’S CARE & OUTREACH Team: Polly Bruckman and Nancy Andrews**

*"Care Cards"* to brighten someone’s day are available in the Narthex -- please help yourself.

### This Week’s Calendar

<b>Today, Feb 17</b>	10:00 am	Worship and Sunday School
<b>Monday, Feb 18 (office closed)</b>	12:30 pm	AI-Anon, Session House
<b>Tuesday, Feb 19</b>	7:30 am	Men’s Club, John Papas Café
	1:00 pm	Prayer Shawl at M. Siska’s house
	5:00 pm	Y12SR Yoga class, Session House
<b>Thursday, Feb 21</b>	12:15 pm	Brown Bag Bible Study, Session House
	12:30 pm	AI Anon, downstairs
	1:30 pm	Worship/Music Committee Meeting
	6:00 pm	Deacon Meeting
	7:00 pm	Chancel choir rehearsal
<b>Sunday, Feb 24</b>	10:00 am	Worship and Sunday School
	11:15 am	Annual Congregational Meeting