



Trinity Sunday
June 15, 2025

First Presbyterian Church

Service for the Lord's Day

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10:00 a.m.

In preparation for worship, please turn off all cell phones and electronic devices.

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Congregational Hymn Sing (9:45)

Hymns 11, 9, 5, 390

Words of Welcome

Prelude

"Aria"

Charles Callahan

Connie Weiss, oboe

Call to Worship

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised.

This is the day the Lord has made.

Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

* Hymn 2

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

Ushers will collect prayer request cards from the center aisle.

* Call to Confession

* Prayer of Confession

God of grace, love, and communion,

we confess that we have failed to love you

with all our heart, soul, and mind;

and to love our neighbor as ourselves.

We ignore your commandments,

stray from your way, and follow other gods.

Have mercy on us.

Forgive our sin and raise us to new life

that we may serve you faithfully

and give honor to your holy name.

* Silent Confession

* Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

* Response 390 "Praise, Praise, Praise the Lord!"

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31 (OT, p. 590)

Psalter: Psalm 8 (Hymnal 25)

vv. 1-2 all voices, v. 3 high voices, v. 4 low voices, v. 5 all

A Time with Children

Gospel Lesson: John 16:12-15 (NT, p. 110)

Sermon: "More to Say"

Rev. Carter

RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

* Hymn 280 “Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us”

* Affirmation of Faith: Nicene Creed (Hymnal, p. 34)

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

Offering

Offertory “Come, Thou Almighty King” arr. John Dixon

* Doxology (609)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia, alleluia!

Praise God, in Jesus fully known. Creator, Word, and Spirit one.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

* Prayer of Dedication

GO IN GOD'S NAME

* Hymn 1 “Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty”

* Charge and Benediction

* Postlude “Holy, Holy, Holy” arr. Martha Sobaje

If you are leaving before the postlude is finished, please do so quietly.

* All who are able shall stand.

The flowers are given to the glory of God by Don and Betty Keen in memory and honor of all fathers.

PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Pastor

Coordinator of Children and Youth

Director of Music

Organist

Liturgist

Oboe Soloist

Rev. William Carter

Jana Schillinger

Frank Jones

Kay Ten Eyck

Peter Moore

Connie Weiss

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Church Family Announcements

Our congregation worships God, equips God's people for ministry in the world, and serves God in ways that are faithful to the Gospel.

Thank you for joining us for Worship.

- We gather at 10:00 a.m. in person or on our YouTube channel, (or stream the service on YouTube at a later time).
- Please use the red attendance pads to record your presence today.

FPC Young(er) Adult Group

This summer, the Christian Education committee is sponsoring new opportunities for building relationships and nurturing faith for anyone in the 20–50-year-old range. We are looking to create fun events and fresh learning opportunities. We are planning the following events:

- **Sunday, June 29, 11:15** - Trolley/Railriders Game. We will join the larger church outing on this day.
- **Saturday, July 26** - Pool Party at the Farrells. Time TBA.
More events to come. Children are welcome to join these early events. If you have any questions or wish to join the group, please reach out to Michael Thompson at mkthompson96@gmail.com or 518-577-8691.

Summer Bible Study for Adults Children's Bible Stories - But Not the Way You Remember Them

We will continue our Wednesday night Bible study through the Summer, beginning at 6:00 pm in the library (room 206). We will look at some of the most beloved Bible characters and stories in the Old Testament, like Noah, Moses, David, and Elijah. Some of these will be familiar (or so you think) and others you may be reading for the first time.

Coffee Hour: We are looking for families and church groups who would like to host the coffee hour during the summer months. A sign-up sheet is available in Fellowship Hall or contact Karen White at 570-575-7005 to get on the schedule.



- **Hey kids and families!** Reservations are confirmed for the Trolley ride and RailRiders game on June 29.
- All attending, please forward your payment of \$25 per person to the church office. Checks are payable to First Presbyterian Church.
- We must leave for the game right after the service is over to be at the Trolley in time for departure.
- No large purses, bags, or back packs are permitted on the Trolley or at the game. Plastic, see-through bags may be used.
- **If you missed the sign up,** you may be able to reserve a spot yourself by calling the Trolley Museum at 570-963-6590.

There's another RailRiders ball game on the calendar!

Friday, August 1 Game Time is 6:35 p.m. Tickets are \$14.

That's right! The WBS RailRiders will play
the Nashville Sounds at PNC Field!



Sign up in the Narthex or church office by **Sunday, July 20**. Contact Betty Keen with questions. Checks are payable to Betty Keen. (Thanks, Betty!)

Tell us your prayer concerns. Prayer Request Cards are in the pew racks. Pass them to the center aisle to be collected during the first hymn.

Please pray for: Hall, Caleb, Jon, Char, Susan, Jerry, Don, Roberta, Judy, Wayne, Candace, Jen, Terry, Edward, Sue, Joseph, Baby Lyric, Lisa, Judy S., Mollie, Ellen S., Jeff and Jean, Nancy, Sarah, Leslie, Carol, Dennis, Bill, the Reid and Calvey families, Leslie, Kim, Stuart, Kathy.

Are you looking for a new camping experience? Perhaps church camp for "the kids" this summer? Johnsonburg Camp and Retreat Center in Northwest New Jersey offers programming for children and youth, Grades 1-12. Brochures are available in the narthex. It's 72 miles and just over an hour away. Check their website www.johnsonburg.org for more information. Check our website, www.fpccs.org, **"Learn"** tab for scholarship details.

Updated Church Directory

Bound copies of the latest Church Directory are on the cabinet inside the Narthex. Please be sure to pick one up!

CEO WEINBERG FOOD BANK
SERVICE DAY – SPRING 2025

The Mission & Justice Committee will hold a morning of service at Monsignor McGown Center for Healthy Living (CEO Weinberg, Northeast Regional Food Bank) in Pittston on June 21, 9 a.m. to noon. The morning will entail packing food boxes for qualifying senior citizens in an assembly line manner. Carpooling will be available, leaving the church's side parking lot at 8:30 a.m. If you are interested in participating, please contact Diane Scheuer or the church office. It is always a fun and rewarding experience.

We have a Nursery that is staffed regularly on Sunday mornings from 9:40 to 11:10 a.m. Located in room 208 (sanctuary level), it has a changing table, and age-appropriate toys and books for children ages 3 and younger.

This Week at a Glance

Sunday, June 15 Trinity Sunday

- 10 a.m., Worship in the sanctuary and online

Tuesday, June 17

- 9:30 a.m., Yoga, Room 111
- 6 p.m., OA, Room 210
- 7 p.m., AA, Room 111

Wednesday, June 18

- 10:30 a.m., Prayer and Share, Room 209
- 6:00 p.m., Adult Christian Education, Room 206
- 7:30 p.m., AlAnon, Room 206

Thursday, June 19

- 8:30 a.m., Men's Breakfast, Room 206
- 9 a.m., Piano program
- 2 p.m., Sr. Game Group, Fellowship Hall
- 7 p.m., AMPOA, Fellowship Hall

Friday, June 20

Saturday, June 21, 8:30 a.m., meet in church parking lot to go to Weinberg

Sunday, June 22

- 10 a.m., Worship in the sanctuary and online

Church summer office hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

We are grateful for the many ways that people support our church's ministry to the community and world. If you wish to contribute by cell phone, scan here.



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