

Fanwood
Presbyterian
Church



Growing
In God's Love,
Serving
All God's People
through
Rejoicing
Renewing
Reaching out

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A Service for the Worship of God

10:30 a.m.

March 26, 2023

Season of Lent Gathering Around God's Word

Prelude

(Please use the prelude as a means of silent preparation for worship.)

Greetings and Welcome

Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

(At this time, please sign and pass the fellowship book.)

***The Lord's Prayer (It's Yours)**

(Enjoy this new song and join in when so moved.)

***Opening Prayer of Praise and Confession**

***Change My Heart O God**

***Declaration of Forgiveness and Passing of the Peace**

Greeting: The peace of Christ be with you.

(or Peace be with you. or Peace.)

Response: And also with you.

Announcements

Hearing God's Word

Children's Message 'Daily Bread and Forgiving Debts'

(Parents, please send your children forward with a dollar or two. We are training them in the importance of stewardship giving.)

- The Lord's Prayer

All: 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 from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen

Message 'We All Have Magical Gifts that Can Bring God to Others'
Acts 8:14-25

Responding to God's Word

***Offering Song** 'Meet Me Here Again'

***Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession**

One: The Lord be with you

All: And also with you.

***Yes I Will**

***Charge and Benediction**

***Postlude**

Welcome to the Worship of God!

Welcome to everyone. We hope the service touched your heart and spoke to your mind. Let us know how we might ever be of service.

Holy Week in our Church:

Palm Sunday, April 2 at 10:30 AM - Children's Pageant

EggStravaganza, April 4 at 5:30 PM - Egg Hunt and more for all ages

Maundy Thursday, April 6

Good Friday, April 7 at 7:30 PM

Easter Sunday, April 9 at 10:30 AM

Easter Lilies

If you would like to make a donation in memory of, or in dedication to a loved one, please send your request and donation to the church office no later than Tuesday, April 4th. Please make checks payable to Fanwood Presbyterian Church for \$15 and write Easter lilies in the memo. You can pick it up on Easter Sunday after worship.

2023 Palm Sunday Pageant Rehearsals

Tomorrow Monday, March 27, is Pageant rehearsal at 5:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. They will perform on Palm Sunday, April 2nd during worship, with dress rehearsal beginning at 9 a.m. All ages are welcome as players and helpers. Please contact Lauren.

- Kingdom Kids: 4:30-5:30 pm
- Easter Pageant Rehearsals (prek-12th): 5:30-6:30 pm
- Joint Ignite middle and high school: 6:30-7:30 pm

Church Staff:

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Luyang Liu - Interim Organist and Pianist

Jason Rivera - a.v. director, singer and guitarist-
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- **Palm Sunday**, April 2 at 10:30 a.m. - 'Jesus, The Compassionate King of All Kings' Children's Pageant
- **EggStravaganza Family Event**, April 4 at 5:30 PM - Egg Hunt and more for all ages
- **Maundy Thursday** - Stations of Jesus' Life, Death and Resurrection in the sanctuary (Prayerfully Walk through Jesus' life and mission, enjoying scriptures, artwork and praying for our related ministries and hurting people and places in our world.)
- **Good Friday**, April 7 at 7:30 PM; come early for the above Stations Journey
- **Easter Sunday**, April 9 at 10:30 AM





Lenten 2023
Soup and Devotions

Thursdays
 March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 **6:30 PM Meal**

DEVOTION
 7:00-7:45 Bible Project
 Video and Discussion

Fanwood Presbyterian Church
ReGeneration
 Worship, Friendships & Service in God's Love

Feel free to join us one time or for the entire series.
 See you in the Dining Room.



Calling our young Seniors! Let Pastor David know if you would like to play bridge. Our Tuesday Bible Study is still meeting at Dot's home at 1 p.m. Please let pastor David know if you have any other ideas.

Recent Prayer Requests:

Liz Henderson, Jill Burstein and David Lloyd Stephen's, Judy Walsh and Ryan Herrlich's family, Cena Pollitt, Betty Sharrett, Sister Cynthia, Swindlehurst family, Cathy Clark, Betty Gustafson, the Krey family, Kurek family, Aiden Ramirez, Bassman Family, Gustafson Family, Mike and Patti Camfield, Joe Turso, Rosanne Lindemann, Carol Thomson's brother-in-law and son-in-law, William Murphy (Linda's uncle), Darcie Lubalin's mother, Rich Ledesma family, Nancy Feinberg and family, Jim Tway, Ginny Kraus, Eyad and Kristina Khalifeh, Dot Davis, Anne Harper, Rev. Ken Hudson, Bowers family, the people of Ukraine.

If there are matters of concern or thanksgiving you would like included in our prayers or if you would like a name removed from the list, please fill out the prayer request portion of the connection card and put them into the offering or contact Hailey at fanwoodpress@gmail.com



The registration form you can print and return alternatively you can register your kids online via our website: <https://www.fanwoodpc.org/vbs>

July 17th - July 21st 2023

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Children from 4 yrs. old (by 09/05/23) to those entering 6th grade are invited to attend Vacation Bible School. It is a week full of fun, friends, laughter, Bible study, snacks and Jesus!

Please note: registration is not complete until we receive payment. Please make checks payable to the Fanwood Presbyterian Church, 74 S Martine Ave, Fanwood NJ 07023

(Mailing address: P.O. Box 69, Fanwood, NJ 07023) Attn. VBS

(First child, \$35, second child \$30, 3 or more: \$75 total)

Registration closes on July 10th 2023.

Let Lauren know if you are available to volunteer if you have done in the past or if you have never volunteered before but are thinking about it because you are available. Let's connect and I can tell you about the various volunteer roles that exist in order to pull this incredible week together! Youth who are entering 7th grade and above are able to help as junior counselors so let me know if you have any youth who want to help that week.



CAMP JOHNSONBURG

Women's Retreat
04/21/23-04/23/23

FPC women are heading off to enjoy a break from our busy lives at the Johnsonburg Women's Retreat. All women are welcome to attend. More information including how to register can be found online at:
<https://www.campjburg.org/events/womens-spring-retreat/>
Email Lauren at lcomerfordfpcyouth@gmail.com with any questions!

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Join the Good Work of Our Committees!

Thanks to all officers and our committee chairs! We are looking for members on almost every committee, especially Hospitality and Membership which has only one member at this point. We could use an online greeter and hospitality sharer as well. If you would like to learn more about making sure guests and new members feel welcome, please let Pastor David know.

- STEWARDSHIP AND FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIR- David McDede
- CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE CHAIR- Linda Macari
- HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE MEMBERS - Jamila Hewitt-Banfield and Judy Walsh
- FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE MEMBERS Cena Pollitt, Emily Sena and Kris Adams.
- PERSONNEL COMMITTEE CHAIR- Russ Miller
- MISSION COMMITTEE CHAIR- Darcie Lubalin
- WORSHIP AND MUSIC COMMITTEE CHAIR- Elizabeth Martinson