

Welcome to all who gather here today.

We hope the service enables you to worship God meaningfully.

In your pew are:

✦ Visitor cards - *Welcome!*

✦ A pew envelope for an offering

✦ Joys and Concerns cards for submitting prayer requests
(all to be placed in the offering plate)

* = *Please stand as you are able or remain upright in spirit*

PH = Presbyterian Hymnal; Congregational responses in bold type.

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION

TOLLING THE HOUR

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GREETINGS

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

PRELUDE

Onward, Christian Soldier

Sullivan-Lowden

(Requested by Cole Schleper, in reference to 2 Timothy 2:3)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Our God is the creator of all good things.

Our God is the redeemer of all that is not yet good.

In time, all things on Earth and in Heaven will be united,

Because God is beckoning all things into the arms of Love.

*HYMN

All Things Bright and Beautiful
(vv. 1-2, 4)

PH 267

WE CONFESS OUR SINS

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

We acknowledge before you, O God, that we are drawn to false teachings. We succumb to the adoration of this world when we seek to be noticed and crave being honored. We have ignored the true teacher who calls us to lives of humility, kindness, and service towards others. Forgive us. Help us to practice the teachings of Jesus. As we long to place our burdens on you, confident that you will lighten our journeys, so we long to ease the burdens of our friends, families, neighbors, and creatures of earth. Set us on your path, O God; in Jesus' name. Amen.

Silent Prayer

DECLARATION OF PARDON

SUNG RESPONSE

PH 145, Refrain

“Rejoice! Rejoice! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!”

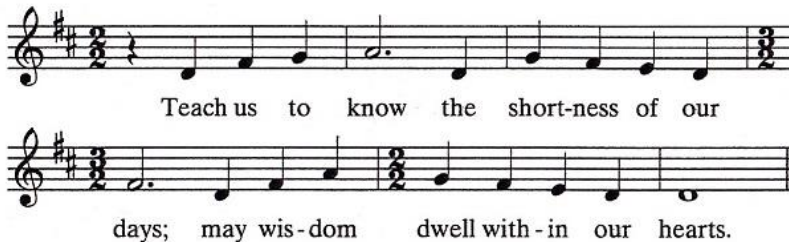
PROCLAIMING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST READING: Matthew 23:8-12 (Pew Bible p. 25)

Psalm 90

Teach Us to Know the Shortness of Our Days



Teach us to know the short-ness of our
days; may wis-dom dwell with-in our hearts.

SECOND READING: Psalm 107:1-9 (Pew Bible p. 559)

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

"Ma'am"

Rev. William Stell

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*HYMN

Let Us Build a House
(vv. 1-2, 4)

Insert

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (*The Apostles Creed*)

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.

*THE GLORIA PATRI

PH 579

MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP (Jane Erickson)

THE OFFERING

THE OFFERING IN MUSIC One Song

Pepper Choplin

*THE DOXOLOGY

PH 592

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

**THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION
INVITATION**

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

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.

GOING FORTH IN GOD'S NAME TO SERVE THE LORD

***HYMN**

In Christ There Is No East or West

PH 439

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

***SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

SERVING THIS LORD'S DAY

Pastor Rev. William Stell
Reader.....Bobbi Maiuro
Director of Music Gwendolyn Huber
Accompanist..... Dr. Robert Lowden
Deacon of the MonthKaren Chamberlin (609) 291-0603
Communion Servers.....Jody Hawryluk, Cindy Chidley, Blake Bolinger, Celia Bolinger

Next Sunday, November 12, 2017

Reader.....Pat Terry

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

From the "Mission Yearbook for Prayer and Study": Freedom Rising; Presbyterians for Earth Care; Stewardship Kaleidoscope Conference; Joan Fong New Church Development (NCD) Capital Grant; Redeeming Covenant: A Critical Reflection on Puritan Covenant Theology, Democracy and Racism in the U.S.; Presbyterian World Mission; Presbyterians for Earth Care Conference.

Joys: Prayers of joy and hope for the upcoming parade and the city-wide BBQ afterwards; thanksgiving for Ron Barnard's birthday; thanksgiving for the many children in the service.

Concerns: Prayers for Donna Valeri, recuperating at home; prayers for Margaret Crozier, recovering from surgery; prayers for Barbara Kimball's sister, Doris, who has fractured a bone in her back; prayers for Louis in Florida, who is in the hospital for a blood infection and dementia.

Our church now can accept online giving! Check out the "Give Now" button in the top right corner on our website.



QR Code for online giving

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Directory Photos: Karen Chamberlin will be taking photos for our church directory on November 19th and 26th after the worship service. If you have joined the church in the last five or so years, if you have children under 21, or if you'd just like to have a newer photo in the directory, please have her take your picture! So that she can pre-arrange with families, e-mail her at kcpix@verizon.net or call her at 609-760-7701. Thanks!

YOGA CHURCH: Join us for a yoga class in the Fellowship Hall on Sundays, 5-6 pm. No prior experience necessary. Bring your own mat or towel.

Grocery Bag Mission Meal: Our church has been asked to provide cans of hearty soup, pasta dishes (like Chef Boyardee), and other easy-to-open, microwaveable meals for a mission meal project at First Baptist Church. Items can be placed in the basket at the back of the sanctuary and will be delivered to the Baptist church at the end of each month. Thank you!

St. Mary's Food Pantry Current Needs: Canned corn; cereal; tea bags; toilet paper; shampoo. Please place items in the basket in the rear of the church. Thank you for your continued support and generosity. To learn more, go to:
Facebook.com/St.MarysFoodPantry.

***Church Office Hours are Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 10 am to 2 pm.
Rev. Stell will be in the office on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10 am to 1 pm. In addition, he will host informal office hours at Starbucks on Dunns Mill Road from 8:00 am to 10:00 am on Fridays. You may also make an appointment with him on other days.
To reach him, please email him at PastorWilliam@bordentownpresbyterian.org or call the church office at (609) 298-1243 or his cell phone: (609) 316-7165.***

CALENDAR

THIS WEEK

Sun 11/5	Children's Chime Choir	8:55 am
	Church School.....	9:15 am
	Worship and Communion	10:30 am
	Yoga Church	5:00-6:00 pm
	Youth Group.....	6:00 pm
Mon 11/6	Women's AA	7:30 pm
Thurs 11/9	Choir	7:00 pm
	AA	7:30 pm
	Handbells.....	8:15 pm

NEXT WEEK

Sun 11/12	Children's Chime Choir	8:55 am
	Church School.....	9:15 am
	Worship and Communion	10:30 am
	Yoga Church	5:00-6:00 pm
	Youth Group.....	6:00 pm
Mon 11/13	Women's Bible Study	7:00 pm
	Women's AA	7:30 pm
Thurs 11/16	Men's Breakfast	8:00 am
	Choir	7:00 pm
	AA	7:30 pm
	Handbells.....	8:15 pm
Sun 11/19	Children's Chime Choir	8:55 am
	Church School.....	9:15 am
	Worship	10:30 am
	Hike.....	3:00 pm
	Yoga Church	5:00-6:00 pm
	Youth Group.....	6:00 pm

First Presbyterian Church

*Worship on the Lord's Day
November 5, 2017, 10:30 am*

*“Christ has no body but yours,
No hands, no feet on earth
But yours.”*

Teresa of Avila (1515-1582)

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