



Farragut Presbyterian Church

ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE

Consecration Sunday

Veterans Sunday

November 8, 2020

~The Gathering~

Prelude

An Wasserflüssen Babylon
Tami Newsom, organ

Pachelbel

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Greeting

Rev. Matt Nieman

Call to Worship

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.
God's steadfast love endures forever.
Choose this day whom you will serve.
We will love and serve the Lord.
Let us worship God.

Hymn #554

Let All Things Now Living

Ash Grove

**Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving
To God our Creator triumphantly raise;
Who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us,
By guiding us on to the end of our days.**

**God's banners are o'er us, pure light goes before us,
A pillar of fire shining forth in the night;
Till shadows have vanished, all fearfulness banished,
As forward we travel from light into light.**

**By law God enforces, the stars in their courses,
The sun in its orbit obediently shine;
The hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains,
The depths of the ocean proclaim God divine.**

**We, too, should be voicing our love and rejoicing
With glad adoration, a song let us raise;
Till all things now living unite in thanksgiving,
To God in the highest, hosanna and praise.**

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Prayer of Confession

O Lord, giver of life and source of freedom, we know that all we have received is from your hand, yet we often fail as stewards of your abundance and as caretakers of all you have entrusted to us. Help us to always use your gifts wisely and teach us to share them generously. Send the Holy Spirit to work through us, bringing your message to those we serve. May our faithful stewardship bear witness to the love of Jesus Christ in our lives. We pray with grateful hearts, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Passing of the Peace

~The Word~

Prayer for Illumination

Let the wisdom of your Word rain down on us like manna and feed us, O God, so we may be strengthened to do the work to which we are called, for the glory and honor of your name. Amen.

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 4:8-11

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 78

Dr. Angela Batey, psalmist

Norman Warren

Hear my teaching, O my people; incline your ears to the words of my mouth.

I will open my mouth in a parable; I will pour forth mysteries from of old.
Such as we have heard and known, which our forebears have told us.

We will not hide from their children, but will recount from generations to come,
the praises of the Lord and his powers: and the wonderful works he has done.

He laid a solemn charge on Jacob: and made it a law in Israel,
which he commanded them to teach their children,

That the generations to come might know: and the children yet unborn,
That they in turn might tell it to their children;

So they might put their trust in God
and not forget the deeds of God: but keep his commandments.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son: and to the Holy Spirit;
As it was in the beginning is now and shall be for ever. Amen.

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Scripture Reading: Exodus 16:11-16, 31

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“God Provides”

Rev. Matt Nieman

~The Response~

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.

Consecration of Time, Talent and Treasure

Anthem

Offertory
Dr. Angela Batey, solo

John Ness Beck

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

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.**

~The Sending~

Closing Hymn #391

Take My Life

Hendon

**Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee.
Take my moments and my days; Let them flow in ceaseless praise,
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.**

**Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of Thy love.
Take my feet, and let them be swift and beautiful for Thee,
Swift and beautiful for Thee.**

**Take my voice, and let me sing, always, only, for my King.
Take my lips, and let them be filled with messages from Thee,
Filled with messages from Thee.**

**Take my silver and my gold, not a mite would I with-hold;
Take my intellect, and use every power as Thou shalt choose,
Every power as Thou shalt choose.**

**Take my will, and make it Thine; it shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is Thine own; It shall be Thy royal throne,
It shall be Thy royal throne.**

**Take my love; my Lord, I pour at Thy feet its treasure store.
Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for Thee,
Ever, only, all for Thee.**

Charge and Benediction

Postlude

Wir glauben all an einen Gott
Tami Newsom, organ

Scheidt

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- scan this QR Code and click on the generated google doc link or
- go to <https://forms.gle/4frMSP5wWS33g7Td6> or
- email the office at office@fpcn.org



Today we would like to specifically thank all of our Farragut Presbyterian Church members who are **veterans** of the military and served to protect our country:

Andy Andrew, Bob Bowman, Bill Bradshaw, Jim Caldwell, David Countiss, Wayne Davis, Carolyn DeGroot, Jeff Dobson, Frank Dorman, Norm Estep, Dan Greaser, David Greaser, Paul Hanson, Van Heflin, Chris Henry, Michelle Henry, Howard Hickman, John Huntley, Greg Kraft, Bill Lester, Lew Linhart, Allen Lutz, Mary Lutz, Jim Meador, John Montgomery, John Neighbors, Eric Nicholls, David Rice, Jim Rich, Jack Rightmyer, Kathryn Robinson, R.C. San Gil, Jerry Seiler, Rev. Les Shear, Darrell Sparks, David Stutzenberger, Jenny Trussell, Phil Trussell, Wayne Walls, and George White

Thank you for your service!

PLEASE TAKE NOTE: *WE HAVE SWITCHED THINGS UP!*



New Worship Times
starting on Nov 8th

Indoors at 9am
Outdoors at 11am



Congregational Meeting: Please plan on attending one of our annual congregation meetings after worship services next Sunday, November 15. We will be electing new elders for the class of 2023.

Time for Popcorn! Cub Scout Pack 444 is selling Trail's End popcorn to raise funds to cover awards and activities for the 2020-21 program year. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex for you to place your order. If you have questions, please contact Chris or Darrell Sparks at [966-5059](tel:966-5059) or Kathy Wise at [414-6603](tel:414-6603).



Coalition for Appalachian Ministry (CAM) need: A CAM crafter is in great need of pint canning jars, rings and new lids. If you have any that you are no longer using, please contact Debbie Long by today, November 8.



Presbyterian Women will be collecting hats, gloves, mittens and scarves for infants to adults through the months of November and early December for Sunset Gap, which has been hit hard with the pandemic and loss of area jobs. As winter comes, the need for these warm wraps is essential. The donated items will go on the Gap's "**Mitten Tree**" and will be available at no cost to the folks. Items will be delivered to the Gap in early December, when the Christmas gifts will be taken. Look for the red container in the narthex to hold your contributions. *Thank you for your help.*

Mobile Meals needs an additional FPC team and subs to help with deliveries in the Farragut area one Friday a month. Teams of 2 work the best, (one to drive; one to deliver the meal to the door) but one person can handle it in a pinch. Meals are picked up around 9:45 a.m. at the Mobile Meals kitchen near the News Sentinel building. Usually there are 6 to 8 homes that receive meals and deliveries are completed by noon. If you can help, please contact Irene or Dave Rice.



One of the many wonderful things we always enjoy during the Advent and Christmas season is the music that enhances our celebration. On Sunday, December 13, we will present on our YouTube Channel our annual **Service of Lessons and Carols**. More information will be forthcoming!

Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry: Thank you for your monetary and item donations to the food pantry. During the month of September, the pantry served 128 needy guests! Special holiday food bags are planned for Thanksgiving and Christmas. As grocers are restricting special orders and limiting quantities, the pantry could use our help to secure special items. If you would like to donate items, please place them in the designated shopping cart located in our FPC Narthex. Storage space is limited at the pantry, so we will store items here until November but *bring what you can, when you can!*



- Boxed Stuffing Mix
- Cake Mix – any flavor
- Cake Frosting in Can – any flavor
- Regular Ground Coffee – any size – avoid flavored coffee
- Tea – Regular bags for hot or cold – avoid flavored teas

If you have other types of items to donate, you can leave them in the cart as well. Thanks for your generosity. Contact Betty Nicholls for more information.

FPC Merry Mask Makers have extra masks for sale at \$5 each in the narthex. Please leave your check or cash in the designated box. All of the proceeds (100%) will go to purchase new medical equipment and supplies for Fellowship Hall. If you are interested in a custom-made mask, contact Jenny Trussell at cedarstudios4@gmail.com.



This Week at FPC!

Sun, Nov 8	9:00 (indoor) and 11:00 a.m. (outdoor) Sunday Worship		
Mon, Nov 9	12:00	p.m.	Knoxet practice/sanctuary
	6:00	p.m.	Youth Group/Fellowship Hall
	10:00	a.m.	Chair Yoga/Zoom
	10:00	a.m.	PW Nominating Committee/Library
	11:00	a.m.	Lectio Divina/Zoom
Tues, Nov 10	7:00	p.m.	Christian Education/Zoom or Room A
	10:00	a.m.	PET Stated Meeting /Zoom
	10:00	a.m.	PW Circle #1/Narthex
Wed, Nov 11	10:00	a.m.	PW Circle #2/Room A
	7:00	p.m.	Boy Scouts/FH, Narthex, Room A
Thurs, Nov 12	10:00	a.m.	PW Circle #3/Room A
Thurs, Nov 12	10:00	a.m.	Covenant Group/Room A or outside
	6:30	p.m.	Cub Scouts/Fellowship Hall
Fri, Nov 13	7:00	p.m.	Thursday Night Bible Study/Zoom
	7:00	p.m.	Gentle Yoga Class/Zoom



Sunday School at 10:05 a.m.

Class	Room	Topic
Youth	Zoom/ Room 1	Students in this class embark on a journey to explore the <i>Gospel According to Disney</i> . This week we will be watching Pixar shorts; <i>Partly Cloudy</i> and <i>Smash and Grab</i> .
Adult Bible Study Class	Room A	We use <i>The Present Word</i> . This fall we are exploring how God commands us to love one another as God loves us. Three units will study <i>Struggles with Love</i> , <i>Inclusive Love</i> and <i>Godly Love Among Belivers</i> . Each lesson stands alone, so join us any week to participate as you'd like.
Monday Connection	Fellowship Hall	Starting November 15 th , this class will be studying <i>A New Reformation</i> , by author Rob Fuquay. This book will introduce you to the life of Martin Luther and two important themes of the Reformation he sparked: the centrality of Scripture and the power of God's grace. Through a close look into the life of Martin Luther and the world of sixteenth-century Europe, you will discover what makes Luther's message revolutionary today—and how we can embrace Reformation in the church and in our personal lives.
Matt's Class	Zoom/ Library	Join Pastor Matt and his class studying themes from the movie "A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood," a timely story of kindness triumphing over cynicism, based on the true story of a real-life friendship between Fred Rogers (Mister Rogers) and journalist Tom Junod, a jaded magazine writer.