



~The Gathering~

Prelude *May God Bestow On Us His Grace* Bach
 Tami Newsom, organ

Greeting Rev. Matt Nieman

Call to Worship

Alleluia, Christ is risen.
The Lord is risen indeed, alleluia.
 Let the peoples praise you, O God.
Let all the peoples praise you.
 Come, let us worship God.

Processional Hymn #151 *Crown Him with Many Crowns* Diademata

**Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne;
 Hark, how the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own!
 Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee,
 And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.**

**Crown Him the Lord of love; behold His hands and side,
 Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified:
 No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,
 But downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.**

**Crown Him the Lord of peace; whose power a scepter sways
 From pole to pole, that wars may cease, absorbed in prayer and praise:
 His reign shall know no end; and round His pierced feet
 Fair flowers of Paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.**

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**Crown Him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time;
 Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime.
 All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou hast died for me;
 Thy praise shall never, never fail through-out eternity.**

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Prayer of Confession

Loving God, we confess that we are an anxious people who deny your blessing and fail to keep your word.

**Forgive us, we pray, for these and all our sins,
 that we might live in peace and reflect your love in the world;
 through Jesus Christ we pray.**

(please continue in silent prayer)

Kyrie Eleison #572

Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us

Merbecke

Lord, have mer-cy up-on us. Christ, have mer-cy up-on us. Lord, have mer-cy up-on us.

Declaration of Forgiveness

The Response

Gloria Patri

O'Carroll

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
 Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia.

The Peace

The Peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

~The Word~

Prayer for Illumination

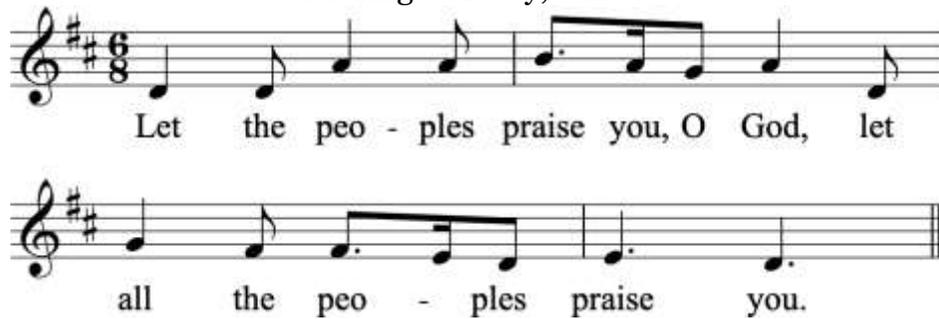
Living God, by the power of your Holy Spirit, fling wide the doors of our hearts this day as we hear your word of life. Open our lives to serve your world in love. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

First Scripture Reading: John 14:23-27

Paul Johnson

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.



Let the peo - ples praise you, O God, let
all the peo - ples praise you.

May God be merciful to us and bless us:
May the light of God's face shine upon us.
Let your way be known upon earth,
your saving health among all nations.
Let the peoples praise you, O God;
Let all the peoples praise you. **(R)**

Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,
For you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the nations on earth.
Let the people praise you, O God;
Let all the peoples praise you. **(R)**

The earth has brought forth its increase;
God, our God, has blessed us.
May God give us blessing,
And may all the end of the earth stand in awe. **(R)**

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Second Scripture Reading: Philippians 2:1-4

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“Consider Others”

Rev. Matt Nieman

~The Response~

Affirmation of Faith (based on Philippians 2:5-11)

Our attitudes should be the same as that of Christ Jesus: Who did not consider equality with God something to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. He humbled himself and became obedient to death, even death on a cross. Therefore, God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

The Anthem

Hark, I Hear The Harp's Eternal
Chancel Choir

arr. Alice Parker/
Robert Shaw

Hark, I hear the harps eternal ringing on the farther shore,
As I near those swollen waters with their deep and solemn roar.
And my soul, tho' stain'd with sorrow, fading as the light of day,
Passes swiftly o'er those waters, to the city far away.
Souls have cross'd before me, saintly, to that land of perfect rest;
And I hear them singing faintly in the mansions of the blest.

Refrain: Hallelujah, praise the lamb!
Hallelujah, Glory to the great I AM!

Call for the Offering

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~

Recessional Hymn #441

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

St. Thomas

**I love Thy kingdom, Lord, the house of Thine abode,
The church our blest Redeemer saved with His own precious blood.**

**I love Thy church, O God; her walls before Thee stand,
Dear as the apple of Thine eye, and graven on Thy hand.**

**For her my tears shall fall, for her my prayers ascend;
To her my cares and toils be given, till toils and cares shall end.**

**Beyond my highest joy I prize her heavenly ways,
Her sweet communion, solemn vows, her hymns of love and praise.**

**Sure as Thy truth shall last, to Zion shall be given
The brightest glories earth can yield, and brighter bliss of heaven.**

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Charge and Benediction

Congregational Response#367

Jesu, Jesu

Chereponi

**Jesu, Jesu, fill us with Your love,
Show us how to serve the neighbors we have from You.**

Postlude

O Fili et Fillae

Dandrieu

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If you would like the church office to record your attendance today, you can:

- scan this QR Code and click on the generated google doc link or
- go to <https://tinyurl.com/record-FPC-attendance> or
- email the office at office@fpctn.org

ROCKERS: Calling all of those over the age of 50 who love food, fun, and fellowship. Rockers will meet on Thursday, May 26th at 11:30 am at Aubrey's on Middlebrook Pike. If you would like to attend, please register on the sign-up sheet in the narthex, or contact Gloria Purjet.



Europe is facing its largest humanitarian crisis since World War II. The United Nations estimates up to 18 million people, both internally displaced and refugees, will eventually be impacted. Your gifts allow for an immediate response from Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) when emergencies first occur, often responding to crises that never make it into the news. To stay informed about the work Presbyterians are doing in and around Ukraine, visit pcusa.org/pda/Ukraine. Pray for our siblings in Ukraine. Pray for peace.

- WAYS TO GIVE -

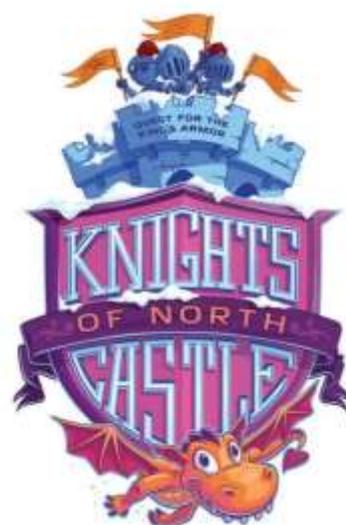
Through the church • Online at pcusa.org/pda/Ukraine • Text PDAUKR to 41444

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY: Bring your crochet hooks and knitting needles to the monthly meeting of our Prayer Shawl Ministry on Tuesday, May 24 at 2pm in the parlor. This group makes comfort shawls for those in our congregation who are experiencing tough times. All yarn and patterns provided. Contact Debbie Long for more information.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Join the men of FPC and friends for a morning of fellowship and Bible study on Thursday, May 26 at 8:00 a.m. in the narthex. Coffee and donuts provided. Contact John Neighbors for more information.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR SUMMER KIDZONE PROGRAM

Have you ever wanted to live the life of royalty? We have a job for you! The FPC Christian Education Committee is looking for adult/teen volunteers to assist with our summer programming needs. We've turned the middle school youth room into a castle complete with thrones and a drawbridge - and need helpers with snacks, science projects, drama readings, and recreation activities. We'll provide all the supplies and details - we just need helpers to show up and work with our adorable kids (ages 3 and up). The program runs from 6/5 through 8/7 on Sundays from 9 - 10 am. You can sign up for as many dates as your schedule allows (and designate your activity preference) through our easy online sign-up sheet at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050A4BA5AC2AA1FA7-kidzone>. Blessings to all in advance for volunteering! Please contact Mason Warren at masonwarren@fpctn.org with volunteer questions or to enroll your child.



Congratulations!



Rachel Hopson

Rachel is graduating from Farragut High School on May 22 and will enroll in the Rocky Top program at Pellissippi State University.



Jacob Nieman

Jacob is graduating from Farragut High School on May 22 and will be attending the University of Alabama in the fall, majoring in Math.



Melena "Molly" Robinson

Molly is graduating from Bearden High School on June 1. She will be attending the University of Tennessee, Knoxville this fall in the College of Arts & Sciences Exploratory program.

Pentecost Sunday – June 5, 2022



Our second special offering for 2022 is the **Pentecost Offering**, designed to help children, youth and young adults build a life of faith. Since the Pentecost offering began in 1998, Presbyterians have given more than \$16 million for ministries that benefit younger people. Per PCUSA guidelines, your gift will be allocated as follows:

- Congregational Initiatives with Young People – 40%
- Serving Communities (Young Adult Volunteers) – 25%
- Guiding Youth (Youth Ministries) – 25%
- Child Advocacy – 10%

Your Outreach Committee has designated the **Emerald Youth Foundation** to receive the local 40% this year. As always, your support of PCUSA special offerings goes to help those in need. A special thanks from your Outreach Committee.

*This special offering will be collected on June 5,
or you can make your donation before then.*

To Donate:

Use an envelope provided at the church or send a check to FPC with *Pentecost Special Offering* on the memo line or submit a gift through e-giving at www.fpctn.org.



At Emerald Youth Foundation, our mission is to raise up a large number of urban youth to love Jesus Christ and become effective leaders who help renew their communities.



Tennessee Smokies Baseball!

June 25th at 7:00 pm
vs. the Chattanooga Lookouts



Join us for a fun night of baseball and fireworks on Saturday, June 25th at Smokies Stadium in Kodak. We have limited seats set aside, so get your reservation in soon. You can turn this form in to the office, email the office at office@fpctn.org, or call the office at 865/966-9547 to reserve your seats. **Non-refundable tickets are \$11 each** –Seats will be in section 114 on the third base side! Parking is \$5 cash per vehicle.

Thomas Ian Nicholas, the actor who played Henry Rowengartner in the 1993 film *Rookie of the Year* will be attending for an autograph meet-and-greet with the fans!

Please complete the RSVP and include cash or your check made out to FPC for the amount of your tickets with 'Smokies BB' in the memo line. (We must have payment by **June 6** to reserve tickets.) Tickets will be held at the stadium Will Call.



Name: _____ # attending: _____

My payment of \$_____ with cash or check # _____ is attached. *Play Ball!*



Tennessee Valley Players Return This Summer with *Something Rotten!*

After a two-year hiatus, the annual collaboration between TVP and the University of Tennessee School of Music Choral Area returns!

Performances are in the Carousel Theatre on the UT campus and will be the last show in that theatre before it is torn down!

Shows are Thursdays-Saturdays June 09, 10, 11, 16, 17, and 18 at 7:30 pm and Sunday matinees at 3:00 pm on June 12 and 19!

Tickets available **[HERE!](#)**

Created by Grammy Award-winning songwriter Wayne Kirkpatrick, *Something Rotten* was lauded by audience members and critics alike, receiving several Best Musical nominations and hailed by Time Out New York as "the funniest musical comedy in at least 400 years".

This Week at FPC

Sun, May 22	9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Sunday Worship		
Mon, May 23	9:00	a.m.	KidZone/Room 1
	2:00	p.m.	TVP Rehearsal/FH, Room A, Narthex
	6:00	p.m.	Youth Group/Fellowship Hall
	9:00	a.m.	Big Fish Academy Training/Fellowship Hall
	10:00	a.m.	Chair Yoga/Narthex
Tues, May 24	11:00	a.m.	Lectio Divina/Parlor
	7:00	p.m.	Session/Library
	10:00	a.m.	PW Coordinating Team/Library
Wed, May 25	2:00	p.m.	Prayer Shawl Ministry/Parlor
	7:00	p.m.	Cub Scout Leaders #444/Room 2
	7:00	p.m.	Boy Scout #444/FH, Narthex, Room A
	2:00	p.m.	Staff Meeting/Library
	4:50	p.m.	FPC Fellowship Golf/Avalon Country Club
Thurs, May 26	6:00	p.m.	TVP Rehearsal/Fellowship Hall, Narthex, Rm A
	7:30	p.m.	Chancel Choir/Sanctuary
	8:00	a.m.	Men's Bible Study/Narthex
	11:30	a.m.	Rockers/Aubrey's on Middlebrook Pike
Fri, May 27	12:00	p.m.	Pastors Lunch/Library
	7:00	p.m.	Thursday Night Bible Study/Zoom
	7:00	p.m.	Gentle Yoga Class/Fellowship Hall

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

Class	Room	Topic
Adult Bible Study	Outside or Parlor	This class has Lectionary-based lessons, so each week we look at the texts that the sermon and worship service are developed from.
Monday Connection	Zoom and Room A	This class is studying "Wholehearted Faith" by Rachel Held Evans. This unforgettable and moving book is for those who long for a sense of spiritual wholeness.
Pastor Matt's Class	Zoom/Library	Jack Rightmyer is leading an in-depth study of the book of Chronicles. Come join us at 10am in the library.
Youth	Room 1	Join the Youth Sunday School as they study <i>The Gospel According to Harry Potter</i> by well-known Christian author and Harry Potter fan Connie Neal.



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