

**Welcome to Worship at First Presbyterian Church**  
Please join us for fellowship and refreshments at “Coffee Hour” in the  
Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.  
( ✚ Latecomers may be seated.)

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**AN ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
**June 26, 2011 10:00 A.M.**

**THE APPROACH**

PRELUDE

*Echo Fantasia*

Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck  
Organ

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Rev. Rosanna Anderson

We cry to God, “How long will you hide your face from me?  
**How long must I have sorrow in my heart all day long?”**  
Even in sorrow and pain, we trust in God’s steadfast love.  
**We sing to God, who has dealt graciously with us.**

HYMN #30 (Songbook)\*

*“Great Is the Lord”*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)\*

**Here we are, O God; we present ourselves to you. But how little we trust you to provide! How we fear the path to which you call us! How wayward we continue to be! We have been slaves to sin, which leads to death. You call us to obedience, which leads to righteousness and life. Lord, forgive our lack of faith and loyalty. Make us obedient from the heart, generous to the people you send our way, and open to your bountiful grace. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON\*

HYMN #577 (Hymnal)\*

*“Gloria Patri”*

THE PEACE\* ✚

WELCOME AND RITUAL OF FELLOWSHIP (Please sign the red “friendship pads” found at the end of each pew by the center aisle. Note the names of those worshipping around you as you pass the pad back. We encourage you to greet each other after the service.)

**PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE ✚

Pastor Lou

SCRIPTURE Hebrews 11: 1-8 Don Winchell  
Pew Bible pg. 225

SPECIAL MUSIC “*For the beauty of the earth*” arr. by Darwin Wolford  
Duet: Gaylord French and Donovan Klotzbeacher

SCRIPTURE Genesis 6: 1-13 Pew Bible pg. 5

SERMON “How Bad Can It Get?” Dr. Louis Mitchell

**THE RESPONSE**

HYMN #293 (Hymnal)\* “*This Is My Father’s World*”

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH Rev. Anderson

THE LORD’S PRAYER (Unison)

**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 GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory “*I love to tell the story*” Diemer  
Gaylord French, organ

Hymn #593 (Hymnal)\* “*Doxology*”  
Prayer of Dedication\* Rev. Anderson

HYMN #19 (Songbook)\* “*Glorify Thy Name*”

BENEDICTION\*

POSTLUDE\* *Toccata* Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck  
Organ

**\*ALL WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND**

~~ CALENDAR ~~

**June 19, 2011 - June 26, 2011**

<b>Sunday 26</b>	10:00a Worship followed by Fellowship 4:00p-5:00p Cranbury Scout Band Practice - upstairs classroom
<b>Monday 27</b>	7:30p Brass Choir 8:00p AI-Anon-McK Rm
<b>Tuesday 28</b>	<b>9:00a Bulletin Material Due</b> 7:30p Deacons - FH 7:30p AA - McKnight Room
<b>Wednesday 29</b>	11:00a Staff Mtg.-Church Office
<b>Thursday 30</b>	
<b>Friday 1</b>	9:00a Bulletin Assembly-Church Office 7:30p AA - McKnight Room
<b>Saturday 2</b>	6:00p Guatemala Mission Trip returning (VAN)
<b>Sunday 3</b>	10:00a Worship with Communion followed by Fellowship

**Visitors!** We hope you will find a warm welcome here. We invite you to consider membership in our church family. Please speak to one of the greeters or pastors after worship for more information.

**Childcare is provided during worship.** Children from birth to age 2 may be taken to the infant room, and children age 3 through Kindergarten are welcome in the toddler room. Laurie Davis is the Nursery Coordinator ([MusicMomNJ@comcast.net](mailto:MusicMomNJ@comcast.net)).

Our congregation is very happy to have children participate in worship with their family as part of our church family! "Worship bags" containing quiet faith activities are available in the narthex for children to enjoy during worship.

**Hearing devices** are now available for your convenience in the narthex. The ushers can assist you.

**Gluten free bread** is now available at all communion services. During our Intinction services, it will be presented on the bread and cup trays which are served to those who do not come forward. At our regular communion service, it will be in a small cup or area in the center of the bread trays which are passed throughout the aisles.

**We thank those who are serving today in these ways:**

**The Flowers** in the chancel today are given in memory of Henry Vincent Smith, Happy Birthday from Kevin, Diane and Erin.

**Head Ushers** are Ken Ellsworth and Ginny Swanagan.

**Coffee Hour** is hosted today by Doreen Grand-Jean and Fran Stewart.

**After Church Greeters** are Art and Gloria-Jean Ryba.

**PRAYER CHAIN**

If you have a prayer request, or if you would like to become part of the "chain" of church members who pray daily with and for people with a particular need, please contact the church office at 395-0897.

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Church members with special needs:** Marge Bloom; Martha Davis; Kim Hafner; John Henzler; Ethel Mesner; Helen Myer; Walter Ornberg; Russ Richardson; Marion Sutton; Anna Wahler; Mildred Watts and Edward Zimmerman.

**Family and Friends of Church Members for whom prayers are asked:** Vicki Bain's mother, Joan Stiles; Alan and Barbara Balcomb's grandson, Zachary; Rose Eller's sister, Frieda Applegate; Gail Geijer's son, Dan; Bev and Craig Gilbert's daughter-in-law, Beth Hurley; Joanne Hughes' parents, Cornelius and Bella Tanis; Linda Ill's mother, Carol Scarpone; Carolyn Lee's husband, John; Gretchen Stults' granddaughter-in-law, Erin Haverkamp; and friend of the church, Mary Lou Valente.

**We pray** for all the people who are in need in our wider community and please remember family and friends in our nation's service.

**Prayer Requests in the Bulletin:** *In order to keep the prayer request list up to date we will print the names of friends and family of church members who have prayer requests for one month. After that time you may call the church office to have a name reappear on the prayer list.*

- Please be sure to sign the "**Pipeline to Session**" cards found in the pews if you have any questions/concerns for the Session. This is a great way to give "kudos" as well!

**Birthdays of Distinction:** Nancy Stewart on June 26 and Dorothy Orey on July 3rd. **Happy Birthday!**

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~~ CPNS ~~

Our CPNS Summer Program will be held during the weeks of July 18th and the 25th. Our children going into our 3-year-old classes will be taught by Rebecca Franke and Mrs. "K"; our 4-year-old classes will be taught by Laurie Davis and Linda Protinick and our children going into Kindergarten and 1st grade will be taught by Rosellyn Cassidy and Vicki Bain. We are looking forward to sharing with the children a Polar Expedition along with themes such as Music, Animals, the Beach and Bugs. We will continue to enjoy the CPNS garden and all the rewards of the children's hard work. Thank you so much Rosellyn for making sure the garden is a learning experience for everyone. If you are already registered we look forward to sharing this wonderful learning adventure with you, if you or a neighbor are still interested we have just a few spots left.

We also continue to register for the 2011-2012 school year. Please call Janice Parker at (609)655-8663 or e-mail her at [CPNSchool@comcast.net](mailto:CPNSchool@comcast.net) for more information. Don't forget to tell your friends and neighbors about our developmentally appropriate academic Christian preschool. We don't want anyone to miss the opportunity to give their children the best and strongest foundation for their child's academic success.

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~~ MISSION, SERVICE & GRANTS ~~

**SNIPPETS FROM THE YEAR BOOK OF PRAYER:** Let's travel to India today and meet Rani, a poor, single thirty-two year old woman who supports a family of two mothers and two younger sisters. She has been enabled to do what she does through the Joining Hands country network in India and through its Women's Co-operative Alternative Livelihood Program. She has been empowered with ownership, control, and management of land, has been provided seed money, knowledge in sustainable and organic forms of cultivation, and the facilitation of cooperative livelihood activities. She has enhanced her profit margin from \$40 to \$230 by cultivating rice organically. She is part of a small women's collective and though it processes the rice and sells it directly into the market. The major story behind her improved life is that various resources have joined together to make it happen.

**SKEET'S PANTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP AGAIN - OUR SHELVES ARE LOW**

We're still seeing more and more people in need of food each month, with several new folks arriving monthly, too. The shelves are looking a little empty after our recent (June 17) food pantry, so we could use your help again.

We especially need:

- Cereal(family size boxes are particularly useful)
- Tuna Fish (in cans)
- Soup(in cans)
- Canned Fruit

Our families could also use Laundry Detergent and Toothpaste.

Please remember to check the dates on any food donations to be sure they haven't expired. Just put your donations in the wheelbarrow outside church on Sunday or leave bags in the front hall of our Parish House.

And please pat yourselves on the back for being such wonderful neighbors to the people in our surrounding communities who have fallen on hard times. We're averaging at least 150 people (parents and children as well as senior citizens) who are turning to us for help on the third Friday of each month (8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.). THANK YOU and God's Blessings to you for making the mission of Skeet's Pantry possible.

**All Aboard for TASK:** We are looking for teen and young adult volunteers to serve a meal at TASK this summer. The dates are **Thursday, July 7** and **Thursday, August 4** from 2:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. It is a wonderful experience and a meaningful way to serve the church and the folks at TASK. TASK is depending on us. Please contact Anne Gordon, (609)409-7885 or email [kgordon22@comcast.net](mailto:kgordon22@comcast.net) if you can help. Thanks!

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~~ STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE ~~

Counting Teams: 6/26 (Team #4) - 7/3 (Team #1)

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~~ WORSHIP ~~

If you would like to be a lay reader, please sign-up on the schedule in the Fellowship Hall for July through December 2011.

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~~ YOUTH MINISTRY ~~

**UPCOMING EVENTS for JULY**

- July 7 (Thursday) Service Project: Assist at TASK** from 2:30-6:00 p.m. Students age 13 and up are invited to serve a meal at Trenton Area Soup Kitchen. Please wear closed-toed shoes, a modest t-shirt/polo shirt and jeans. Contact Anne Gordon if you can help out.
- July 17- July 21 (Sunday - Thursday) Youth Mission Trip at Camp Johnsonburg**  
Our youth mission team will be commissioned in worship at 10:00 a.m. We will lodge and eat meals at Camp Johnsonburg, do projects there, and assist nearby Andover Presbyterian Church with work projects, and enjoy a hike in the mountains before we return.
- July 24 (Sunday) Assist in worship** at 10:00 a.m. with our report on the Youth Mission Trip
- July 31 (Sunday) Commissioning of VBS leaders** in worship at 10:00 a.m.