WELCOME

Whether today is your first time worshipping with us or you are from one of our founding families, we are glad you are here! The First Presbyterian Church of East Hampton is an affirming and welcoming community, always looking for new ways to embody Jesus’ call to love God and our neighbors in this community and throughout the world. We’d love for you to be part of our future, continuing Jesus Christ’s earthly ministry of building God’s Kingdom.

Sharing the Light of Christ for 370 Years

Visiting with Children?

* **Activity materials** for young worshipers are located behind the last pew at the center aisle.
* **Infant and child care:** We love having kids of all ages in worship. If you do need to take your child out during the service, a room with rocking chair, changing table, and toys is upstairs from the narthex (lobby). We invite you to return with your child whenever you choose to.
* **Restrooms:** Please accompany children (under age 10) to the restrooms, which are located by each side entrance, in the narthex.

Special Needs?

* **Earphones** and **large print hymnals** are available from the ushers.
* **Feel free to ask** ushers for any assistance that you might need.

Please Come Again

* **Sunday Worship** is always at 10:00. We celebrate the **Lord’s Supper** on the first Sunday of each month.
* **Sunday School** gathers after the Children’s Message, so children age 3 – grade 5 join us for the beginning of each worship service.
* **Youth Group (grades 6-12)** meets most Sunday evenings at 5:00 during the school year. Ask Pastor Scot for more information.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF EAST HAMPTON

Celebration of the Lord’s Day

June 9, 2019

Day of Pentecost

Gathering in God’s Name

Worshiping the Light of Christ

Speak out with a voice of joy; let it be heard to the ends of the earth. The Lord has set his people free. Alleluia

Welcome and Parish Concerns

Prelude

*Call to Worship (Acts 2)

Leader: As they gathered to hear the Word proclaimed on that first Pentecost,
People: So, too, we gather today to celebrate the coming of the Spirit.
Leader: Awe came upon the community of faith as they encountered the living Lord.
People: Tell us, Holy Spirit, of the majesty and awe of God’s abiding presence.
Leader: Let us worship God!

*Opening Prayer (Acts 2, John 14)

*Hymn #279 (purple) Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove

Confession and Pardon (unison) (Acts 2)

God of rushing wind and dancing flames, we confess that we have too often resisted the urgings of the Spirit and turned away from those who are different. You seek to enlarge our understanding and bridge our divides, but we cling to that which is comfortable and known. We have hoarded our resources out of fear rather than following the example of your earliest church and sharing with all as any have need. Forgive our lack of trust in You. Fill us with your Holy Spirit, personally and as the church, as on that first Pentecost. Embolden us to live renewed and transformed lives as disciples of our risen Lord, Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Silent Confession

Kyrie (Hymn 551, purple) Lord, have mercy

Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon (John 14)

Pastor: Pastor speaks… Friends, hear and trust the good news:
People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

* Please stand if you are able
Moment for Mission
Debbie Mansir, Chair of the Mission Committee

*Passing of the Peace (John 14)

*Gloria (Hymn 582, purple) Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me
Paul M. Vasile

Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me, and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen
World without end, without end. Amen. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

Proclaiming God’s Word

Children’s Message

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading
Old Testament Genesis 11:1-9 (OT Page 9)
Gospel John 14:8-17, 25-27 (NT Page 108)

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God!

Sermon
One Language Pastor Scot

Responding to God with Thanksgiving

*Hymn #291 (purple) Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness
James K. Manley

*Affirmation of Faith – adapted from A Declaration of Faith (PCUS 1977, PC(USA) 1985)

We affirm that the Holy Spirit is the Lord and Giver of life, the Renower and Perfector of
God’s people, the One who makes real in us what God has done for us. We believe that
by the power of the same Spirit, the church can be set on its way again, even when it
seems beyond hope of renewal. We are grateful heirs of reformations and awakenings.
We are faithful to the reformers of the past when we hold ourselves open in the present to
the reforming and renewing work of the Spirit. We testify that today this same Holy
Spirit makes us able to respond in faith to the gospel and leads us into the Christian
community. The Spirit brings us out of death into life, out of separation into fellowship.
The Spirit impels us to make the unity of Christians visible to a divided world and
assures us that we shall be one. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Pastor: Move in us, Holy Spirit.
Response: (music in purple hymnbook #284)

Holy Spirit come to us; kindle in us the fire of your love.
Holy Spirit come to us. Holy Spirit come to us.

This Week’s Calendar

Today, June 9
10:00 am Worship and Sunday School
Memorial For Deacon Matthew Lester
Deacon’s Coffee Hour

Monday, June 10 (office closed)
2:00 pm RISE Sensitivity and Team Building Training
Al-Anon, Session House

Tuesday, June 11
12:30 pm LVIS Meeting, Session House
2:30 pm Deacons Coffee Hour
7:30 am Men’s Club, John Papas Café
1:00 pm Knitting group, M. Siska’s House
5:00 pm Y12SR Yoga class, Session House

Wednesday, June 12
1:00 pm Book Club, Session House

Thursday, June 13
12:30 pm Al Anon, downstairs
5:00 pm Acoustic Song Sharing
7:00 pm Chancel choir rehearsal

Saturday, June 15
4:00 pm Nichole Berg Wedding

Sunday, June 16
10:00 am Children’s Day Worship

Ongoing Community Outreach

MAUREEN’S HAVEN brings a variety of organizations and houses of worship
together to provide safe, warm temporary shelter to homeless individuals from
November through March. Headquartered in Riverhead, Maureen’s Haven serves the
entire East End and regularly provides shelter here in East Hampton. First Presbyterian
provides ongoing food and financial support to their programs. Find out more at
www.maureenshaven.com or on their Facebook page.

LAUNDRY LOVE helps people who are struggling financially by assisting them with
doing their laundry. You can put coins or cash in the labeled container in the Narthex
or a check in the morning offering with “Laundry Love” on the memo line.

EASTHAMPTON FOOD PANTRY serves our community by collecting food and
distributing it to those in need. You can donate food here at the church by placing non-
perishable food in the box in the narthex. Find out more at easthamptonfoodpantry.org.
This week’s item of the week to bring in next Sunday is canned meat.

Y12SR (Yoga 12-Step Recovery) is a weekly program that serves people
recovering from all manifestations of addiction, from behavioral addictions to
substance abuse - creating a safe place on the mat where trauma can be released.
A local Y12SR group meets with a certified instructor in the Session House each
Tuesday at 5pm.

AL-ANON is a worldwide anonymous fellowship offering a program of recovery for
friends and families of alcoholics. Al-Anon meets in the Session House, Mondays &
Thursdays at 12:30 pm.
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.

Choral Prayer Response
O My God and King and Savior, I will bless you every day, you are great beyond all telling yet will listen when I pray.

Tithes and Offerings – Visitor and Prayer Cards may also be placed in the collection boxes
Chancel Choir Offertory
*Doxology (Hymn 606, purple)  Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow  Old Hundredth
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

*Prayer of Dedication
Going Forth in God’s Name

*Hymn #280 (purple)  Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us  Janie Alford
*Charge, Benediction, and Response (#601) (purple)  Amen  Danish Amen

*Taking the Light of Christ into the World
Postlude

WORSHIP LEADERS
Rev. Scot McCachren, Pastor
Jane Hastay, Music Director
Paul Vogel, Lay Reader
Chancel Choir

ELDER OF THE MONTH
David Filer

DEACON OF THE MONTH
Angel Schade

FLOWERS on the communion table are given “in loving memory of Matthew Lester in honor of what would have been his 20th birthday June 8th.”
To offer flowers in memory or honor of a loved one, contact Summer Borsack, (631) 903-0778 or summerborsack@gmail.com

THIS WEEK’S CARE & OUTREACH Team: Marian McMahon & Zannetta Classens
"Care Cards" to brighten someone’s day are available in the Narthex -- please help yourself.

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