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.

* **Infants and children**: We love having kids of all ages in worship! If you do need to take your child out during the service, a room with toys, a rocking chair, and changing table is upstairs above the narthex. 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 several Sundays each month around noon during the school year. Ask Pastor Scot for more information.

Gathering in God’s Name

Prelude

Welcome and Parish Concerns

Voluntary

* **Call to Worship** (Isaiah 9, Psalm 27, Matthew 4)

  **Leader**: The Lord is our light and our salvation.

  **People**: Whom shall we fear?

  **Leader**: The Lord sets us high on a rock, above our enemies.

  **People**: The Lord shelters us in our day of trouble.

  **Leader**: We, who have walked in darkness, have seen a great light.

  **People**: We, who have dwelled in a land of deep darkness, on us, light has shined.

  **Leader**: The Lord is our light and our salvation.

  **People**: Whom shall we fear?

* **Opening Prayer** (Isaiah 9, Psalm 27)

* **Hymn #234** (purple)

  **Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain**

  Arthur S Sullivan

Confession and Pardon (Psalm 27; Matthew 4)

Glorious God, we behold the beauty of your dwelling place, and feel unworthy to meet you there. We view the cleft in the rock, where you would hide us from our enemies, and we shrink from its dizzying height. When your prophets are arrested and put to death, we hide in the darkness, rather than proclaim the dawning of your great light. Guide our timid feet, O God, and do not turn your face from us. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

* **Passing the Peace of Christ** (Isaiah 9)

* **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.

* Please stand if you are able
Proclaiming God’s Word

Children’s Message
Prayer for Illumination
Scripture Reading
Old Testament Isaiah 9:1-4 (OT Page 638)
Psalter Psalm 27:1, 4-9 (OT Page 503)
Gospel Matthew 4:12-23 (NT Page 3)
Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God!

Sermon
Responding to God with Thanksgiving
Pastor Scot

*Hymn #721 (purple) Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore Cesáreo Gabaráin

Affirmation of Faith – adapted from the Confession of 1967 (9.10) The risen Christ is the Savior for all people. Those joined to him by faith are set right with God and commissioned to serve as the Lord’s reconciling community. Christ is head of this community, the Church, which began with the apostles and continues through all generations. Amen.

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

Prayer Response I waited patiently for God, for God to hear my prayer

Tithes and Offerings – Visitor and Prayer Cards may also be placed in the collection boxes

Offertory Canticle of the Sun Marty Haugen

*Doxology (Hymn 606, purple) Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow Genevan Psalter

*Prayer of Dedication (Isaiah 9, Matthew 4) Amen

Going Forth in God’s Name

*Hymn #826 (purple) Lift High the Cross Sidney Hugo Nicholson

*Charge, Benediction, and Response (Hymn 601) (purple) Amen Danish Amen

Postlude Please remain standing at your pew until choir recesses

WORSHIP LEADERS
The Reverend Scot McCachren, Pastor Ken and Linda Brown
Harriet Edwards, Organist David Filer and Ashley Milne-Tyte
Don Smith, Lay Reader
Chancel Choir

ELDER OF THE MONTH
Linda Child

DEACON OF THE MONTH
Paul Vogel

FLOWERS on the Communion Table are given to the Glory of God from the Deacons Flower Fund.
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: David Cataletto & Patty Wadzinsky
"Care Cards" to brighten someone’s day are available in the Narthex – please help yourself.

Unceasing Prayer
You may make prayer requests using a “Request for Prayer” pew card or by contacting Pastor Scot directly. Unless otherwise requested, names will be included on this prayer list for four weeks. Requests can always be renewed. Trusting that God knows each person and need, please hold these people in your prayers…

Roger Walker Orestes Paez Shane Hanley Jim Winkler John Blake
Meghan Payne and her family Whitaker Raymer Linda Leland
Gail Stone Family of Fred Christenson Family of Marci Chatfield Patricia Schade

This Week’s Calendar

Today, January 26
10:00 am Worship and Sunday School
Handbell Rehearsal

Monday, January 27 (office closed)
12:30 pm Al-Anon
7:30 pm Men’s Club, John Papas Café
1:00 pm Knitting Group, M. Siska’s House

Tuesday, January 28
7:00 pm Session Meeting
12:00 pm Prayer Circle, Sanctuary
12:15 pm Brown Bag Bible Study
12:30 pm Al Anon

Wednesday, January 29 (office closed)
12:00 pm Men’s Club, John Papas Café

Thursday, January 30
12:30 pm Al Anon
10:00 am Worship with communion and Sunday School
Inquirer’s Class

Sunday, February 2
10:00 am Worship with communion and Sunday School
Inquirer’s Class

Pastors Emeriti
The Rev. Dr. John Ames
The Rev. Dr. Fred Schulz

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Gina Remana, Administrator
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Office Hours: Weekdays (except closed Wednesdays), 8:00 – 1:00
**Parish Happenings**

*Have You Considered Joining Our Church?* Pastor Scot will hold an Inquirer’s Class in the Session House after worship on **Sunday, February 2**. Learn about First Presbyterian, the PC(USA), and how we might be a fit for you. We’d love for you to join us! If interested, please talk to Pastor Scot or sign up by contacting the church office at (631) 324-0711 or fpcsecy@optonline.net.

**Help rebuild Puerto Rico** PC(USA) is committed to our siblings in Puerto Rico as they recover from the recent devastating earthquakes and Hurricane Maria. Homes, churches, and businesses are in a state of ruin all over the island. You can help with financial donations through January by placing a check in the offering box, made out to FPCEH with Puerto Rico listed in the memo line.

**Movie Night for All Ages!** Join us Friday, **February 7**, at 6:30 in the Session House, for movie night. “Babe” is the story of a spunky little pig who is raised by sheepdogs on their Australian farm. It turns out he also has a talent for herding. With the help of his friends, Babe overcomes prejudice and triumphs against some pretty steep odds. It’s a wonderful movie for all ages. We’ll have popcorn and then a pizza dinner after the movie (freewill basket to help cover the pizza). *Everybody come!* This is an excellent way for the children of First Presbyterian to enjoy fellowship with older members and develop loving memories of their church.

**DO YOU GET OUR WEEKLY E-MAIL NEWSLETTER?** “News from the Pews” comes out each Wednesday afternoon. If you are not on our mailing list, you can sign up by dropping a note in the offering box with your email address, or online at www.fpceh.org/weekly-email-newsletter

**EAST HAMPTON FOOD PANTRY** serves our community by collecting food and distributing it to those in need. This week’s item of the week to bring in next Sunday is **pasta & sauce**.

**Men’s Club Weekly Breakfast** at John Papas each **Tuesday morning** at 7:30 to share breakfast and a time of fellowship together. Come on out and enjoy some good food, good coffee, and good conversation!

**Brown Bag Bible Study** meets with Pastor Scot each Thursday at 12:15 in the Parish House. Still early in our study of Genesis, we are just starting the Abraham narrative. This is a great opportunity for you to come out, take a deep dive into God’s Word, and enjoy fellowship with others!

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*Officer is currently serving second consecutive term

**Some Important 2020 Worship Services to Put on Your Calendar**

- **Ash Wednesday** 7:00 pm, February 26 (at Old Whalers’)
- **Palm Sunday** 10:00 am, April 5
- **Maundy Thursday** 7:00 pm, April 9 (at Amagansett)
- **Good Friday** 7:00 pm, April 10
- **Easter Sunrise** 6:00 am, April 12 (Main Beach)
- **Easter Service** 10:00 am, April 12
- **Longest Night** 7:00 pm, December 21
- **Christmas Eve** 5:00 & 8:00, December 24

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**The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light.** Isaiah 9:2