

**A SERVICE OF WORSHIP**  
**CELEBRATING PENTECOST WITH THE SACRAMENTS**  
**OF BAPTISM AND THE LORD'S SUPPER**

June 4, 2017 at 10:00am

Pentecost

***We Gather Around God's Word***

*Prelude*

*"Andante Tranquillo"*

*Whitlock*

*Robert Grube, Jr., Organist*

Welcome

Rev. Chris Kile

*Introit*

*Chancel Choir, Alison R. Nead, Directing*

**\*Call to Worship (Psalm 104: 31-35)**

Jamie Kile

Leader: May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may the Lord rejoice in his works...

**People: who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and they smoke.**

Leader: We will sing to the Lord as long as we live; we will sing praise to God while we have being.

**People: May our meditations be pleasing to God, for we rejoice in the Lord.**

**Everyone: Bless the Lord, O my soul. Praise the Lord!**

***\*Song of Gathering #464 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"***

*HYMN TO JOY*

**\*We are Called to Confession and Reconciliation**

Jacqueline Smith

**Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in what we have thought, said, did, and by what we didn't do. We haven't prayed to you as we should, and we have worshipped others. We have not loved you with our entire heart, mind, and strength. Also, we have not loved our neighbors nor have we loved ourselves. With your mercy, forgive our sins, and help us to be the loving and honest people you created us to be. With your guidance, help us to walk in the path that you paved for us, and help us to worship you to the best of our ability. Now, in silence, may we silently confess to you our personal sins...**

***Congregational Response***

*See ye first the kingdom of God  
and its righteousness  
and all these things shall be added unto you.  
Allelu, alleluia!*

Assurance of Reconciliation

Rev. Chris Kile

***\*We Glorify God (holding hands)***

*Gloria Patri*

*Glory be to the Father*

*And to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;*

*As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,*

*World without end, Amen, Amen.*

***We Proclaim God's Word***

**Prayer for Illumination**

Billy Muench

**O Lord, no one lives by bread alone but by your eternal Word. By your Spirit, make us hungry for this spiritual food, that we may live according to your will for the sake of our savior, Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.**

Scripture Reading: Acts 2:1-13 (N.T. pg. 144)

Billy Muench

Children's Message

Mason Towery and Colin Farley

Child care will be provided for infants to 2 ½ year olds in the Nursery on the first floor across from Thomson Youth Center. Classes will be held for children ages 3 years through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade in their regular Sunday School classrooms. Our 4th through 8th graders will remain in worship to celebrate the Lord's Supper.

*Anthem*

*"A Mighty Wind"*

*Beale/Carson*

*Chancel Choir, Alison R. Nead, Directing*

Scripture Reading Acts 2: 14-21 (N.T. pg. 144)

Mason Towery

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Meditation

Dan Graziano and Kate Bracke

***We Respond to God's Word***

The Sacrament of Baptism with Reaffirmation of Baptismal Vows    Revs. Unzaga and Kile  
Presentation

Profession of Faith

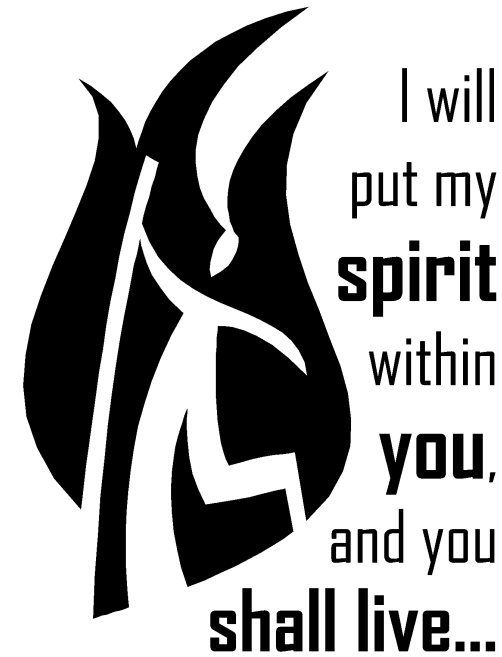
**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; 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.**

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Ezekiel 37:14, NRSV

The Ministers of the First Presbyterian Church, Cranford NJ:

The Entire Congregation of FPCC

Pastor and Head of Staff – Rev. John Christian Kile

Associate Pastor – Rev. Caroline Unzaga

Music Director – Alison R. Nead

Assistant Music Director – Elsa G. Hahn

Organist – Robert Grube, Jr.

Administrative Coordinator – Carol Thee

Sunday School Coordinator – Beth Marshall

Youth Fellowship Coordinator – Ashley Kile

Thanksgiving Over the Water

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise!**

Baptism and Laying On of Hands

Prayer For Those Reaffirming the Baptismal Covenant and Laying on of Hands

**The Welcome**

**People: With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you into Christ's church  
to share with us in his ministry, for we are all one in Christ.**

**Passing of the Peace**

We Worship With Our Offerings

Call for Offering

*Offertory*

*"Folk Tune"*

*Robert Grube, Jr., Organist*

Jacqueline Smith

*Whitlock*

**\*Doxology**

*OLD HUNDREDTH*

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;*

*Praise Him, all creatures here below;*

*Praise Him above, Ye heavenly host;*

*Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen*

\*Prayer of Dedication

Mason Towery

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Rev. Chris Kile

**\*Invitation to the Table**

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving, Prayers of the People and **The Lord's Prayer**

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts!

**People: We lift them to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise!**

The Words of Institution

Communion of the Bread and Cup

Prayer after Communion

**\*Hymn of Sending #525 "Here I Am, Lord"**

*HERE I AM, LORD*

Benediction

Rev. Caroline Unzaga

*Postlude*

Today, the congregation will exit the sanctuary through the Main Doors in the Narthex, led by the Confirmands. From there, please join the procession up Springfield Ave. to Bates Hall where we will gather for celebration and fellowship, enjoying the fresh strawberries of the season.

## Prayers of the Church Family

Pray for those in the FPCC Family facing health challenges and the loss of family members.

Pray for loved ones and friends of the FPCC Family.

Please ask for God's daily blessing for all those serving in the military, those in leadership of our nation, married couples facing turmoil and for peace in our country and the world.

*Emergency and immediate prayer support is available for friends and family of the Church! Please join over 200 of us on the First Presbyterian Church Prayer Chain. We would love to have you. There are no calls to make; simply receive emails and add them to your prayer list. We are here to help you with this special Spirit-filled ministry. To add someone, contact Linda Thorn at [lindathorn427@gmail.com](mailto:lindathorn427@gmail.com), at 908 358 8127 or at our new prayer chain address [Prayerchain@firstprescranford.org](mailto:Prayerchain@firstprescranford.org).*



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## TODAY

**WORSHIP BAGS** for children and for toddlers may be found in a basket at the entrance to the sanctuary. Please return the worship bags following the worship service.

**FLOWERS** – The flowers today are given in loving memory of Marjorie and Henry. The basket on the piano is given in loving memory of Ginny and Dick.

**STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL and CONFIRMATION CELEBRATION SUNDAY!** The Strawberry Festival will be held on Bates Patio during Fellowship Time immediately after worship this morning. Come, enjoy delicious berries and cream and welcome our newest members from both the Confirmation and New Members Classes!

**“SHARE THE SPIRIT” FOOD COLLECTION** – As part of our preparation of the Lord's Table this morning, we will bring forth an offering of non-perishable grocery items which we will donate to local food banks. Additional donations can still be made during the month at the bins across from the church office.

**THE “LOOSE OFFERING”** – Undesignated cash and coin given today and every Communion Sunday supports the Deacons' Fund assisting those in need in our community.

## WELCOME!

Today we welcome New Members:

*Cindi Bell*  
*Cheryl Gamba*  
*Ronald Gamba*  
*Colleen Kurowsky*  
*Scott Kurowsky*  
*Daniel Legiec*  
*Sabrina Legiec*  
*Michael Mago*  
*Mary Petty*  
*Elizabeth (Lizzie) Willey*  
*Andrew Willey*

And we Congratulate and Welcome to This Ministry this year's Confirmands!

*Katharine Bracke*  
*Daniel Graziano*  
*William Muench*  
*Jacqueline Smith*  
*Mason Towery*

## LOOKING AHEAD

**GOLF OUTING** – The Cranford Jaycees will sponsor their 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing on June 23<sup>rd</sup>. Proceeds will be donated to FPCC for the purpose of refinishing the floor in Bates Hall. Watch future bulletins for details.

**SUMMER MUSIC** - We are looking for people to sing or play for the summer season when the choirs are taking a well-deserved time off. Many Sundays are still open so check your calendar and let us know. Sunday services are held in the Chapel at 10 am. Please email [music@firstprescranford.org](mailto:music@firstprescranford.org) to schedule a day. Thank you and keep singing!

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** – Classes are filling up! Register now! VBS will be held July 24<sup>th</sup> through July 28<sup>th</sup> for children entering Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. See Beth Marshall for registration info or stop in the church office.

## THIS WEEK'S FPCC CALENDAR

### Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup>

|          |                                    |                    |
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| 8:30 am  | Bible Study                        | Board Room         |
| 9:00 am  | Special Session Meeting            | Mettam Lounge      |
| 10:00 am | Worship - Confirmation Celebration | Sanctuary          |
| 10:15 am | Sunday School                      | Education Building |
| 11:00 am | Fellowship – Strawberry Festival   | Bates Patio        |
| 1:00 pm  | Labyrinth                          |                    |
| 6:30 pm  | Youth Fellowship                   |                    |
| 6:30 pm  | Grief Seminar                      | Chapel             |

### Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup>

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| 7:00 pm | Presbyterian Women | Thomson Youth Center |
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### Tuesday, June 6<sup>th</sup>

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| 7:30 pm | Service and Mission | Board Room |
| 7:30 pm | Worship and Music   |            |

### Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup>

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| 6:30 am  | Men's Prayer Breakfast | Rustic Mill Diner     |
| 10:00 am | Pray First             | Dorothy Snyder Chapel |
| 7:30 pm  | Personnel              | Board Room            |

### Thursday, June 8<sup>th</sup>

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| 1:00 pm | Worship Visioning Team | Board Room |
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### Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup>

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| 11:00 pm | Memorial Service for Ann Weisgerber | Sanctuary |
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### Sunday, June 11<sup>th</sup>

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| 8:30 am  | Bible Study                       | Board Room                  |
| 10:00 am | Worship                           | Sanctuary                   |
| 11:00 am | Fellowship                        | Library                     |
| 11:00 am | Deacons                           | Board Room                  |
| 5:00 pm  | Inspire! Worship Service          | Chapel                      |
| 6:00 pm  | Pot Luck Supper, Youth Fellowship | Thomson Youth Center        |
| 6:30 pm  | Grief Seminar                     | Chapel, Library, Bates Hall |



Summer Worship Schedule

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**This summer there will be  
ONE Worship Service  
at 10am, in our air-conditioned  
Snyder Chapel.**