

GIVE THANKS TO GOD

RECEPTION OF OUR OFFERING Encouragement Cards may be placed in the collection plate for mailing. Please include the address of non-member. **Please sign the yellow prayer cards when you submit them so we know who to follow up with.**

Offertory

*Doxology – Hymn # 34

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of our Church and The Lord's Prayer

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*Hymn # 198

"Good Christian Friends, Rejoice"

Benediction

* Postlude

* Those who are able, please stand

The Greeters as you entered were the Beth & Jeff Gardner.

Assisting with worship is Carole Sachtleben.

The Greeters after church are Nancy Lennon and Pat Rishel.

Pastor Rick's sermon next Sunday, "Making an Immaculate Reception," will encourage us to receive Jesus anew in our hearts, as we begin our 375th year. Please read John 1:1-18 in preparation for our worship time together. We will also celebrate the Sacrament of The Lord's Supper!

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Bill Acquino	Frank Harp	Marlene Rose
Jason Acquino	Henry Hildreth	John Rosko
Kim Bagley	Adam Hinman	Jeff Runyan
Jack Barwick	Colleen Hofmeister	Mary Sasso
JoAnn Barwick	Jeff Jones, Jr.	Ginny Schmiemann
Mary Beatty	Pastor Doug Kinney	Virginia Strong
Mary Benson	Joseph Kuder	Sherry Swanson
Drew Birdsall	Margaret Kuder	Tammy Tocci
Benjamin Callanan	Helen Main	Perry Tuccarone
Pat Carson	Don McKay	Mary Ann Tupper
Arthur Davis	Kevin Milby	Rick Vinski
June Donahue	Myles O'Malley	Frank Walters
Harriette Dukeshire	Carrissa Pepitone	Bryan Weller
Bill Frey	James Phillips	Jennifer Wisner
Fleurette Guilloz	Sam Price	Doug Yuen
Glenn Halsey, Sr.		

The Family & Friends of Louise McGuinn

Paul Rogers & Family in passing of his mother Charlotte Rogers Smith

The Family & Friends of Karin Zebrowski

PRAYERS FOR THE FOLLOWING MILITARY PERSONNEL:

Cpl Brian Armusewicz	CS3 Dylan McMahon	Capt. Alex Runyan
SFC Mildred Hill	PFC Jason Neville	Airman Alana Smith
Sgt. John Jones	SPC Dale Newcomb	SSgt Jamie Westerhoff Hord
Capt. Timothy Kuehhas	SPC Brandon Rist	Lt. Bradley A. Woods
SPC Kenny Lockard		Sgt. David Worrell

Happening at FPC...

Day	Date	Time	Event
Tues	12/30	7pm	AI Anon & AI ATeen Meetings
Wed	12/31	8pm	AA
Thurs.	Church Office Closed in Observance of New Year's Day		
Fri	01/02	6pm	AA Meeting
Sun	0104/	9am 10am	Confirmation Class Communion Worship Service followed by fellowship time

Tentative Projected Schedule of Events **375th Anniversary Year**

First Presbyterian Church, Southampton, New York

(This is an ongoing work in progress...)

January: 1640 Bible Challenge begins...
"Bring Your Bible" Luncheon 1/11

February: "Bring Your Favorite Recipe" Luncheon cookbook kick-off 2/22

March: Village Opening Convocation at FPC 3/7
17th Century Worship Service 3/15

April: Spring Ring Hand Bell Festival 4/25 (followed by dinner dining room?)
Time capsule?

May: Historic Church Tour 5/3
18th Century Worship Service 5/17

June: Founders' Day (GA Moderator to preach) 6/14
Organ concert 6/14 (3:00 p.m.)

July: Garden Party 7/15

August: Softball game vs. 1st Presbyterian Church of Southold
TBD

September: 19th Century Worship Service 9/20

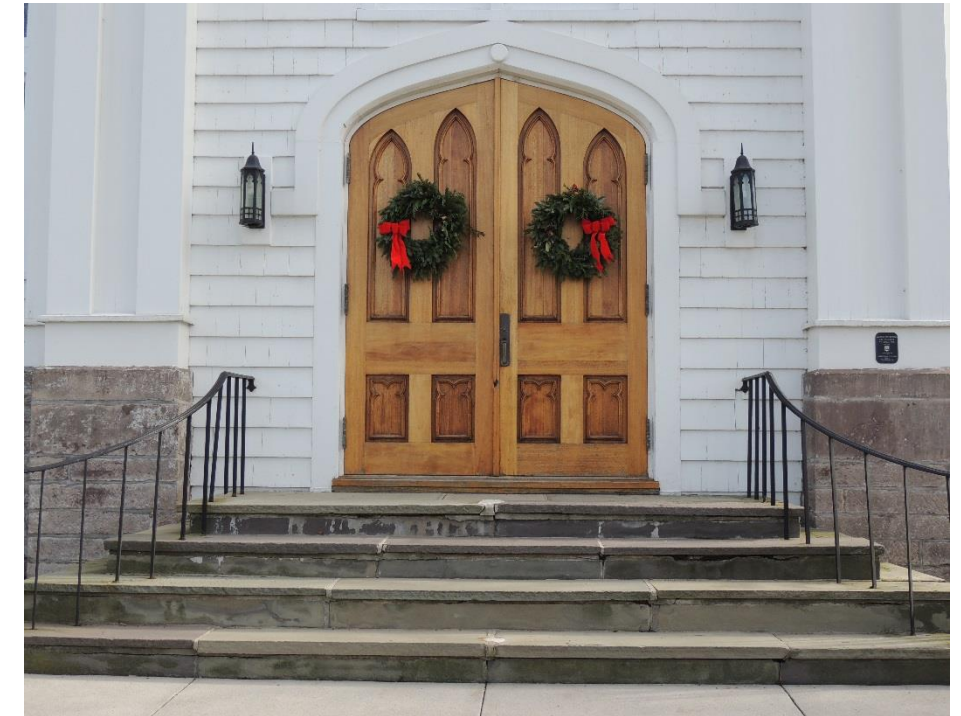
October:

November: 20th Century (WWII era) Worship Service 11/8

December:

Committee members are: Pastor Rick, Paul Corwith, Jon Foster, Midge Fowler, John Holden, Brad Kline, Kim Makowski, Bruce McGowin and Bill Sickles

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Two South Main Street
Southampton New York

The Oldest Presbyterian Church in America
Established 1640

Our Vision

Our Vision at First Presbyterian Church is to be a Cornerstone of Faith in Jesus and a Family of Love and Service, Reaching out to our Community and the World.

Our Mission

Our mission at historic First Presbyterian Church of Southampton is to be a welcoming beacon of light that inspires people of all ages to seek a personal relationship with God through Jesus Christ. As disciples of Jesus, we will serve others through mission, guide and nurture our youth, and be a loving haven of comfort and support for our community.

THE ADMINISTRATION

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FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call To Worship:

L: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise God in the heights!

P: **All the shining stars praise you, O God, for you commanded and they were created.**

L: Praise the Lord from the earth, young men and women alike, old and young together!

P: **Let everyone praise the name of the Lord, for your glory is above earth and heaven.**

L: Let us worship God!

*Hymn # 229 (vss 1-4)

“The First Noel”

*Prayer of Confession

God of compassion, have mercy upon us as we make our confession. The year is soon spent. What we ought to have done still awaits action, while we commit acts not in accord with your will. We think of ourselves before others; we serve our own needs. We keep for ourselves the gifts of your graciousness. The new life you offer is not yet proclaimed in the land. Forgive us our sins and make us more faithful. Help us to use our time wisely as we follow Christ's way. Amen.

A moment for silent confession

*Assurance of Pardon

Hear Paul's words of assurance: "If we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him . . . The death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus." In Christ we are forgiven. Amen.

*Gloria Patri – Hymn # 734

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Children's Message

* Carol Sing of Your Favorite Carols

Prayer for Illumination

Holy Scripture Isaiah 61:10 - 62:3 Luke 2:22-40

Sermon "You Lookin' At Me?" Pastor Rick



As part of our 375th Anniversary Year, the Christian Education Council is challenging the Church family to **Read The Whole Bible In 2015!** We are calling it “**The 1640 Challenge**”, and we are hoping to help our congregation know the Bible as well as the people who founded our Church in the 17th Century. Stay tuned for more information on this fun and important event!

Mark your calendars!



....January 11th, following worship, we will kick off our 375th Anniversary Year with a “**Bring Your Bible to Church Luncheon!**” If you have an old family Bible, we encourage you to bring it to the Luncheon for all to see; Bring your “regular” Bible, too, as Pastor Rick will provide some tips and suggestions for successfully reading the whole Bible! Thank you to the Worship and Music Council for hosting the luncheon!

“Feeling God’s Presence”

the inspirational “aha moment” book compiled by Cynthia Kolbenheyer and Pam Jackson-Jones with writings by our church members will be on sale during Fellowship time for \$10. Proceeds will go to the Mission Council.

December Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 2 – Karla Hawke Brantuk; Larry Strickland
- 3 – Andrew Gardner
- 4 – Peyton James Brantuk; Barbara Woods
- 6 – Brad King; Dorothy Tennant; Kyle Vella
- 7 – Sylvia Boyer; Tom Luss; Tim Murray
- 8 – Jay Bennett; Rosalie Judd; Mary Maran; Jennifer Stokke; Kirsten Stokke; Leslie White
- 9 – Mackenzie Pepitone
- 10 – Blair West
- 12 – John Poremba; Brynn Tupper
- 13 – Ed Dressler; Thomas Jagger Wilson
- 14 – Haley Dressler; Anecya Sutton
- 17 – Cole Richard Brantuk
- 18 – Kathleen King
- 19 – Susan Burke; Allison Lennon; Kimberly McSparran
- 22 – Susan Davis; Kenny Lockard; Fran Westerhoff
- 24 – Richie King; Joyce Murphy; Kathy Rogers
- 25 – John Parry Jr.; Kyle Warner
- 26 – Noelle Capone
- 27 – Hawke Edson
- 28 – Jacob Armus; Jessica Burke; Chris Dressler; Wendy Enstine; Amy Pierson
- 30 – Braden & Rachelle Adams; B. Kay Jones; Judith Lattanzio; Peter Stokke Jr.; Helen B. White
- 31 – Jason & Lauren Korte

January Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 1 – Meredith Spolarich
- 3 – Sebastian Frowein; Eric Jungck
- 4 – Burke Dunne; Jordan Hadix; Suzanne Parry; Phebe Rogers
- 7 – Debbie Guilloz; Michael Hadix; Maeve Tupper
- 8 – Roy Wines III
- 10 – Nancy Lennon
- 12 – Tom White
- 14 – Julia King
- 15 – Dave Steiber
- 16 – Kristen Hawke Edson
- 17 – Nate Boyer; John Holden
- 18 – Rita & Jack Kuhn; Sayre Hildreth
- 19 – Prudy Fowler; Brad Kline; Kevin Kolbenheyer; Dillon Moneypenny
- 20 – Kim Makowski; John & Suzanne Parry
- 23 – Olivia Bruyn; Marge Squires
- 24 – Lynne Kraszewski
- 25 – Faye Andreasen; Kaylie Wilson
- 28 – Ed Moneypenny; Wesley Warner