

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 "Son of Man in Mary's Arms" arr. Sterling

*Doxology – Hymn # 34

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of our Church and The Lord's Prayer

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Invitation to the Sacrament

*Hymn of Approach # 232 (vss 1&4) "Let All Mortal Flesh..."

Eucharistic Prayer

Words of Institution

Distribution of the Elements

Prayer of Thanksgiving

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*Hymn # 236

"As With Gladness"

Benediction

* Postlude

* Those who are able, please stand

The Greeters as you entered were Joyce and Bill Sickles.

Assisting with worship is Kathy Grodski.

Ushers are Faye & John Andreasen, Karen Gale and Michael Hadix.

Pastor Rick's sermon next Sunday, "Who's Number One?" will encourage us to follow Jesus' lead, and make The Lord "Number One" in the year ahead. Please read Psalm 29 and Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 in preparation for our worship time together.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

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

The Family & Friends of Bernice Lee

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
Capt. Timothy Kuehhas	SPC Brandon Rist	Lt. Bradley A. Woods
SPC Kenny Lockard		Sgt. David Worrell

Happening at FPC...

Day	Date	Time	Event
Mon	01/05	2pm 5pm	Spanish Class Mission Council
Tues	01/06	3:30pm 7pm	Spanish Literature Class AI Anon & AI ATeen Meetings
Wed	01/07	10am 4:30pm 5:30pm 6:30pm 8pm	PW Coordinating Team Meeting Meals-on-Wings program Jr. High Youth Sr. High Youth AA
Thurs	01/08	4pm 5:30pm	Handbell Choir Christian Ed Meeting
Fri	01/09	2pm 6pm	Spanish Class AA Meeting
Sat	01/10	4:30pm	Maureen's Haven
Sun	01/11	9am 10am	Confirmation Class Chancel Choir warm-up Worship Service includes the ordination and installation of Church Officers for the Class of 2017 followed by fellowship "Bring Your Bible To Church Luncheon"

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

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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January 04, 2015

10 am

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Introit

***Call To Worship:**

L: Hear the word of the Lord, O nations, and declare it in the coastlands far away.

P: They shall come and sing aloud on the height of Zion; they shall be radiant over the goodness of the Lord.

L: I will turn their mourning into joy; I will comfort them, and give them gladness for sorrow.

P: For thus says the Lord: proclaim, give praise, and say, "Save, O Lord, your people, the remnant of Israel."

L: Let us worship God!

*Hymn # 233 "We Three Kings of Orient Are"

***Prayer of Confession**

Gracious God, you chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless, yet we do not love our brothers and sisters as he taught. You destined us for adoption as your children through Jesus Christ, yet we take our status for granted and fail to obey Christ when he calls us to follow. With all wisdom and insight you have made known to us the mystery of your will, yet we stubbornly refuse to study your Word. Forgive our sin, O God, and help us set our hope on Christ that we may live for the praise of his glory. Amen.

A moment for silent confession

***Assurance of Pardon**

In Christ, when we heard the word of truth, the gospel of our salvation, and believed in him, we were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit. This is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. In this promise lies our assurance, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Amen.

*Gloria Patri – Hymn # 734

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Children's Message

* Hymn # 349 "Seek Ye First"

Prayer for Illumination

Holy Scripture John 1: 1-18

Sermon "Making An Immaculate Reception" Pastor Rick



The rosebud and baby Bible on the pulpit acknowledge the birth of Redford Walden Adams, born December 21st to Braden and Rachelle Adams, and weighed in at 8 lbs. 4 oz. and 20" long. His big brother Whitman welcomed him, along with his proud grandparents Gerald & Sherrill Adams.

"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.

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!

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!

Pastor Rick recommends the New Revised Standard Version (NRSV), New International Version (NIV), or The Good News Bible. All excellent, updated, English translations. Avoid: The Living Bible and The King James Bible.

Also, he recommends that, whatever translation you choose, get a study Bible: that is, a Bible with notes, maps, concordance, etc. They're a little more costly, but worth it.



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