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Invite-a-Friend to Choir Sunday

~The Gathering~

PRELUDE

Now the Silence
Tami Newsom, organ

Farlee

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GREETING

Mason Warren

INTROIT

Lord, You Bring Our Gift of Music
Chancel Choir and Friends

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CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 95)

Mason Warren

Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord;
let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.
**Let us come before God with thanksgiving
and extol God with music and song!**

Come, let us bow down in worship,
let us kneel before the Lord our Maker!
**For God is our Lord and we are the people of God's pasture,
the flock under God's care.**

*HYMN #264

When in Our Music God Is Glorified

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Music: Charles Villiers Stanford, 1904. *The Presbyterian Hymnal: Hymns, Psalms, and Spiritual Songs* © 1990 Westminster/John Knox Press.

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Mason Warren

God of compassion, you have created us and called us into community to care for one another. We confess that we become consumed in our own small worlds and live inwardly. We sometimes depend only upon ourselves to deal with the problems we face, which often deepens our troubles.

Forgive our heightened individualism. Renew within us your vision for your creation that we would live in and build a beloved community. Give us hearts for others that we might become more like you, through Jesus Christ.

(please continue in silent prayer)

*KYRIE ELEISON

Remember Not, O God

O Lord, our Sav - ior, help, and glo - ri - fy your name; de -

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li - ver us from all our sins and take a - way our shame.

The musical notation consists of two staves in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The first staff contains the melody for the first line of text, and the second staff contains the melody for the second line of text, starting with a measure rest labeled '5'.

*DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

*GLORIA PATRI

St. Thomas

Stretch forth your migh - ty_ hand in_ an - swer to our prayer, and

let your own be - lov - ed ones your great sal - va - tion share.

The musical notation consists of two staves in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats (Bb). The first staff contains the melody for the first line of text, and the second staff contains the melody for the second line of text.

*THE PEACE

The Peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.



~The Word~

ANTHEM

Trumpet Tune
FPC Ringers

arr. Martha L. Thompson

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Brian Davison

Reveal to us your Word, O God, living and active in our world by the power of your Holy Spirit. Let your Word pierce our hearts and open our minds, dividing good from evil, truth from falsehood, life from death; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 133

[Pew Bible pg. 575]

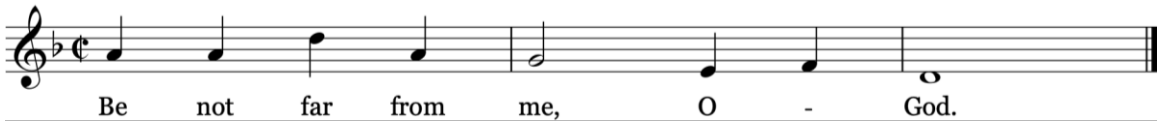
The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 22

Dr. Angela Batey, cantor

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1. My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?
and are so far from my cry
and from the words of my distress?
O my God, I cry in the daytime, but you do not answer;
by night as well, but I find no rest **(R)**
2. Yet you are the Holy One,
enthroned upon the praises of Israel.
Our forefathers put their trust in you;
they trusted, and you delivered them;
They cried out to you and were delivered;
they trusted in you and were not put to shame. **(R)**
3. But as for me, I am a worm and no one,
scorned by all and despised by the people.
All who see me laugh me to scorn;
they curl their lips and wag their heads, saying:
“He trusted in the Lord; let God deliver him:
let God rescue him, if he delights in him.” **(R)**
4. Yet you are God who took me out of the womb,
and kept me safe upon my mother’s breast.
I have been entrusted to you ever since I was born;
you were my God when I was still in my mother’s womb.
Be not far from me, for trouble is near.
and there is none to help. **(R)**

From *Psalms for the Revised Common Lectionary*
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SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: Hebrews 10:19-25

[Pew Bible pg. 224]

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

“A Ministry of the Holy Spirit”

Rev. Hal Oakley



~The Response~

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – from the PCUSA Study Catechism

How do you understand the love and power of God?

Through Jesus Christ. In his life of compassion, his death on the cross, and his resurrection from the dead, I see how vast is God's love for the world—a love that is ready to suffer for our sakes, yet so strong that nothing will prevail against it.

What comfort do you receive from this truth?

This powerful and loving God is the one whose promises I may trust in all the circumstances of my life, and to whom I belong in life and in death.

THE ANTHEM

Come Christians, Join to Sing
Chancel Choir and Friends

Please stand when indicated and join the choir in the final verse:

**Come, lift your hearts on high; Alleluia! Amen!
Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen!
He is our Guide and Friend; To us He'll condescend;
His love shall never end: Alleluia! Amen!**

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Volunteer Ministry Center

Jean Peretz

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

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.**

~The Sending~

*HYMN #486

When the Morning Stars Together

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*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #328

All Praise to God

Sacred Song

**All praise to God for song God gives, for music and a hope that lives;
God's sacred word is so profound, we sing and let the truth resound.
God gave us music, gave us voice; sing alleluia and rejoice!
We lift in faith secure and strong the sacred word through sacred song.**

*POSTLUDE

Sing Praise To God Who Reigns Above

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Ushers ~ MaryAnne & Wayne Walls

Audio ~ Ken Ladrach / *Video* ~ Mason Warren, Turner Neely

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- Sign the pew attendance pad.



SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS

Hello Friends! Farragut Presbyterian Church is looking for volunteers to assist in our worship services. If you can help in any of the submitted categories: usher, scripture reader, or communion server, please go to:

<http://tinyurl.com/FPCvolunteerSignUp>

and sign up in the appropriate available time slot. If you have any questions, please contact Mikie Lancaster, Ken Ladrach, or the church office (865/966-9547).



Join us for fall fun at the **DEEP WELL FARM PUMPKIN PATCH** TODAY from 3-5pm. (Rain date is Sunday, Oct. 20). This event is open to all, so bring friends and family! Deep Well Farm is located at 9567 US 11 E, Lenoir City, TN, 37772. The price is \$15 and includes wagon ride and a small pumpkin –**ONLY CASH** is accepted. No debit/credit cards. Meet at the ticket booth at 3pm to go in as a group. RSVP to Mason Warren or Jenny Trussell. *Hope to see you there!*

Today we celebrate our annual **“Invite a Friend to Choir”** Day. We had a terrific rehearsal and fellowship on Wednesday. Both our Chancel Choir members and our guests are eager and ready to lead our music in worship. We would like to invite anyone who is interested in our adult Music Ministry to join us in rehearsal on Wednesday nights from 7:30 - 8:45. The Music Ministry of Farragut



Presbyterian **IS** for **ALL** the people of God! Once again, the **ONLY** pre-requisite for joining the choir is a **DESIRE TO SERVE THE LORD THROUGH MUSIC!** If you don't think you can “cut it” in choir, join us for one week. I think you'll be surprised at the fun and fellowship found in our Chancel Choir!

Please join Presbyterian Women to help stock **SUNSET GAP FOOD PANTRY**. **Today is the final day for donations.** Questions?

Contact Debbie Long and thank you for your generous support!

Special thanks to our amazing volunteers: Janet Tinder, Heather Robinson and September coordinators Karen Brown Gonzalez and Chuck Gonzalez for purchasing, preparing and serving a meal to the homeless at **VOLUNTEER MINISTRY CENTER** last month. If you would like to volunteer for this rewarding ministry, please sign up in the narthex, or contact Oct. 15th coordinator, Jean Peretz.

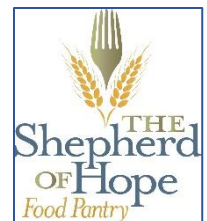


Join us for our **TRUNK OR TREAT** event at Farragut Presbyterian Church on October 27 from 4-6PM! Bring the whole family for an evening of spooky fun and sweet treats. Everyone is welcome! If you'd like to set up a trunk or lend a hand with games inside, please contact Amy Eiffert at amyegnot@hotmail.com, or Cheyanne Feldhausen at feldhausentc@gmail.com.

SHEPHERD OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY

holiday food baskets will be distributed to pantry guests in Nov. and Dec. Last year over 630 families received holiday baskets, including many families from local schools that were especially invited to receive the baskets. The baskets typically include a ham or turkey, canned vegetables, stuffing mix, cooking oil, eggs, coffee or tea, and dessert mix.

Farragut Presbyterian will again collect cake mixes and canned frosting (any flavors) and/or brownie mixes for these gift baskets. As you shop in the next couple of months, please consider adding these dessert items to your list and drop them off in the cart in the narthex. Contact Becky Thomason with any questions.



“THE GOLDEN AGE OF SPAIN – Where Three Faiths Meet” is a Spring tour of Spain led by Pastor Hal & Jeanie Oakley on April 24 – May 7, 2025. FPC is invited to join the group in this adventure which focuses on a country where three faiths meet: Judaism, Islam, and Christianity, and how each has been an integral part of Spain’s rich history. Contact Hal or Jeanie Oakley (256-468-4501) for more information or grab a reservation form on the narthex table.

ATTENTION: ALL CRAFTERS! The Fall trip to Townsend is scheduled for Tuesday, October 29th to take donated craft items to **CAM (Coalition of Appalachian Ministries)**. Donated items can be brought to the church or call Debbie Long or Mikie Lancaster for a pickup. All sewing supplies, fabric, yarn (especially peach and cream colors), zippers, buttons, costume jewelry, cotton for quilting, all batting, especially Insul-Bright for potholders, denim jeans, old and worn tablecloths, all trims like rick rack, thread, old white lace, doilies, even used light bulbs are appreciated and will be made into unique items to sell. Contact Debbie or Mikie for more information, or to ride along!



Be sure to sign-up in the narthex for our **OCTOBER FOODIES**, on Saturday October 26th.

The menu is: Appetizer – Stuffed Mushrooms, Entrée – Mediterranean Stuffed Pork Tenderloin with Cheese Grits, Caprese Roasted Asparagus, Dessert – Apple Cobbler with Ice Cream

Please contact Pat Hickman for more information about this fun, food-lovin’ group!

Shepherd Ministry



We are excited to announce that our **FPC SHEPHERD MINISTRY** is restarting in January, 2025 to provide care to our church family. We are having our

Shepherd Training on Sunday, November 10 from 1:00-3:00 in Room A, following our Church Wide Consecration Lunch.

If you have a desire to be a Shepherd for a small group of church members or have any questions, please get in touch with us. Thank you to all those Shepherds who have already committed to serve and care for our church family!

In Christ’s Love and Care, *Beth Martin, Jeanie Oakley & Joanie Scheuer* – Your Shepherd and Stephen Ministry Leaders

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Billie Fain, Chuck Foriska, Shirley Greaser, Frank Guess, John Huntley, Paul Johnson, Beth Loyless, Ann McAnally, Irma McGuffey, Maria Medina, Tami Newsom, Kimberly Platt, Linda Stutzenberger, Gail Wallace



This Week at FPC

Sun Oct 13	9:00 a.m. Casual Service and 11:00 Traditional Service		
Mon, Oct 14	9:00	a.m.	KidZone/Fellowship Hall
	3:00	p.m.	Pumpkin Patch Get-together /Deep Well Farm
	10:00	a.m.	Chair Yoga/Narthex
Tues, Oct 15	4:00	p.m.	Stephen Ministry Group/Room A
	7:00	p.m.	Christian Education Committee/Zoom
	10:30	a.m.	Feed the Hungry/Volunteer Ministry Center
Wed, Oct 16	12:00	p.m.	Big Fish Chapel/Sanctuary
	5:30	p.m.	Outreach Committee/Room A
	6:00	p.m.	Administration Committee/Library
	7:00	p.m.	Boy Scouts #444/FH, Narthex, Rm A
	12:00	p.m.	Big Fish Chapel/FH
Thur, Oct 17	12:00	p.m.	Room D/counseling
	6:00	p.m.	Casual Worship Music Practice/Room A
	7:30	p.m.	Chancel Choir/Room A
Fri, Oct 18	6:00	p.m.	Stewardship Committee/Library
	6:30	p.m.	Cub Scout #444/Fellowship Hall
	10:00	a.m.	Chair Yoga/Narthex
	7:00	p.m.	Gentle Yoga Class/Narthex



School ~ 10:00 a.m.

- **KidZone** is for children ages 3-9 who meet in Fellowship Hall at 9am to learn about the love of God, through Bible verses, songs, videos and fun activities.
- **Adult Bible Study** meets in Room D to discuss the weekly Lectionary text. Everyone is welcome. Contact Elizabeth Wilson with questions.
- **Pastor Matt's Class** is studying "The After Party." It's an examination of a growing movement that believes how we engage in politics – how we show up for the conversation, if you will – should be anchored in the clear teaching of Jesus. It's more about "the how" than "the what" – how we interact with each other more than what the "what" is. Join us in the library at 10:00.
- **FPC Youth Class** meets at 10am in the Café (parlor) each week during the school year to "Dive In" to the Old Testament. Contact Mason Warren for more information.



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*"To praise God, welcome all, serve others,
grow in faith, be disciples of Jesus Christ and share the Good News."*