

## Gathering in God's Name

*As we gather, quietly take time to sit and prepare your heart to worship God*

### Prelude

### Welcome and Announcements

### \*Call to Worship

*The Abingdon Worship Annual*

Leader: We lift up our eyes to you, O God,  
People: **longing for a glimpse of your grace.**  
Leader: We watch for you.....and wait,  
People: **trying to keep awake and aware,**  
Leader: trying not to fall asleep,  
People: **trying not to miss your presence,**  
Leader: trying not to miss our very lives.  
People: **Today, we come to you awake –**  
Leader: clothed in faith, decked out in love,  
People: **wearing hope for all to see**  
Leader: Come and meet us here, O God,  
People: **in your mercy and your grace.**

### \*Opening Prayer (unison)

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Holy One, have mercy on us. When we cannot take any more of this world, we know we must turn to you. When our souls have had their fill of trouble and unease, we seek your protection. We come to you in faith and love, in the hope of salvation, now and always. Amen.

### \*Hymn #4 "Holy God, We Praise Your Name"

*Allegemeines Katholisches Gesanbuch*

*Please be seated*

### Prayer of Confession (unison)

*Feasting on the Word*

God of peace we confess we are a people of fear. We have let anxiety rule our days and worry our nights. We have been distracted by nerves and focused on tension. We confess we have ignored your command to not be afraid. Forgive us, O God. Calm our hearts, settle our stomachs, and renew in us the ability to find our comfort in you. Amen.

### Silent Confession

### Assurance of Pardon

### \*Passing of the Peace

### \*Gloria (Hymn 582) "Glory to God"

*Paul M. Vasile*

Announcement: Joshua Borsack

Announcement: Barbara Borsack

Mission Committee: Minutes for Mission

Don Smith & Marcia Schenck - "White Gifts"

Fran Chapman: Christmas Families

## Proclaiming God's Word

### Children's Sermon

### Scripture Readings:

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Luke 15: 3-7 NT/page 78

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Mark 6: 34 NT/page 41

### Sermon "What About the Rest of the Sheep?"

*Barbara D'Andrea*

## Responding to God with Thanksgiving

### \*Hymn #716 "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending"

*The Sacred Harp*

### \*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles Creed *page 35 in hymnal*

### Prayers of the People and 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.

### Invitation to the Offering

*(Feasting on the Word)*

In a world filled with blessings we celebrate our privilege and our responsibility to share those blessings. Let us celebrate the God of overwhelming blessings by continuing our worship through the offering of our tithes and gifts.

### Offertory "The Gift to Be Simple"

*Early American tune*

### \*Doxology (Hymn 606)

*"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

*Genevan Psalter*

### \*Prayer of Dedication (unison)

Loving God, before we give to you, you have given to us. All we offer we have received from you. We thank you for your goodness, and we praise you for your bountiful works, though Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Hymn #37 Let All Things Now Living *Welsh folk melody*

### \*Charge, Benediction and Amen.

*Please be seated*

### Postlude

*The postlude is the final act of our worship together. Please remain seated thru the postlude for a brief moment of personal reflection and inspiration.*



### Those participating in worship today:

Guest Speaker: Barbara D'Andrea  
Music: Chancel Choir  
Elder of the Month: Michelle Grant  
Deacon of the Month: Kristy Eberhart  
Reader: Kim Borsack  
Ushers: Michelle Grant, Marcia Schenck, Piper Borsack & Denise Scott



**Remember in Prayer** Please pray for the following friends: Liam Baum, Denise & Mike Chicca, Robert Fariel, Gordon Grant, Pat Kinzer, Dana Lester, Jane Talmage, Gus Lockwood, the family of Jim Winkler, the victims & families of the October 25<sup>th</sup> Lewiston, Maine mass shooting, Our Sister Church in Guines, Cuba and their pastor & his family and our pastor nominating committee.



EAST HAMPTON FOOD PANTRY serves our community by collecting food and distributing it to those in need. This week's item of the week is stuffing mix.

Annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner, November 23, 2023. Seating at 11:45 for dinner at noon. Please consider joining us for a wonderful time of fellowship. For reservations or to volunteer call 324-0711 or e-mail [kewlamonda@gmail.com](mailto:kewlamonda@gmail.com)



"Hanging of the Greens" will be on Saturday, December 2, 2023 at 1:00 pm



Holiday Tea December 9, 2023 1:00 – 3:00 pm  
Purchase tickets online: [fpceh.org](http://fpceh.org)

Cuba 2024 Mission Trip February 27 – March 7, 2024 to visit our sister church in Guines, Cuba. For more information contact Barbara D'Andrea

If you would like to donate flowers for the communion table and/or pedestals in honor or in memory of a loved one please e-mail Summer Borsack at [summerborsack@gmail.com](mailto:summerborsack@gmail.com) or call the church office.

Please let the church office know if you need to park your car overnight on the church grounds.



Thank you for enjoying your beverage and food in the Narthex.

## CALENDAR

11/19 Sunday	10:00 am	Sunday Worship
	11:15 am	Youth Choir Rehearsal
	4:00 pm	Springs Porch Musicians in Session House (4pm – 6pm)
11/20 Monday:	9:00 am	Prayer Group in Session House
	12:30 pm	Al-Anon in Session House
11/21 Tuesday:	7:30 am	Breakfast Club at John Papa's
	1:00 pm	Prayer Shawl Knitting at Mary Siska's
11/23 Thursday:		Thanksgiving Day
	11:45 pm	Seating for Annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner at noon

### Church Staff and Leadership

Pastor .....  
 Music Director..... Jane Hastay  
 Church Administrator..... June Lester  
 Church Sexton.....Steve Bock  
 Clerk of Session.....Mary Siska

### Session Committees

Buildings & Grounds.....Bruce Siska, Chair  
 Andrea Cooper, Rick Chapman, Ken Brown & Steve Bock  
 Christian Education.....Kim Borsack & Alana Leland, Co-Chairs  
 Communications..... Pember Edwards, Chair  
 Barbara D'Andrea, Hilary Malecki & Jane Hastay  
 Fellowship..... Michelle Grant, Chair  
 Paul Vogel & Kristy LaMonda  
 Finance..... Andrea Cooper  
 Mission..... Barbara D'Andrea, Chair  
 Andrea Cooper, Treasurer & Don Smith  
 Personnel.....David Filer, Chair  
 Mary Siska & Wendy Mott  
 Worship and Music.....Harriet Edwards, Chair  
 David Filer, Linda Child, Andrea Cooper, Joan Osborne & Mary Siska  
 Treasurer.....Wendy Mott  
 Clerk of Session.....Mary Siska  
 Building Usage.....Jane Hastay, June Lester & Mary Siska

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## Presbyterian Church of East Hampton

I will give thanks  
 to the Lord  
 with my whole heart;  
 I will recount all of your  
 wonderful deeds.

Psalm 9:1



### Celebration of the Lord's Day

November 19, 2023 – 10:00 a.m. 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

### WELCOME

*Whether today is your first time worshipping with us or you are one of our founding families, we are glad you are here! We believe Jesus treated everyone with a spirit of love and equality. Therefore, we accept every individual without regard to age, gender, race, ethnicity, physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, political affiliation, or socio-economic status. We affirm all persons as created in the image of God. At First Presbyterian Church, individuals can find family and families can find community. The injured can find healing. We labor together in love for each other, our community, our world, and our God. No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcomed, you are accepted, you are loved.*

**Barbara D'Andrea, Guest Speaker**

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