

Participating in today's service:

Elder of the Month: Alana Leland

Reader: Brighton Lys

Ushers: Hilary Osborn Malecki & Alana Sims

Deacon of the Month: Florence Stone

Music: Handbell Choir

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 **macaroni & cheese**.

EAST HAMPTON ROTARY CLUB is collecting personal care items for the Food Pantry & the Retreat. Donation boxes are located in One Stop Market & both E.H. CVS pharmacies.

CALENDAR

6/11 Sunday	10:00 am	Sunday Worship, Coffee Hour to follow
	11:15 am	Handbell Choir Rehearsal
6/12 Monday:	9:00 am	Prayer Group in Session House
	12:30 pm	Al-Anon in Session House
6/13 Tuesday:	7:30 am	Breakfast Club at John Papa's
	1:00 pm	Prayer Shawl Knitting at Mary Siska's
6/15 Thursday:	12:30 pm	Al-Anon in Session House
	3:30 pm	Choir Rehearsal
	6:30 pm	Deacons Meeting
6/18 Sunday:	10:00 am	Sunday Worship – Father's Day
(The Springs Porch Musicians have moved back to the Springs General Store)		

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 or call the church office.

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

The 2023 RISE Service Program will be July 23 – July 29.

Get ready for a fun and exciting Vacation Bible School! July 16-20

Please bring Heifer donation boxes back on Father's Day, Sunday June 18th.

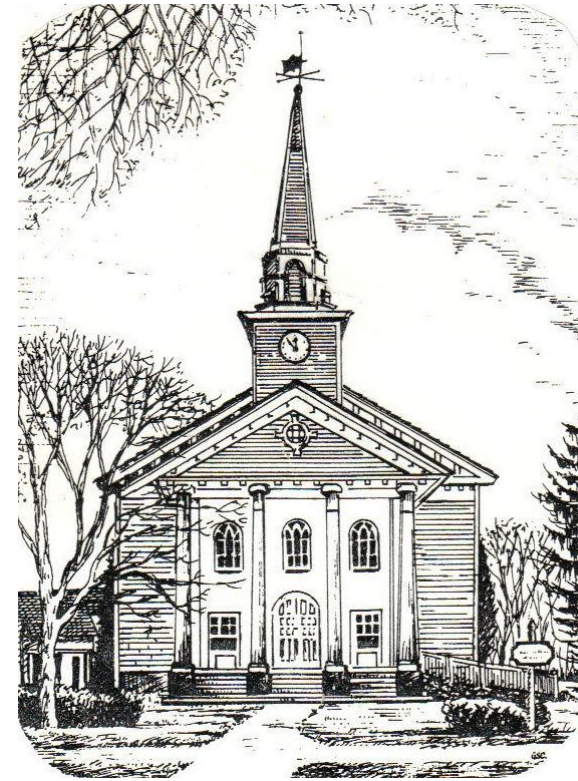
Lastly, please be forgive issues with the live-streaming of Sunday Service, Optimum is scheduled to perform the repairs.



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First Presbyterian Church of East Hampton



Celebration of the Lord's Day

June 11, 2023 – 10:00 a.m.

2nd 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 are an open and affirming church and welcome all members of God's family in this sanctuary.

The Reverend Mike Smith, Guest Minister

Jane Hastay, Music Director

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Pastors Emeriti

The Rev. Dr. John Ames

The Rev. Dr. Fred Schulz



Gathering in God's Name

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

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Voluntary Processional

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

arr. by Jeffrey Honoré

***Call to Worship**

Leader: Come into God's presence.

People: All are welcome here.

Leader: Come, saints and sinners alike.

People: We are all God's children.

Leader: Faith has brought us here.

People: Grace will make us whole.

Leader: Come! Let us worship.

(The Abingdon Worship Annual)

***Opening Prayer**

(The Abingdon Worship Annual)

Faithful and loving God, your grace makes our faith possible. May we live and go about our lives as people who place our trust in you. May we love and care for others as people who turn to you for help. Where there is doubt or distrust, renew our faith. Where there is fear or insecurity, grant us courage. Where there is fatigue and weariness, give us amazing strength. Where there is confusion of purpose, give us wisdom. Where there is sorrow and loss, bring us peace. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

***Hymn #839**

"Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine!"

Phoebe Palmer Knapp

Prayer of Confession (unison)

(Feasting on the Word)

Lord forgive us. We are blind to our brokenness, yet focused on the failings of others. We are deaf to the cries of those who need us, numb to the need of those who hurt. We are silent when words are needed, impotent when action is required. Lord, hear our anguish, pity our brokenness, speak life and forgiveness to our weary souls. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

(The Abingdon Worship Annual)

By the grace of God, our faith has made us well. In the grace of Christ, our faith has led us home. Through the grace of the Holy Spirit, our faith has made us whole.

***Passing of the Peace**

(The Abingdon Worship Annual)

By reaching out in faith, we touch the presence of God. May we feel this touch and this grace as we pass the peace of Christ today.

***Gloria (Hymn 582)**

"Glory to God"

Paul M. Vasile

Proclaiming God's Word

Children's Sermon

Scripture Readings:

1st Reading: Romans 4:13-25

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2nd Reading: Matthew 9: 9-13, 18-26

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Sermon

"In Bad Company"

The Rev. Michael Smith

Responding to God with Thanksgiving

***Hymn #684**

"Faith Begins By Letting Go"

Charles F. Gounod

***Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostles Creed

page 35 in hymnal

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Invitation to the Offering

(Feasting on the Word)

Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord their God.

Let us proclaim our trust in the Lord by giving our tithes and offerings.

Offertory

"Prayer for the Innocents"

Michael Helman

***Doxology (Hymn 606) "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"**

Genevan Psalter

***Prayer of Dedication**

Lord, may others glorify you because of these offerings, given in Jesus' name. Amen.

***Hymn #36**

"For the Fruit of All Creation"

Welsh Melody

***Charge and Benediction**

Postlude

"Near the Cross"

arr. by Mary Kay Parrish

Please remain seated thru the postlude.



Please pray for the following friends: Liam Baum, Denise & Mike Chicca, Robert Fariel, Gordon Grant, Dana Lester, Gay Quarty, Luca Sicuso, Jane Talmage, Jim & Susan Winkler, Kenny Eipel, Pat Kinzer, Our Sister Church in Guines, Cuba and their pastor & his family, our pastor nominating committee and the residents of Nova Scotia & Canada being evacuated due to the wildfires.