

Upcoming Events

Thursday, October 3, 7:30-8:15PM

Weekly rehearsals begin for choir's November 16 concert, "Musical Meditations on the Lord's Prayer." All are welcome.

Sunday, October 6: World Communion

Worship led by The Rev. Eric Dillenbeck

Sunday, October 13, Jazz Hymn Sing, 4PM

Come join us for a time of fellowship and singing... the jazz way! With Grant Heineman and friends. Contact Ying for more information (music@fhcpresb.org).

Information on all events are listed on the church website (www.fhcpresb.org), monthly TOWER located on the church information tables in the church hallways, and our digital and paper bulletin boards located outside of the sanctuary. You may also, use the QR code below!



Bible Fellowship Opportunities

Building community and spiritual growth in small groups through an array of Bible discussions. Join us!

- Contemplative Scripture Study
- Sunday Morning Bible Study
- Christian Beliefs: Bible 101
- Bible and Bagels
- Special Offerings: Christian perspectives from Ethiopia and Peru

Learn more by using the QR Code below!



Prayer Request: To request prayers for a personal concern, please email the church office (office@fhcpresb.org).

Prayers are requested this week for: Shaniba Bland, Mark Davidson, Steven Dugard, Dorothy Herd and Cate Monaghan.

Please remember these homebound members in your prayers: Lucy Conde, Kemp Jaycox, Ron Klein, Carol Hopkins-Lutz, Pat Musick, Roz Peters, Beverly Thomas, Grace Uhle and Warren Young.

Care Groups will assist our pastor with members' needs. Please call the church office to report an illness, hospitalization, family emergency, birth or death. Information will be passed on to the **head of the Deacons, Susan Kay Dunlap** (susandnlp@gmail.com or deacons@fhcpresb.org).

Thank you, all office volunteers: Joan Bacon, Lynda Bernays, Cathy Ghiandoni, and Nancy Grube.

Thank you, all Stream Team Volunteers! Anyone interested in helping stream Sunday services should contact Kurt Haas at kurt@dangereddy.com.

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The Rev. Carol Wedell, Gap Pastor
Dr. Amy Wheatley, Dir. of Family, Youth & Children's Ministry
Dr. QinYing Tan, Director of Music



FOREST HILL CHURCH, PRESBYTERIAN

September 29, 2024 – 11:00AM

ANGELS TOGETHER

NOW MORE THAN EVER

**"God will send their angel with you
and make your journey a success"**

Based on Genesis 24:40



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presbyterian **2025 ANNUAL PLEDGE**

You may also join worship online using this link:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w7QN5AIN2x0>

**Please stand if able*

Centering Words

“Teamwork makes the dream work”

- John Maxwell

PRELUDE

Rinck

“Autumn Time”

WELCOME

FIRST MINUTE FOR MISSION

Cynthia Lehman

CHORAL INTROIT

Zimbabwe Traditional, arr. Bell
“Come All You People”
Chancel Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP

Keith Logan

We gather in Abundance, away from the rush and the race to celebrate the generous spirit that sings without fear, “May all have enough.”

We gather to live into the work of God’s call.

We gather in Grace, awake to the sin of despair and degradation, awake to the chance to be more and the possibilities seeded within us.

We gather to grow, to change moment-by-moment, in grace again-and-again.

We gather in Hope, ready to do more than talk, ready to make change - one letter, one meal, one home, one gift, one hand - at a time. Ready to live and move and be the change God calls us to be.

We gather with our time and talents, our hopes and energy. We gather to be surrounded by your love, dear God.

***HYMN NO. 401**

“Gather Us In”

CALL TO CONFESSION

Jenny Himmelman

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and soul and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

SILENCE

KYRIE (Hymn No. 576)

“Lord, Have Mercy”

Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy on us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Children of God, let us love,

in word or speech,

in truth and action.

And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before God whenever our hearts condemn us;

for God is greater than our hearts, and God knows everything. Amen.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

***GLORIA** (Hymn No. 582)

*Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.
(sing twice)*

*Children are invited to leave the sanctuary
with their adult leaders to go to Sunday School.*

ANTHEM

Arr. André J. Thomas

“Follow the Drinking Gourd”

Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING

Peter Williams

1 Corinthians 12:4-11 (Page 933)

After the reading

Hear what the Holy Spirit is telling God’s people.

Thanks be to God.

***HYMN NO. 757**

“Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples”

Verses 1 and 4

SERMON

Elder Jean Reinhold

“Now More Than Ever, We Are the Church”

**THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
AND THE LORD’S PRAYER**

Kimberly Hill

Our Father Mother, 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.

SECOND MINUTE FOR MISSION

Keith Logan

FRIENDSHIP REGISTER/ANNOUNCEMENTS

To participate in our online Friendship Register, please leave a comment in the Live Chat box listing the names of those participating in this morning’s Live Worship or email the office.

OFFERING

By texting: 216-400-5300

You may give online with PayPal, Credit or Debit Card:

www.fhcpresb.org

Or you may also mail a check to the church office.

OFFERTORY

Appalachian Folk

“Wayfaring Stranger”

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

***HYMN NO. 539**

“We Will Go Out with Joy”

***BENEDICTION AND CHARGE**

SANCTUARY (Hymn No. 701)

*Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy,
tried and true; With thanksgiving, I’ll be a living sanctuary for you.*

POSTLUDE

Felix Mendelssohn

“Andante”



*Thank you, Stewardship Ministry
Keith Logan (Elder), Kim Hill, Jenny Himmelman, Jean Reinhold
and Peter Williams, for building and contributing to the worship
service this morning.*