
FOCUS

Opening Sentences

I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling of God is with humanity. He will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning nor crying nor pain any more, for the former things have passed away." - Revelation 21:3-4

OPENING PRAISE

Opening Praise

The Lion And The Lamb*

(Words and Music: Brenton Brown, Brian Johnson, and Leeland Mooring)

Forever (We Sing Hallelujah!)*

(Words and Music: Christa Black Gifford, Kari Jobe, Brian Johnson, Jenn Johnson, Joel Taylor, and Gabriel Wilson)

Prayer of Confession

All: Ever-living Father, before the earth was formed and even after it shall cease to be, you are God. Break into our short span of life and show us those things that are eternal. Forgive us for the ways we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed; and for the ways we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us. By the power of Your Holy Spirit, forgive our sin and raise us to new life that we may serve You faithfully and claim Your victory won on our behalf by Jesus Christ, our savior. Amen.

(People offer their own private silent prayers to the Lord)

Declaration of Forgiveness

Leader: God did not send the Son to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through Him. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

All: Thanks be to God, Amen.

Come To Save Us*

(Words and Music: Leslie Jordan and David Leonard)

CONNECT

Welcome & Announcements

Offering

Musical Offering

Reckless Love*

(Words and Music: by Caleb Culver, Cory Asbury, and Ran Jackson)

Offering Prayer

Passing of the Peace

ENCOUNTER

Scripture

Revelation 12:7-12

(New Testament p. 242)

Message

A Day of Victory

Big Idea: Satan is a powerful, but limited being who is defeated by Christ at the crucifixion and resurrection.

RESPONSE

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

More Than Conquerors*

(Words and Music: Rend Collective Experiment)

Blessing

* Please stand as you are able

** Assistive listening devices are available in the back of the sanctuary.
Please return receivers at the end of the service.

Welcome We're glad you are here!

We ask everyone to complete and return this tear-off slip to the offering basket every week.

November 11, 2018 - 11:30 a.m.

Your Name

Family members' names/ages

Street Address, City, State, Zip

Phone: Cell Home

Email address

Send me the weekly E-newsletter

- Single
 Married
 Have children at home
 Junior/High School student
 College student

- First time visitor
 Occasional attendee
 Regular attendee/member

I'm interested in:

- Knowing Jesus better
 I need prayer or support
 I would like to speak with a pastor
 Joining a Small Group
 Joining the Welcome Team
 Worship Music Team/Choir
 Sound/AV/Video Team
 Becoming a Member
 I need a Stephen Minister
 Counseling at The Counseling Center
 Communion at home suggested for _____ (name)

Please Pray for: (This is shared with pastors & confidential prayer team.)

Please silence all cell phones and electronic devices

Welcome Visitors!

Please visit the Narthex at the rear of the sanctuary after the service to connect with an FPCE member. Please sign this tear-off panel with your contact information filled in on the other side and deposit in the offering plate.

Children are welcome in worship!

Ushers can help direct families to resources in our sanctuary space or to additional care rooms if needed. A changing table, quiet space, and service projection via TV are available in the back sanctuary lounge space.

Prayer Requests

Our prayer companions are available at the front of the sanctuary after each service to pray with you. You may also include your prayer requests on the weekly tear-off tab (on the other side of this bulletin) and deposit it in the offering. Our staff prays weekly for the needs of the congregation.

Worship Service Leaders

Rev. Dr. Raymond Hylton, Senior Pastor, Sermon, Blessing

Rev. Henry Coates, Designated Associate Pastor, Prayer of Confession & Declaration of Forgiveness, Welcome, Prayers of the People

TBD, Scripture Reader

Allison Allen & Meghan Dietrich, Worship Leaders; **Fred Bryant & Christie Miller**, Guitars; **Robert McConnell**, Piano; **Scott Henrie**, Bass;

Kon Savoy, Drums; **Tina Laughlin**, Percussion

Neal Ostrovsky, A/V Coordinator

TBD, A/V Volunteer

Prayer Companions:

Sally Ivaska and Bob Bastian

Sunday Worship at First Presbyterian Evanston

Worship Services - Options for Families:

Children are welcome in worship!**

9 a.m. Blended Service

Infants/Toddlers – Crib Room

Ages 2-4 – Blue Room

Ages 4-8 – Children's Worship in Room 21 (in the basement) following Children's Moment. Children return to sanctuary during final hymn.

11:30 a.m. Contemporary Service

Children 4 and under – Crib Room

** Worship journals & children's bulletins are available in the back of the Sanctuary. Changing tables & quiet space is available in the back corner lounge of the Sanctuary.

Fellowship Time (Roy Hall, 2nd Floor) (10:10 am)

A time to connect with new and old friends over coffee, tea and cookies.

Sunday Education 10:30 - 11:15 am

Children's and Youth Christian Foundations Classes

Infants & Toddlers - Crib Room

Ages 2 & 3 - Yellow Room

Pre-K - Blue Room

Kindergarten - Orange Room

Grades 1 & 2 - Rm. 21 (lower level)

Grades 3, 4 & 5 - 3rd Floor (Center)

Sunday School Grades 6, 7 & 8 -

NUBS Lounge, 3rd Floor

High School Sunday School Grades

9-12 - PYGS Lounge, Basement

Adult Discipleship Learning

By the Rivers of Babylon: "Singing the Lord's Song in a Strange Land" (Parlor, 2nd Floor) — This class is a character study of various people living during the times of exile described in the Old Testament. Facilitator: J.J. Ivaska.

Rejoicing in the Impact of Seed Money: Missions Class on the Great Commission Fund. Dining Room (2nd Floor) — This class celebrates what God has done in recent years through the Great Commission Fund of FPCE. Facilitator: Caryl Weinberg.

Intimacy with God and Others: Relationships Class (Room 213, 2nd Floor) — We will learn practical ways how to love God with all our heart, love our spouse, our children and our neighbors as ourselves. Facilitators: Judith Hylton, Linda Hoff Irvin.

Being Christian! (Choir Room, 1st Floor) — This class will study the book "Being Christian" by Rowan Williams as well as the essay "Strange New World of the Bible" by Karl Barth. Facilitator: Rev. Henry Coates.

Single But Not Alone! "Walk in Confidence with Christ - A Study of Ephesians" (Room 102) — Welcome all Singles! We're a diverse group that welcomes adults who are single at any stage in their lives. This class meets November 11, and 18. Facilitator: Karen Shaw

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WELCOME TO

Sunday Worship

November 11, 2018, 11:30 am - Contemporary

A DAY OF VICTORY



Revelation 12:7-12

HOPE FOR OUR TROUBLED TIMES:
THE PRAYERS AND SONGS OF REVELATION

Our Mission:

KNOWING CHRIST

FOLLOWING CHRIST

SERVING CHRIST



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN EVANSTON