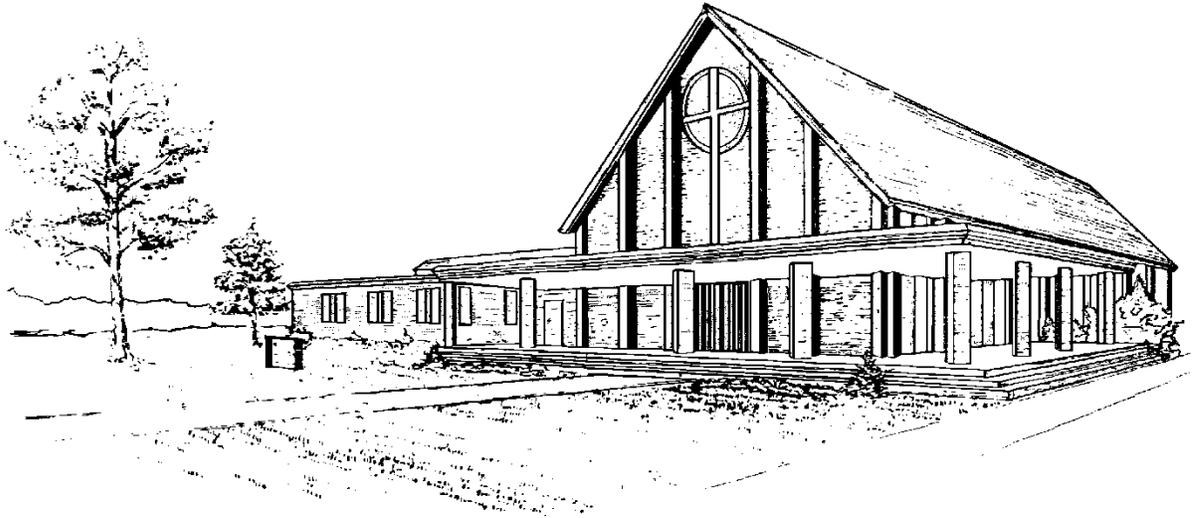


**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
OF GREENLAWN**



**Sunday Service of Worship
Father's Day
June 17, 2018
10:30 A.M.**

**497 Pulaski Road
Greenlawn, NY 11740
Phone: 631-261-2150**

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Father's Day

10:30 AM

June 17, 2018

*So neither he who plants nor he who waters is anything, but only God, who makes things grow.
(I Corinthians 3:7)*

CHIMES

Bill D'Andrea

PRAYER FOR REFLECTION

Elder Betty Chatfield

God of steadfast love, Father of us all, whose reign approaches us even now at the speed of mercy and whose grace exceeds our wildest imagination, plant the seed of your Word among us today. Gentle us into listening so that our lives may prove fertile ground and your love might blossom into full flower in us for the sake of the world You sent your Son to save. Amen.

PRELUDE *This Is My Father's World*

Thompson/Martin

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Fred Woodward

Please fill out "Ritual of Friendship & "Concerns of Our Church Family"

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN No. 482**

Praise Ye Lord, the Almighty

CALL TO WORSHIP (Adopted from Psalm 20)

Elder Betty Chatfield

Leader: May the LORD answer you when you are in distress; may the name of the God of Jacob protect you.

People: **May the Lord remember all our offerings and regard with favor our sacrifices of praise.**

Leader: May the Lord grant your heart's desire, and fulfill all your plans.

People: **Our pride is in the Lord who hears us when we pray and answers our needs.**

All: **Let us worship God.**

SONGS OF PRAISE

Glorify Thy Name

Give Thanks

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Fred Woodward

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Gracious God, though Jesus taught us that our journey is not about getting, attaining, achieving, performing, and succeeding, we regularly fall prey to those values of our consumer culture. We mull about the market place of spiritual ideas, comparison shopping and seeking discounts on enlightenment. Like tourists, we sometimes search out souvenirs of salvation and mementos of your mercy rather than enter into real relationship with You, the author of our lives.

Help us to trust in your sovereign intention for us and for our world, not in the exertions of our own will. Teach us the way of the cross, which has more to do with letting go than getting, and unlearning settled understandings rather than accumulating easy answers.

Remind us that with us or without us your reign is coming. In that knowledge, help us to find our rest in You and a deeper and more truthful peace.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*RESPONSE

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING: 1 Samuel 16: 1-13

pg. 279
Elder Betty Chatfield

*HYMN No. 291

O God of Earth and Altar

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

God Of Our Fathers

Smith
Piano/Organ Duet Angie & Bill Morris

RESPONSE

Doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Elder Betty Chatfield

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Mark 4: 26-29

pg. 1049
Pastor Fred Woodward

SERMON: “Growth and Grace”

Pastor Fred Woodward

ANTHEM *My Jesus, I Love Thee*

Lani Smith

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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, the power, and the glory—forever. Amen

***CLOSING HYMN No. 332**

Live Into Hope

***BENEDICTION**

***SINGING OUR HOPE**

EDELWEISS

Jesus Christ, Jesus Christ
Every morning you greet me.
Through the day, on my way
You are with me to keep me.
Here in this world, will I live for you,
Live for you forever.
Take my life, fill my life,
Use my life, Lord Jesus.

POSTLUDE *God Of Our Fathers*

McDonald/Smith

*All who are able, please stand

WEEKLY MESSENGER

Sunday, June 17, 2018

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Pastor Fred Woodward may be reached by cell phone at 631-626-3702

- **The flowers on the Lord's table** are given by Mildred Bachmann in memory of her beloved husband, Charles.
- **GREETERS:** Greeting us today before the service is Nancy MacIntyre.
- **ASSISTING IN THE PULPIT** today is Elder Betty Chatfield.
- **FELLOWSHIP HOUR:** Assisting with Fellowship Hour today is Claire Proctor.
- **USHERING TEAM NO. 4**, led by Barbara Small, assists us in worship today.
- **ELDER ON CALL:** If you have a concern about the church or the life of the congregation, please speak with our "Elder On Call". Our Elder On Call for the week of June 17th is Diane Kirchhoff.
- **DEACONS ON CALL** for the month of June are Corinne Burdett (631-261-4636) and Larry Foray (631-499-4198). If you or someone you know has a spiritual, physical, or financial need, the Deacon on Call will try to help you! Just call the Deacon or call the church office. All information will be kept confidential.
- **NEEDS REQUESTS:** If you know of someone in need, please fill out the blue form & place in the box located by the food pantry.
- The Board of Deacons is grateful to all of our church members who have helped to keep our pantry shelves stocked. **Currently there is a need for cereal, canned fruit, pasta and sauces.** Cash donations can also be used by the Deacons to fill in items that need to be purchased.
- **FLOWERS FOR THE CHANCEL** We would encourage any and all to donate flowers for memorials, birthdays, anniversaries, etc. A check for **\$35** should be made to Greenlawn Presbyterian Church. To order flowers, please call Corinne Burdett (631-261-4636), our flower coordinator, or the church office (631-261-2150).



9:30 am

July 1st through

September 2nd

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATES!

The following young people are graduating this year.
May the Lord bless them in their new endeavors.

Traci Bologna-Jill graduated from the New York College of Podiatric Medicine with a Bachelors degree in Podiatric Medicine. She will be doing her residency at Morristown Medical Center in Morristown, New Jersey. Traci is the granddaughter of Nancy Jill.

Michelle Perrotta graduated from Sacred Heart University in Fairfield, Connecticut, with a Masters of Arts in Teaching. She will be pursuing a teaching position in elementary education. Michelle is the daughter of Susan Perrotta.

Caroline Prentiss graduated *cum laude* from the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York City with a Bachelor of Science degree in Fashion Merchandising. Caroline is the daughter of Valerie and Gary Prentiss.

Briana Raxon graduated from the State University of New York at Cortland with a Bachelor of Science degree for Exercise Science in the school of professional studies. Briana is the daughter of Linda and John Raxon, granddaughter of Carol and Bob Eitel, and niece of Debbie Eitel.

Amanda Segale graduated *cum laude* from the State University of New York at Potsdam with a BM in Music Education. Amanda is the daughter of Althea and Andrew Segale.

Mark Polcer graduated from the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York City. Mark is the son of Dawn Polcer.

Brittany Vaughan will be graduating from Harborfields High School. She will be starting her career as a Medical Assistant. Brittany is the daughter of Lisa and Andrew Vaughan.

Jack Vaughan will be graduating from Harborfields High School and will attend the State University of New York at Albany studying pre-law. Jack is the son of Lisa and Andrew Vaughan.



PRAYER CONCERNS

***Please lift up the
following in prayer:***

Our church members and their individual struggles; Alan L.; Bill M.; Baby Jesse; Camille F.; Cassell; Ed & Cathy C.; Diane H.; Frances W.; Gary H.; Kayla; Maria H.; Mike P.; Pattie S.; Rosie P.; Terry H.; Pastor Tim; please pray for God's comforting and healing presence for all; all in Nursing homes; shut-ins and care-givers; our Pastor; our church members and their families; missionaries around the world; our Armed Forces and their families; our nation and its leaders; all in harm's way of terrorists; and please pray for all who need His help.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Today, June 17, 2018	Choir Rehearsal Worship/Father's Day	10:00 am 10:30 am
Monday	Summer Steeple Chimes Deadline	
Tuesday	Session Meeting	7:30 pm
Wednesday	Bible Study @ the home of Diane Hartmann 5 Court Dr., Hunt. Sta.	2:00 pm
Thursday		
Friday		

Saturday

Next Sunday,
June 24, 2018

Worship

10:30 am

Youth Car Wash

2-5 pm