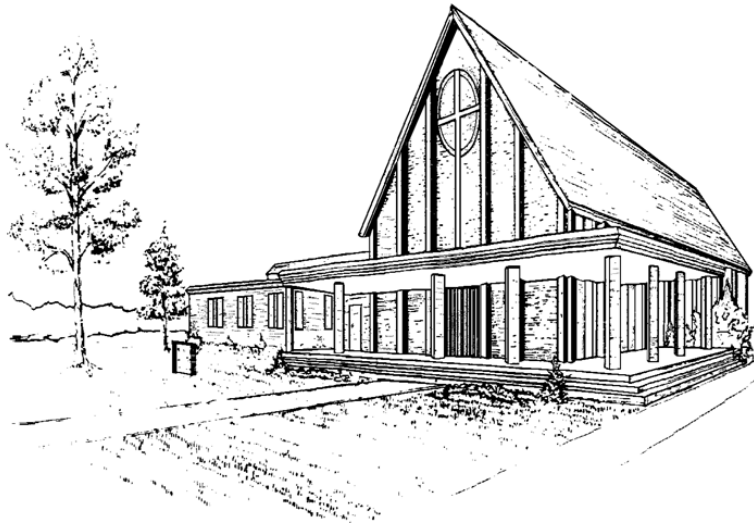


**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
OF GREENLAWN**



**Sunday Service of Worship
August 13, 2017
Deacon Sunday
9:30 A.M.**

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

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Deacon Sunday

9:30 am

August 13, 2017

CHIMES

Bill D'Andrea

PRAYER FOR INVOCATION

Deacon Craig Satterlee

Gracious God, take away our fear and help us to welcome your Christ as he comes to us across the churning chaos of our lives in order to save us. Give us the good sense to wait patiently in the boat for him rather than to set off to meet him on the wind and the waves, thus confusing his will, voice and authority with our own. Amen.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Fred Woodward

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

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN No. 361**

How Firm a Foundation

CALL TO WORSHIP (Based on Psalm 29)

Deacon Craig Satterlee

Leader: Ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

People: Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; worship the Lord in the splendor of his holiness.

Leader: The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the God of glory thunders over the mighty waters.

People: The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord is enthroned as a King forever.

Leader: The Lord gives strength to God's people and blesses them with God's peace.

All: Let us worship God!

***SONGS OF PRAISE**

Humble Thyself in the Sight of the Lord

The Summons (verses 1,2,5)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Fred Woodward

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Gracious God, though You come to us as savior, we trust in our own power and strength. Though You empty yourself on our behalf, we puff ourselves up. Though all power, glory and dominion are yours, we jockey for position and steal your spotlight. Something in us makes us want to always change the subject from You back to ourselves. Something in us makes us want to upstage your divinity. So off we go across the water, making our big splash.

Thank you for saving us when it dawns on us that we are at peril of drowning. Once we are safely back in the boat, help us to accept the grace of being human, nothing more and nothing less.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Pastor Fred Woodward

***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: Job 38: 3-13, 16-18

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***HYMN No. 286**

Give to the Winds Your Fears

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

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

Deacon Craig Satterlee

SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 14: 22-33

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SERMON “When You Float Like A Cannonball”

Pastor Fred Woodward

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. 404**

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

***CHALLENGE AND BLESSING**

***SINGING OUR HOPE**

Edelweiss

Come, O Lord, be with us.
Fill us with joy and thanksgiving.
May our hearts flow with peace.
Come with your love and surround us.
Friendship and peace, may they bloom and grow.
Bloom and grow forever.
Bless us now, bless our friends
Bless all your people forever.

***POSTLUDE**

*All who are able, please stand

WEEKLY MESSENGER

Sunday, August 13, 2017

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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 to the Glory of God.
- **CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BULLETINS** (ages 3-6 and 7-12) are available each Sunday. Please ask the ushers for a bulletin for your child
- **GREETERS:** Greeting us today before the service are Pat and Ron Lievendag.
- **ASSISTING IN THE PULPIT** this morning is Deacon Craig Satterlee.
- **FELLOWSHIP HOUR:** Assisting with fellowship hour today are members of the Board of Deacons.
- **USHERING TEAM NO. 2**, led by Bob Eitel, 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 August 13th is Betty Chatfield.
- **DEACONS ON CALL** for the month of August are Debbie Eitel (718-463-3003) and Craig Satterlee (631-261-8872). 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, and paper products.** Cash donations can also be used by the Deacons to fill in items that need to be purchased. Thanks to all of you who remember our pantry each week as you shop for your family.
- **FLOWERS FOR THE CHANCEL** We would encourage any and all to donate flowers for birthdays, anniversaries, "in memory of", 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).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**SEPTEMBER STEEPLE CHIMES DEADLINE
MONDAY, AUGUST 21st !**

**SUMMER WORSHIP
9:30 AM
AUGUST 13TH THROUGH SEPTEMBER 3RD**



ELDERS AND DEACONS

ANNUAL POT LUCK DINNER AND JOINT MEETING

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15TH

6:00 PM

PRAYER CONCERNS

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

Our church members and their individual struggles: Northport Clerk of Session Marcia Mercer and her family; David Brian; Bob B.; Brittany V.; Cassell; Craig B.; Kayla; Mike P.; Pastor Tim; Ruby W.; Tom M.; all in nursing homes; shut-ins and care-givers; church members and their families; 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, August 13, 2017	Worship/Deacon Sunday	9:30 am
Monday		
Tuesday	Pot Luck Dinner and Joint Session/Deacon Meeting	6:00 pm 7:00 pm
Wednesday	Pastor Fred's Happy Hour Bible Study	2:00 pm
Thursday		
Friday		
Saturday		
Next Sunday, August 20, 2017	Worship	9:30 am