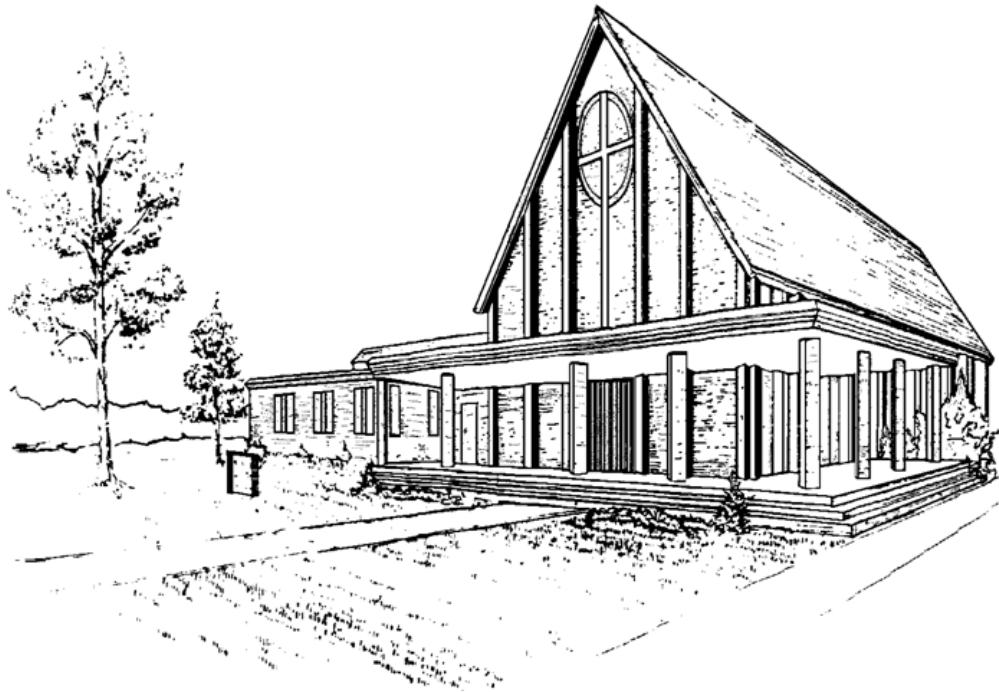


**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
OF GREENLAWN**



**Sunday Service of Worship
First Sunday in Lent
February 18, 2018
10:30 A.M.**

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

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

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February 18, 2018

CHIMES

Bill D'Andrea

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Elder Betty Chatfield

Loving God, whose realm was revealed to humankind in Jesus of Nazareth, open your heavens to us that the Spirit may come among us, reclaiming us, helping us to know our infinite worth in your sight, strengthening us to cope with temptation, equipping us to minister in Christ's name. May our faithfulness draw others into your covenant community, where mutual trust and joyous service unite us in Christ. Amen.

PRELUDE

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder Betty Chatfield

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

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN No. 345**

Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

CALL TO WORSHIP

Elder Betty Chatfield

ONE: Welcome to the time of covenant renewal.

The God of our salvation greets us here.

MANY: **We are reminded of God's promises to us;**
We remember the promises we have made.

ONE: Sense the Spirit descending on us now.
Hear God's welcoming voice.

MANY: **Surely God is with us.**
We can hear God calling our names.

ONE: See the rainbow in the sky.
Wonder at God's steadfast love.

MANY: **All creation proclaims the wonders of God.**
We come together to learn what God wants to teach us.

All: **Let us worship God together with song and prayer.**

SONGS OF PRAISE

I Sing Praises

We Bow Down

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. Randy Broger

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Have mercy on your church, O God, for we forget the covenant into which you call us.
We muddle along in our self—serving schemes rather than waiting on your word.
We follow the path of least resistance without seeking your higher way.
We forget our baptism into a faith community built on trust and forgiveness.
We turn from the vision of heaven to the treacherous hell of competing egos.
O God, we turn to you to lead us to a new day. According to your steadfast love, forgive us, we pray.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Rev. Randy Broger

***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.

SCRIPTURE READING: Genesis 9: 8-17

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Elder Betty Chatfield

***HYMN No. 280**

Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound

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

Elder Betty Chatfield

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Mark 1: 9-15

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Rev. Randy Broger

SERMON: “Are We Included?”

Rev. Randy Broger

ONE: The Lord Be with You

MANY: And also with you

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. 357**

O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

***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, February 18, 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 to the glory of God.
- **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 Janice Hago.
- **USHERING TEAM NO. 5**, led by Craig Satterlee, 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 February 18th is Ruth Satterlee.
- **DEACONS ON CALL** for the month of February are Debbie Eitel (718-463-3003) and Carolyn Brockett (631-368-2163). 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. 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 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).
- **OUR DAILY BREAD** is available in large print. Limited copies can be found on the table in the narthex.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Lenten Soup Suppers Continue This Week!

Our annual Lenten Soup Suppers will continue each Wednesday through March 21st. Soup is served at 6:30 PM, so bring your appetites and some soup or bread to share and join your church family during Lent.

Welcome

We welcome Rev. Randy Broger back to our pulpit today. Rev Broger has been the pastor at the Oceanside Presbyterian Church for the past nine years. He grew up in Massapequa Park and lives in Holbrook with his wife and their tea-cup Chihuahua, Molly. He has three children two of whom are married and have two children each. His third daughter is a Lt. Colonel in the US Army. She has served in Iraq and Afghanistan and is now in California.

PRAYER CONCERNS

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

Our church members and their individual struggles; Alan L.; Andrew K.; Arlene C.; Bill M.; Brother Jack F.; Camille F.; Cassell; Clint T.; Ed & Cathy C.; Florence M.; Kayla; Maria H.; Maria F.H.; Matilda H.; Meg L.; Mike P.; Ray D.; 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, February 18, 2018	Worship/Sunday School/ Youth Bowling	10:30 am 2-4 pm
Monday	Church Office Closed Steeple Chimes Deadline	
Tuesday		
Wednesday	Pastor Fred's Happy Hour Bible Study Lenten Soup Supper	2:00 pm 6:30 pm
Thursday		
Friday		
Saturday		
Next Sunday, February 25, 2018	Worship/Sunday School/ Ordination and Installation of Church Officers	10:30 am