



**Welcome to Worship!**

Grace and peace to you  
from God and  
the Lord Jesus Christ!  
Please let us know you are  
worshipping with us by completing  
the Welcome Card in the pew or  
following the QR code.



**PRELUDE**

Toccata in D minor

J. Pachelbel

**CHIMING OF THE HOUR**

**GATHERING AROUND THE WORD**

A Caring, Inclusive Community

**WORDS OF WELCOME**

Rev. Beverly Friedlander

**POURING OF THE WATER**

*Even in the season of repentance, the season of Lent,  
the baptismal water reminds us, by grace we belong to God, by mercy we are forgiven in Christ,  
and by love we have new life through the Holy Spirit.*

**INTROIT Hymn 399** (seated)

God Welcomes All

THEMBA AMEN

**God welcomes all, strangers and friends;  
God's love is strong and it never ends. (repeat)**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Revelation 4: 1-2

One: The Lord be with you.

**ALL: And also with you.**

One: "After this I looked, and there in heaven a door stood open! And the first voice, which I had heard speaking to me like a trumpet, said, 'Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after this.' At once I was in the spirit, and there in heaven stood a throne, with one seated on the throne!"

Let us come up, in body and spirit to praise the Lord.

**\*HYMN 1**

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

NICAEA

**CALL TO CONFESSION**

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One: ... Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Hymn 431**

Forgive Us, Lord

CONFESIÓN

**Forgive us, Lord.**

**ASSURANCE OF GRACE**

**\*HYMN 447**

We Are Forgiven

WE ARE FORGIVEN

**We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God.**

**We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God.**

**PASSING THE PEACE**

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

**ALL: And also with you.**

One: Let us share this sign of peace with one another.

**HEARING THE WORD**

Of God's Unconditional Love

**THE CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**SCRIPTURE**

Rev 4: 4-11

**ANTHEM**

When Jesus Walked the Wilderness

Lloyd Larsen

**SERMON**

Peeking Through the Open Door

Rev. Beverly Friedlander

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

Putting our Faith into Action

**\*HYMN 612**

We Praise You, O God

KREMSER

**RECEIVING OF NEW MEMBERS**

**QUESTIONS**

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

THE APOSTLES' CREED

**OFFERING OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS**

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**OFFERTORY HYMN 710 (seated)**

We Lift Our Voices

OFFERING

## THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

### INVITATION TO THE TABLE

### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

### 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, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

### COMMUNION OF THE SAINTS

#### \*DOXOLOGY 607

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**  
**Praise Christ, all people here below;**  
**Praise Holy Spirit evermore;**  
**Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.**

OLD HUNDREDTH

## BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

#### \*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

#### \*Hymn 747

The Lord Now Sends Us Forth

ENVIADO

#### Postlude

Preludium in G minor

J.S. Bach

*Please enjoy coffee and fellowship in the Fellowship Hall.*

### WORSHIP NOTES

**Deacon of the Week:** *Rich Tisdale at 917-273-5823 or email at richardctisdale@gmail.com.com*

#### Thanksgiving for our Worship Leaders:

Organist Matt Balaban

Liturgist

Chancel Choir

Usher Chris McIntyre, Tony Rodriguez

A/V Crew

#### Next Week:

Matt Balaban

Chancel Choir

Tony Rodriguez, Anne Zauber

Eric Spurrier

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**Music:** GTG – Glory to God Hymnal; STF—Sing the Faith Songbook

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CALENDAR 2026

3/1 - Sun 9:15am - Called session meeting  
9:15 am - Choir warm up  
10:00 am - Worship  
11:15 am - Coffee Hour  
11:30 am - Adult Bible Study-week 4  
6:00 pm - Youth Group  
3/2 - Mon 7:00pm - Deacons Meeting - Zoom

### Upcoming:

3/7 - Sat 10:00 am - Choir Rehearsal  
3/8 - Sun 9:15 am - Choir warm up  
10:00 am - Worship  
11:15 am - Coffee Hour  
11:30 am - Adult Bible Study-week 5  
6:00 pm - Confirmation class -

Fanwood Presbyterian Church

3/14 - Sat 10:00 am - 11:00 am - ODNS Art  
Show & Sing Along - Fellowship  
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm - Rise against  
Hunger meal packing

### Community:

Mon-Thurs - 5:00 pm to 7:30 pm - Fencing

### Church Prayer Concerns

(Specific issues are listed with permission)

### Comfort After Loss

Foster Wright & Family following the death of his brother, Graham

### Those managing health concerns or recovering.

Tabby Gillim's aunt, Linda Heitkamp (cancer)  
Ebony Wiggins' mother (dementia)  
Eva Curtis's grandson, Charlie Eckhardt  
Linda Rizzolo (LBD)  
Lois, Liza's sister-in-law (cancer)  
Tom Schwenke (cancer)  
Tony Robinson (cancer)

### US Military Service Members

Samuel Barbagiovanni, Army National Guard  
Kyle Swan, Jr - Cornell University, Navy ROTC  
Ryan Swan, F - US Naval Academy

### Pray for Peace and Justice

### WPC Staff and Officers

#### Elders

Michael Auer  
Debbie Jacoby  
Doug Olson  
Vicki Sanborn  
Stephen Wood

Emelie Calbick  
Chuck Kramer  
Steve Peri  
Reid Strong  
Dave Berry, Clerk

#### Deacons

George Ganter  
Ellie Lesperance  
Aimee Perez  
Rich Tisdale  
(Vacant)

Kristen Holmgren  
Elizabeth Meyer  
Janet Stones  
Debbie Wright

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