

Shelter Island Presbyterian Church



*He said to the man, 'Stretch out your hand.'
He stretched it out, and his hand was completely restored.
Then the Pharisees went out and began to plot
how they might kill Jesus.*

Mark 3:4-6

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

March 17, 2019

10:30 a.m.

We Gather in God's Name

Chimes

Prelude

“The Lord's My Shepherd”

Gordon Young

Welcome and Announcements

Introit

“Lead Me Lord”

Samuel J. Wesley

Call To Worship

Thanks be to God for this new day!

**Thanks be to God for the creation that surrounds us,
for the gift of God's presence as we worship,
for the strength to live boldly for the Lord.**

Thanks be to God for this day!

*Hymn

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

No. 182

*Prayer of Confession

Our words are feeble as we come to you in prayer. Even though you are faithful to us, we too often forget you. You have lifted us up when we have fallen into despair. You have turned our tears into laughter and joy. You have protected us when we have been in danger. You will never move. Yet we move away from you. Turn us around again, that we may see your face, and receive your mercy. Amen

*Silent Prayer of Confession

*Assurance of Pardon

*Response

“Glory Be to the Father”

No. 579

*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*

***Passing of the Peace**

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.
The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ, be with you.

And also with you

Let us greet each other saying; ‘May the peace of Christ be with you.’

Anthem

“Jesus Know’s the Inmost Heart”

G.Weaver / A. Blenkinsop

We Listen for God’s Word

Prayer for Illumination

Responsive Reading

Psalm 23

Gospel Reading

Mark 3:1-6

Sermon

A Bridge Too Far

Rev. Robert Griffin

We Respond to God’s Word

***Hymn**

The Lord’s My Shepherd, I’ll Not Want

No. 801

***Affirmation of Faith**

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

“My Shepherd Will Supply My Need”

Gordon Young

***Doxology**

“Praise God from whom all Blessings Flow”

No. 592

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**

We Go Forth to Serve in God's Name

*Hymn	Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us	No. 187
*Benediction		
*Choral Benediction	“Four-Fold Amen”	Bibbens
*Postlude	“God is My Strong Salvation” Gordon Young	

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(1836-1902)

*Please stand if able.

Information
About Today's Worship Service

Thank you to our worship and fellowship leaders this morning!

Assisting: Marilynn Pysker
Greeter: Susie Lang
Usher: Laurie Fanelli
Coffee Hour Deacons

A very special welcome to our guests! Please join us for light refreshments and fellowship after worship today in Fellowship Hall.

This week at Shelter Island Presbyterian Church:

Sunday, March 17	Worship	10:30 a.m.
Monday, March 18	Session Meeting	6:15 p.m.
Wednesday, March 20	Engaging the Text	9:00 a.m.
	Celebrity Chef	6:00 p.m.
Thursday, March 21	New Jerusalem Church	7:00 p.m.
Friday, March 22	Engaging the Text	11:00 a.m.
	AA	7:30 p.m.

Looking Ahead:

Sunday, March 24	Worship	10:30 a.m.
	Juniata College Choir Concert	1:00 p.m.



loans that change lives

kiva.org is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that brings people together to give micro loans (usually \$25 each) to people in order to help them help themselves. Here's an example of how it works:

Maria in Ecuador needs another dairy cow to increase her production and make more money with her dairy farm. However, things are tight so she doesn't have the money on hand to invest in a cow. Therefore, she applies for a loan through kiva.org where people like you can loan \$25 (or more) to help give Maria the money to purchase the cow. Thanks to the loans from kiva.org, Maria can purchase the cow. Once the cow begins producing, Maria pays back the loan to kiva.org where the money you loaned goes back into your account. You can then either withdraw the money or re-loan it to another borrower.

or

Contact John Kerr @ 631-749-0414

To date, the SIPC KIVA Team has loaned
\$16,525 through 574 loans in 63 different countries!

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Admin Assistant Karen Tudor works on Tues., Thur., Fri. 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Leadership Team of SIPC

Rev. Robert Griffin, Pastor

Linda Betjeman, Minister of Music

Karen Tudor, Administrative Assistant

Karin Bennett, Sexton

Session

Class of 2019

Laura Dickerson

Marilynn Pysher

Heather Reylek

Class of 2020

Laura Nelsen

Dan Binder

Ellen Gove

Class of 2021

Marianne Baird

Peter Vielbig

Deacons

Class of 2019

Dana Hallman

Carol Gray

Rose Wissemann

Class of 2020

Brenda Bergman

Colleen Smith

Karin Bennett

Class of 2021

Rachel Brigham

Cindy Griffin

Congregational Nominating Committee

Heather Reylek, Carol Gray, Lee Anne Bastible, John Miller

SIPC Prayer List

The nations in the Middle East, our planet, the men and women in the Armed Forces and our leaders. For Ashley Sanderson, Tara Chinook, Jill Tuttle Albiani, Dan Weginski Sue Speeches-Caddle, Michael Murphy, Sven Corfitzen, Evandos Jones, Romaine Elgart, Sharon Gibbs, Peter Reich, Janet Hansen, Judith Winship, Betty Vaughn-Flynn, Kevin Phelps, Bill Kady, Jane Baird, Andy Miller, Ruth Mattson, Ed Close, Amanda Schall, Greg Opperman, Brian Ilg, Lynn Franklin, Ken Miller (Rev. Anne's husband), Lisa Kaasik, Marcia Lyford, Al Salmeiri, Stephanie Phelps, Doris Virkus, Marge Noulis and Benjamin and the Christensen Family.

Members of the Armed Forces: Capt. Sean Roger Clark (USMC); Cpl. Mitchell Brinsley Clark (USMC); Spc. Samuel Clark (US Army); Spc. Shane Corbett (US Army); Sgt. Nathan Mundy (USMC); Airman Jeremy Schmid (USAF); Commander Scott Sherman, (USN); Gunnery Sgt. Tscharner Thomson (USMC); Capt. Morgan Waddington (USMC).

We will gladly list the names of any individuals in need of our prayers. You may share names with us by turning in a note from the pew or by calling the church office prior to Friday a.m. We will continue to list these names for 4 weeks and then they will be removed unless a specific request is made.

