



First Presbyterian Church

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Sunday, October 16th, 2022



“Now the whole group of those who believed were of one heart and soul...”

~Acts 4:32

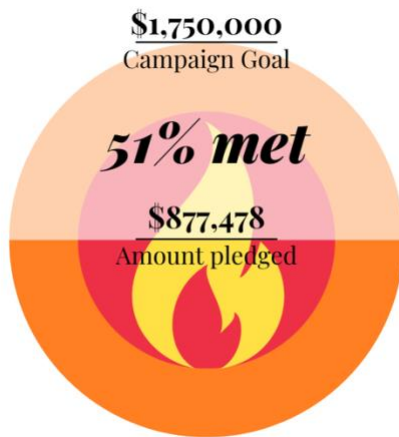
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Order of Worship

Welcome and Announcements		Rev. Amy Starr Redwine
Prelude	“Dialogue sur les mixtures” from <i>Suite Brève</i> Bruce B. Stevens, organ	Jean Langlais
Call to Worship		Rev. Josh Andrzejewski
*Hymn 714	“God of the Fertile Fields”	ITALIAN HYMN
*Prayer of Confession		
We use a lot of words, gracious God, but do little to turn them into deeds. Instead of being of one heart and soul, we choose sides and form groups of people like us. Blessed with great grace, we have trouble sharing it with those who need it the most. Forgive us, God of love. Restore us, as we reveal our brokenness. Hear us, as we proclaim Jesus Christ as our Lord and our God.		
(Adapted from a prayer by the Rev. Beth Merrill Neal)		
*Passing of the Peace		
<i>During the singing of the hymn, children ages 4-10 years are invited to go to faith formation. They may be picked up after worship in room 206 & 207.</i>		
*Hymn 441 (v.1)	“Hear the Good News of Salvation”	NETTLETON
Hear the good news of salvation: Jesus died to show God’s love. Such great kindness! Such great mercy! Come to us from heaven above. Jesus Christ, how much I love you! Jesus Christ, you save from sin! How I love you! Look upon me. Love me still and cleanse within.		
Prayer of Illumination		Rev. Amy Starr Redwine
Scripture Reading	Acts 4:32-5:11	
Sermon	“We’re Invited – To Bring What We Can (Part II)”	
Anthem	<i>You Better Min’</i> Chancel Choir; Jason N. Brown	arr. Moses Hogan
<i>Oh, you better min’ how you talk. Yes, you better min’ what you’re talkin’ about, ,’cause you got to give an account in the judgment. Oh, you better min’ my brother. You better min’ my sister. You got to give an account in the judgment. You better min’.</i>		
<i>Oh, you better min’ how you sing [...] Oh, you better min’ how you shout [...]</i>		
Call to Offering		David Williams
<i>Please come forward to place your pledge cards and offering in the baskets.</i>		

***Please rise in body or in spirit.**

Offertory	“Sheep May Safely Graze” from <i>BWV 208</i> Bruce B. Stevens, organ	J. S. Bach
Prayer of Dedication		Jay Bryson
Hymn 697 (vv. 1, 4)	“Take My Life”	HENDON
Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer		Rev. Derek Starr Redwine
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.		
*Hymn 708	“We Give Thee But Thine Own”	SCHUMANN
*Charge and Benediction		Rev. Amy Starr Redwine
Postlude	<i>Rigaudon</i> Bruce B. Stevens, organ	André Campra



Today is Dedication Sunday!

Today during worship you’ll have the opportunity during the offering to come forward and place your pledge card and offering in the baskets. You can always make a pledge online at fprichmond.org/give.



Armstrong Leadership Program, one of our Outreach partners, is looking for mentors for Armstrong High School students. The commitment is two hours a month from October to May. If you’re interested contact Marvin Roane, Assistant Director of ALP at alp@richmondhillva.org or apply using the QR code.

Officer Recommendations

Officer recommendations are open! Visit fprichmond.org/officer-recs or use the forms on the table in the Commons to recommend yourself or other church members who may have a calling to serve FPC.

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This week's usher team includes: Pratt Cook, Susan Sokolsky, Jim Purser, Steve May, and Tara Modisett.
If you're interested in serving as an usher, contact Rev. Mary Kay Collins.

Elders: Clark Lewis, Jim Purser, Susan Sokolsky

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given in loving memory of Libby and Frank Conner by Mary Conner, Margaret and Steve Gentil, Cristy Jarvis and their families.

Please keep in your prayers those with special concerns:

- Elizabeth Allen (Sallie and John Philips' niece), recovering from surgery
- Max Cisne, in hospice care
- Sally Soman Faulkner (Alan Rudlin's sister-in-law), in ICU in Seattle
- Ken Horton, recovering from surgery
- Bob Priddy, treatment for Large B cell Lymphoma
- John Starr, recovering from elbow surgery
- Beth Thurston, health concerns

Those rejoicing:

- Christina Annas and Adam Luxon who were married on September 28.
- Elise Maloy who will celebrate her 99th birthday on October 26.

Those grieving:

- Michelle and Frank Call on the death of Frank's father and Michael and Caitlin Call on the death of their grandfather, Frank Lloyd Call II, on October 9.

We pray for members and family serving in the military:

Tripp Bowles, Jenny Sigel Burkett, Zach Kirk, Mason Louthan, Anne Marks, Nathan Thomas Meade, Connor Partlow, Peyton Spivey, Pierce Tarry, and Will Watkins.



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