



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Corning, New York

"I, the Lord your God, hold your right hand;
it is I who say to you, 'Do not fear, I will help you.'"
Isaiah 41:13

April 26, 2020

Third Sunday of Easter

10:30 a.m.

THE ORDER OF PUBLIC WORSHIP OF ALMIGHTY GOD

If you would like to share a joy or concern for prayer during the service,
please submit it by commenting on the video live-stream.
We will do our best to include it in the Prayer of the Church, but please be patient with us.
We are all new to this!

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Jeff



CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 116:1-4

Ernie Danforth

I love the Lord, for he heard my voice; he heard my cry for mercy.
Because he turned his ear to me, I will call on him as long as I live.
The cords of death entangled me, the anguish of the grave came over me;
I was overcome by distress and sorrow.
Then I called on the name of the Lord: "Lord, save me!"
The Lord is gracious and righteous; our God is full of compassion.
The Lord protects the unwary; when I was brought low, he saved me.

CALL TO CONFESSION

Pastor Jeff

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, we have been cut to the heart. We know there is nothing we can do to earn the grace we have received through Christ. We regret the times we cheapen it, accepting your gifts while neglecting your commandments. Forgive us for not loving one another. Forgive us for not sharing with others. Forgive us for going our own way and refusing to follow you. Do not let us get so focused on the headlines that we forget the good news of the gospel. Come alongside us and remind us of your Word and our purpose in this world. Hear our confession, free us from guilt, open our eyes that we might see and know our Savior, alive and present with us now.

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S PARDON

Pastor Jeff

GLORIA PATRI (No. 579, The Hymnal)

David Smith

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Pastor Jeff

SHARING FAITH WITH CHILDREN "Around the Table That Grandad Built"

Pastor Jeff

by Melanie Heuiser Hill (Author), Jaime Kim (Illustrator)

MUSICAL OFFERING

"The Lord's Prayer"

Ernie Danforth

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Curt Neuner

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

1 Corinthians 1:20-31

Curt Neuner

Luke 24:13-35

Pastor Jeff

SERMON

"If You Meet Jesus on the Road ..."

Pastor Jeff

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH*The Apostles' Creed*

Pastor Jeff

DOXOLOGY

David Smith

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Pastor Jeff

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

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.

BENEDICTORY SONG

"Why Don't You Believe?"
(Based on Luke 24)

Dave Smith

BENEDICTION**POSTLUDE**

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2020

- So many of our neighbors have lost their jobs and are finding it harder to feed their families. Like many food pantries across the country, the Salvation Army Food Pantry has seen an increase in business and is challenged with keeping it stocked. The next time you are at the grocery store, consider picking up a few extra items. They are in need of: pancake mix, milk, canned beans, rice, macaroni & cheese, canned soup, peanut butter, jelly, cereal, pasta, pasta sauce, meat, eggs, margarine, canned fruit and vegetables. Additional items include small and large to-go boxes, forks, spoons, knives, napkins, and plastic bags, toiletry products, diapers, baby formulas, and baby food. Leave your donations at the Salvation Army back door in the alley during their business hours, Mon-Fri 9:00am-4:30pm. Staff can see on their security camera when a donation is made. Thank you from the Mission & Outreach Committee.
- Wednesdays at 11:00 am is Bible Study on the Book of Acts 4 with Pastor Jeff. Here is the link for video chat: <https://zoom.us/j/498582756>. For those participating by voice-only over their phones, please dial 646-558-8656 and enter meeting ID 498 582 756 when prompted, followed by #. If you need any assistance with this, please call or email the church office.
- Thursdays at 11:00 am, we will be having Congregational Fellowship Time on Zoom. Here is the link for video chat: <https://zoom.us/j/6792364111>. For those participating by voice-only over their phones, please dial 646-558-8656 and enter meeting ID 679 236 4111 when prompted, followed by #. If you need assistance with this, please call or email the church office.
- Your Prayer Requests are important to us! In the midst of these uncertain times God invites us to share our requests, concerns, and fears with him through prayer. If there is something in your heart you would like our dedicated Prayer Team to lift up to the Lord, please let us know. In addition to submitting your prayers during the online Sunday Worship service, feel free to email a Prayer Request to the church office at office@corningpresby.org or Contact Us on our webpage at www.corningpresby.org.
- We appreciate your continued support of our ministry. Donations can now be made by clicking our online giving link located on our homepage www.corningpresby.org or via check to the church office. Thank you for your support as we continue to do the work of Jesus Christ.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 27, 2020

Monday	April 27	9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Church Office Available via phone or email
Tuesday	April 28	9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Church Office Available via phone or email
Wednesday	April 29	9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Church Office Available via phone or email
		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Bible Study on Zoom
Thursday	April 30	9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Church Office Available via phone or email
		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Fellowship Time on Zoom
Friday	May 1	- -	Church Office Closed
Saturday	May 2	- -	Church Office Closed
NEXT SUNDAY:	May 3	10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	ONLINE WORSHIP COMMUNION SERVICE Our Facebook Page www.fb.me/CorningFirstPresby

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