

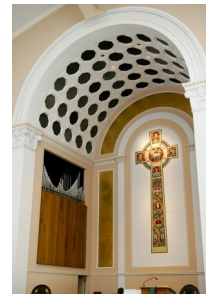


# First Presbyterian Church

*Sharing with and Caring for Each Other*

**This Week**

**November 19 thru November 26, 2023**



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**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**  
**Tuesday thru Friday,**  
**9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

**Leading in Worship Today:**

Rev. Dr. Andrew Philip Long, preaching

Don Klug, Liturgist

Sara Gleason, Director of Music

Carl Bingle, Organist

FPC Chancel Choir

Handbell Choir

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**

November 19 Savannah Dorr

November 20 Grailey Walton

November 23 Nanci Paroubek

**We pray for those undergoing health difficulties:**

Barbara, Jennifer, Elise, John, Alice, Dorothy, Pat, Bob, Sue, Barbara, Sherrie, Amy, Jamie, William, Fred M., Josh L., Shirley, Carol, Anne, Allen, Bob, Beth

**We pray for those who are unable to join us in-person:**

Linda, Shane, Ed, Millie, Gerda, Annie

**We pray for our mission partners:**

Tyler, Rochelle, and Mphatso, Grace, Sam, and Ruth, Isaiah, MELT, The Women of Grace, NNY Presbytery, Synod of The Northeast, Presbyterian Disaster Assistance

**We pray for our local and national leaders:**

Watertown's Mayor and City Council, The U.S. President and Congress, The New York Governor & State Legislature.

**We pray for those serving our nation:**

The Wright Family, those in conflict in Ukraine

## THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRES.

Today, November 19th, *Hearts Connected: Week #3*

**Tuesday, November 21st**

- Staff Meeting, 12 noon, Room 6
- **Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service**  
Dessert Fellowship, 6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall  
Worship, 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary

**Wed., November 22nd, Thurs., November 23rd, Fri., November 24th**

- **Church Offices Closed - HAPPY THANKSGIVING**

**Sunday, November 26th, Worship, 10:00 a.m.**

- Pastor's Study, 11:30 a.m.
- Open Table, 5:00 p.m.

**Menu: Roast Pork, stuffing, corn, Waldorf salad**

The **OPEN TABLE Committee** would like to extend our mission during the winter months, beyond food, to our community. We could use YOUR help! For the **month of November**, we will be collecting **boxes of tissues** in Fellowship Hall. These tissue boxes will be handed out to our customers with **dinner on November 26**. This is another way to nurture our community. Thank you for your help.



**M.E.L.T. Malawi Holiday Market**

**Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>.**

**Fellowship Hall after the service**

**Payments: cash or check: MELT**

In need of a few unique Holiday gifts?

We have wood products from Malawi, M.E.L.T. book bags & shopping bags, small fun gifts, Notecards: flowers of Malawi, artwork by Malawian children using their very first crayons