

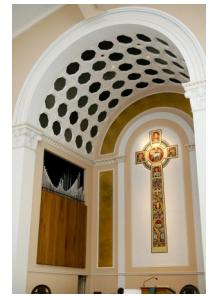


First Presbyterian Church

Sharing with and Caring for Each Other

This Week

September 24 thru October 1, 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

Cherie Danforth, Liturgist

Sara Gleason, Director of Music

Carl Bingle, Organist

FPC Chancel Choir

Michele Bariteau, flute

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

September 30 Lucy Hiotis

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

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

Connecting to Our Community and the World

First Presbyterian is blessed to provide space for several community-based ministries and programs. All are open to members of the church and community and meet on the following days:

Al-Anon, 7:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Fellowship Hall

Religious Education for People With Disabilities, Mondays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Chapel, Rooms 1 & 6

Alcoholics Anonymous - First Watertown Group, 8:00 p.m., Saturdays, FH The Spare Closet, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Tuesdays & Thursdays and the 1st Saturday of each month, Basement.

THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRES.

Today, September 24th, 10:00 a.m. - Worship,

- Fellowship after Worship in Fellowship Hall.
- Pastor's Study 11:30 a.m.
- Northern Choral Society Registration & Rehearsals, 1:00-5:00 p.m.
- Open Table, 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 26th– Staff Meeting, 12 noon

Thursday, September 28th - Presbyterian Women Meeting with Lunch, Rooms 4 & 6

- Music Rehearsals, 6:00-9:00 p.m., Sanctuary

Saturday, September 30th

- New Officers Training, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Sunday, October 1st

- Fellowship after Worship in Fellowship Hall.
- Pastor's Study 11:30 a.m.
- Northern Choral Society Rehearsals, 1:00-5:00 p.m.
- Blessing of the Animals, 4:00 p.m., Labyrinth