

Welcome



Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

United Presbyterian Church of Plainfield, New Jersey



October 20, 2019

11:00 AM

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TO ALL THOSE WHO ENTER HERE, be thoughtful, be silent, be reverent.
Before the Service speak to God, during the Service let God speak to you, after the
Service speak to others.

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE Morning Has Broken Bunessan

**OPENING HYMN GTG 465* What a Friend We Have in Jesus

CALL TO WORSHIP

*Teach us, O Lord, the way of your statutes,
and let us observe it to the end.*

*Give us understanding, that we may keep your law,
and observe it with our whole hearts.*

*Turn our hearts to your decrees,
and not to selfish gain.*

*Turn our eyes from looking at vanities;
give us life in your ways.*

*Confirm to your servants your promise,
and let us worship you.*

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, forgive us

*when we forego peace for easy resolution;
when we trade justice for convenience;
when we doubt whether you are real enough,
whether we are good enough,
whether your love is strong enough
to overcome the destructive powers of our world.
Forgive us, O God,
and move us to know your transformative grace. Amen.*

PERSONAL PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING THE PEACE

CHILDREN / YOUTH MESSAGE

Sue Terry

ANTHEM Sweet Hour of Prayer

William Bradbury

THE WORD

NEW TESTAMENT READING Hebrews 11:38, 12:2 Pages 274-275

***GLORIA PATRIA**

SERMON

Persevering Faith

Pastor Michelle Wildridge

THE RESPONSE

PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAYERS OF THE PASTOR AND PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BRINGING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY Do Lord Remember Me Arr. R. Daniels

***DOXOLOGY (Hymn 606)**

*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 (Hymn 708)**

*We give Thee but Thine own, What e'er the gift may be;
All that we have is Thine alone, A trust, O Lord from Thee.*

THE SENDING

***PARTING HYMN GTG 688** Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart
(verses 1-3-5)

***CHARGE & BENEDICTION**

***CHORAL RESPONSE 601**

POSTLUDE O Worship the King, All Glorious Above! Lyons

Assisting in today's Worship:

Liturgist: Liz Mangan

WE WELCOME YOU IN JESUS' NAME! Let us come before the

Lord our maker. And may God grant us the humility to be receptive to God's life changing grace.

Nursery Care is provided for infants and toddlers.

Again, thanks for coming out today!!! Large Print Bulletins are available from an usher.

If you are interested in becoming a member of United Church, please see the pastor or an usher. You are invited to the Lind Room after worship for refreshments and conversation.

REMEMBER WITH YOUR PRAYERS, CARDS, AND CALLS

At Home: Ronn Daniels, Carl & Helen Foerster, Barbara Hyney, Thelma Barnes, Fred Robinson.

Frank Klikus: BJ Klikus husband

Jamie Sweeney: Helen Foerster's cousin

Jean Neumann: Helen Forester's niece

John and Marianna Perry: Helen Foerster's brother and wife

Annette O'Connor: Jean Scott's sister

Phyllis Sennyuen: Jean Scott's sister

Brandon Williams: friend to George & Ginni Hansen

Nabielah Scott: Kevin Scott's wife

Zachary Robinson: Jean Scott's nephew

Lillian Willing: Michelle Wildridge's mother

Wendy Oldham: Pat Dawson's friend

Gail Stokes, and Izaiyh Stokes: Gail Stokes grandson

Sylvia Denson: Gail Stokes friend

John Zayatz, Gail Stokes friend

Larry Brown: Gail Stokes brother-in-law

Freda Lenzo: friend of Jeanne Ashanky

Charisse Payne & Family: Elder & Mrs. Davis, daughter: Cathedral

JoAnn Edwards, Lazarus Edwards: JoAnn Edwards's husband

Lazarus Edwards Jr.: JoAnn Edwards's son

Prayers for our students: Neekah Hinds, Mobolaji Falowo, Izaiyah Stokes and Gean Bernard.

Prayers for peace and end to gun violence throughout our country.

U.S. Armed Forces in Afghanistan and citizens of these places.

People of Syria.

FROM OUR PRESBYTERY'S CALENDAR OF PRAYER:

Outreach Ministries: African American Cultural and Learning Center,
Agape, Children's Music Institute and Elizabethport Presbyterian Center

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

10/30 Chris Awobue, Jr.

11/1 Nneoma Awobue

PLEASE MAKE A DONATION – due Today!!!

***for Hurricane Relief in the Bahamas. Please make check payable to United Presbyterian Church in memo line to read: DR000194 (PDA), stands for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. Thank you.**

Share your financial blessings to help disaster survivors throughout
the world.

Pray that through the response of the faith community, survivors and those offering assistance will be reminded of the *hope that is found in Christ*.

TODAY IS CROP WALK!

The 47th Annual Plainfield/North Plainfield CROP WALK, at Watchung Avenue Presbyterian Church 170 Watchung Ave., North Plainfield, starting at 12:30pm for registration, walk begins at 1:00pm.

Let us all have a successful walk so that we can assist those less fortunate. There are so many areas that need our help from around the world, the country and right here at home in Plainfield and North Plainfield.

God Bless, Gwyn, Susan and Lynn

Your New CROP Coordinating Team

God added his testimony by signs and wonders and various miracles, and by gifts of the Holy Spirit, distributed according to his will.

-Hebrews 2:4

**United Presbyterian Church
Presents a**

Holiday Bazaar

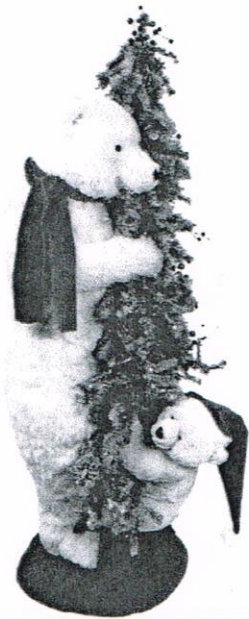
**New Items • Used Items • Health Information
Brief Exercise Sessions * Raffle Every Hour**

**Saturday, November 2, 2019
10:00 am to 3:00 pm**

525 East Front Street • Plainfield, NJ

(Enter from the Parking Lot)

908-756-2666 or upcnews525@gmail.com



- Silent Auction at 2 pm — Raffle throughout the day
- This event has something for everyone with a wide variety of merchandise: new and used items available at "prices to sell"!
- Baked goods, food, beverages and treats are available for sale.
- Plenty of parking.

Please call the Church Office to learn more.

SCHEDULE: October 20 - 27, 2019

Sunday	11:00am	Worship Service
	12:15pm	Refreshments, Lind Room
	7:30pm	A/A Meeting, Friendship Hall
Monday	7:30pm	Boy Scouts, Friendship Hall
Tuesday		
Wednesday	7:00pm	A/A/ Meeting, Friendship Hall
Thursday		
Friday		
Saturday	7:30pm	A/A Hansen Room

Sunday	10:00am	Youth & Adult Bible study
	11:00am	Worship Service
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	7:30pm	A/A Friendship Hall

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