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**THOSE ASSISTING THIS MORNING** - **Preacher:** Andrew Kort; **Liturgists:** Mihee Kim-Kort, Nancy Campbell; **Music:** Bob Muckenfuss, Phyllis Crossen-Richardson, clarinetist; **Time with Children:** Miss Good; **Usher:** Bryan Kempton.

**STAFF NEWS** - Bob Muckenfuss is on vacation July 12-18. Sharon will be out of the office Thursday to attend a funeral.

**CHANCEL ROSE** - In honor of Noah Hashem born June 30 to Shawna Bray & Ray Hashem. Noah joins big siblings, Anna and Ezra. Welcome, Noah, to your church family!

**IF YOU NEED PASTORAL CARE** - especially due to a medical situation like surgery or treatments, please contact pastor Mihee ([mihee@annapolis-presbyterian.com](mailto:mihee@annapolis-presbyterian.com)) or Andy ([andy@annapolis-presbyterian.com](mailto:andy@annapolis-presbyterian.com)).

### LOOKING AHEAD IN WORSHIP

#### July 18 - Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Rev. Mihee Kim-Kort will preach from Jeremiah 23:1-16 and Mark 6:30-34, 53-56. Clara McKee and Karen Smith will serve as liturgists. While Bob is on vacation, Mary Marie Quigley will be our substitute organist and Lizzie Storer will offer a solo.

#### July 25 - Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Guest preacher, Caroline Price Gibson, will preach "Family Matters" from II Samuel 11:1-15 and Ephesians 3:14-21, while the pastors are on family vacation. Charlie & Caroline White and Mary Marie Quigley will serve as liturgists. Laura Austin and Dave Lanenga will offer a handbell duet and Ed Gilhooly will give a Minute for Mission.

- **About the Guest Preacher.** Caroline Price Gibson has recently retired from 40 years of service as a Presbyterian minister. After receiving a degree from Union Theological Seminary in New York, she served as the pastor of churches in New York, Iowa, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Nebraska. She and her husband, Stephen (also a Presbyterian minister) have two sons, now live in Odenton, and are Parish Associates at Ark and Dove Presbyterian Church.

# *First Presbyterian Church, Annapolis, Maryland*

## *July 11, 2021 – 9:30 am Worship*

### *Seventh Sunday after Pentecost*

#### GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

Services are live-streamed, recorded, and posted on the website.

✦ Please rise in body or in spirit. **Bold** in unison.

**PRELUDE** - *Toccata in D minor*

Johann Pachelbel

**WELCOME**

(Complete and pass greeter pads down the pew and back again.)

✦ **CALL TO WORSHIP**

God has accomplished all things through Christ,  
**so that we might live as God's own children.**

Let us give thanks to God

**and live for the praise of God's glory.**

**Let us worship God!**

✦ **HYMN 163** - *Wild and Lone the Prophet's Voice*

ABERYSTWYTH

***Wild and lone the prophet's voice echoes through the desert still,  
calling us to make a choice, bidding us to do God's will:***

***"Turn from sin and be baptized; cleanse your heart and mind and soul.***

***Quitting all the sins you prized, yield your life to God's control.***

***"Bear the fruit repentance sows: lives of justice, truth and love.***

***Trust no other claim than those; set your heart on things above.***

***Soon the Lord will come in power, burning clean the threshing floor:  
then will flames the chaff devour; wheat alone shall fill God's store."***

***With such preaching, stark and bold, John proclaimed salvation near,  
and his timeless warnings hold words of hope to all who hear.***

***So we dare to journey on, led by faith through ways untrod,  
till we come at last like John to behold the Lamb of God.***

## PREPARING FOR GOD'S WORD

### ✦ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy, holy, holy Lord, you are the God of glory. We confess that we often make excuses for the sins we commit, and expect you to overlook the harm we cause while still demanding justice from others. There are so many times when we are so very pleased with ourselves, and as we look upon others, we confess there are times when we despise them in our hearts. We do not deserve your mercy. Forgive us, and return us to a right relationship with you, and with all of your creation. Enliven us with the Holy Spirit so that we can fulfill our calling, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

✦ KYRIE - *Lord have mercy; Christ have mercy; Lord have mercy upon us.* (2x) LAND OF REST

✦ DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS AND GLORIA PATRI GREATOREX

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be: world without end. Amen, amen.*

### TIME WITH CHILDREN

(Children are welcome in worship. Child care is available for children 5 and under in the nursery, accessible through the front of the sanctuary, at right. The Red Wagon and Take-Home Worship Bags are also available from the ushers.)

SPECIAL MUSIC - *Carol and Forlana* Gerald Finzi

## PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

FIRST SCRIPTURE - II Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19

SECOND SCRIPTURE - Mark 6:14-29

This is the word of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON -



## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

MUSICAL INTERLUDE - *Rhosymedre* Ralph Vaughan Williams

## OFFERINGS OF THE PEOPLE

(Gifts may be made in the offering plates upon exiting, by text 833.983.0233, by mail, or online at <https://www.annapolis-presbyterian.com/GIVE>.)

✦ DOXOLOGY Old Hundredth

*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.*

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 819, VS. 1, 3 - *Be Still, My Soul* FINLANDIA

*Be still, my soul: the Lord is on thy side. Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain. Leave to thy God to order and provide, who through all changes faithful will remain. Be still, my soul: thy best, thy heavenly Friend through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.*

*Be still, my soul: the hour is hastening on when we shall be forever with the Lord; when disappointment, grief, and fear are gone, sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored. Be still, my soul: when change and tears are past all safe and blessed we shall meet at last.*

✦ BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE - "Jig Fugue" Dietrich Buxtehude

Rev. Dr. Andrew Kort & Rev. Mihee Kim-Kort, Co-Pastors  
Robert Muckenfuss, Music Director & Organist / Miss Good, Family Ministry Director  
First Presbyterian Church of Annapolis / 171 Duke of Gloucester St. / Annapolis MD 21401  
Partner with the Caibarién congregation of the Presbyterian and Reformed Church of Cuba  
The National Naval Memorial of the PC(USA) / An Earth Care Congregation of the PC(USA)  
Partner with Evangelical Church of the Czech Brethren, Czech Republic  
Covenant Church with the Haiti Restoration Partnership

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

*Please alert us to committee/group meetings so that the calendar is up-to-date. Thanks!*

Date	Church	Community
<b>Sun 7/11</b>	8:00	Worship (courtyard)
	9:30	Worship (sanctuary)
	4:00	Summer Gathering (West home)
<b>Mon 7/12</b>	-	ACT (ZW Apt) 7:30 AA (FH)
	9:00	VBS Noon AA (FH)
	7:00	FPC ACT Core Team (KC1a) 8:00 AA (FH)
<b>Tues 7/13</b>	9:00	VBS
	11:00	Weekly Staff Meeting 7:30 AA (FH)
	Noon	Bulletin Deadline Noon AA (FH)
	5:00	Vaccine Clinic (sanctuary)
<b>Wed 7/14</b>	9:00	VBS 7:30 AA (FH)
	3:00	Bible Study Noon AA (FH)
<b>Thurs 7/15</b>	<b>NEWSLETTER DEADLINE</b>	
	9:00	VBS 7:30 AA (FH) Noon AA (FH) 8:30 AA (FH)
<b>Fri 7/16</b>	<b>OFFICE CLOSED - Fridays in Summer</b>	
	9:00	VBS 7:30 AA (FH)
	Noon	Interim Music Dir. Application Deadline Noon AA (FH)
	Midnight	Family Survey Submission Deadline 8:30 AA (FH)
<b>Sat 7/17</b>	11:00	Private Family Service - <i>John Burroughs</i> 12:30 AA (FH) (chapel) 8:30 AA (FH)
<b>Sun 7/18</b>	8:00	Worship (courtyard)
	9:30	Worship (sanctuary)



Micah 6:8

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**NEW WEBSITE** - We are planning to roll out the new church website by September 1. The focus of the website will be information for visitors as well as access to current information and events for members with access still to archival content. We are confident it will be a great outreach tool for our congregation! Thank you to Jenn and Mike McDermott for their tireless and continued work on the website, and to Doug Smith, Elder for Communications.

**FAMILY SURVEY** - Kindly complete the program planning survey **before July 16**. The survey link is available from the church homepage ([www.annapolis-presbyterian.com](http://www.annapolis-presbyterian.com)).

**BOB'S FAREWELL CELEBRATION** - The Congregation is invited to a Retirement Celebration for Dr. Robert Muckenfuss, Music Director & Organist, on Sunday, August 29, in Fellowship Hall, directly following the 10:00 am worship service (*one service only*).



- ❖ **Today, July 11** - Join us for afternoon/early evening fun and fellowship at the home of Christine West. RSVP: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f48a4a723a02-summer1>.
- ❖ **July 21** - An evening gathering with the Korts at the manse in the backyard. All ages welcome! RSVP: <https://forms.gle/VtaPHrXn9KKSvawp6>.
- ❖ **August 7** - Join the Hatchls for happy hour on the porch. Wine and beer provided; bring an appetizer. RSVP: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f48a4a723a02-summer2>.



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**Tuesday, 7/13/2021, 5pm-7pm**  
No appointment needed – Sin cita



**NO Photo ID or insurance required**  
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Pfizer (12 +) & Johnson & Johnson (18 +)

\*Parking is available in the Noah Hillman Garage. Validation tickets will be provided for anyone who receives their vaccine at this clinic.

Spread the word!

## UPDATE ON MUSIC DIRECTOR AND ORGANIST POSITIONS

July 1, 2021

Dear Friends,

We are writing with two very important announcements and updates regarding the Music Director and Organist positions at First Presbyterian Church.

### Search Committee

We are pleased to announce the formation of the Music Director/Organist search committee. They will begin their work shortly, and we ask that you keep them in prayer. The members of the search committee are:

- Stacy Skalski
- Bev Jackson
- Ted Foster
- Marilyn Winter
- Lizzie Storer
- Dick Shakeshaft
- Becky Hagee
- Dibby Gundry
- Anna Balcer

### Interim Music Director/Organist Search

We realize the likelihood of needing an interim Music Director and Organist for the time between Bob's retirement and the selection of the new candidate/s. Therefore, we are also searching for an interim to help us fill these rolls. The Staff (Personnel) Committee will be handling this process.

Anyone interested in learning more about the positions, or applying, should contact Elder Deborah Dixon via email at [deborahdixon1108@gmail.com](mailto:deborahdixon1108@gmail.com). **The deadline to apply is noon on Friday, July 16.** Please feel free to share this information with anyone you know who may be interested.

Sincerely,

Andy Kort

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