



The First Presbyterian Church Delhi, New York

May 26, 2024

10:30 a.m.

Memorial Day Sunday

"...in everyone it is the same God at work." 1 Corinthians 12:6b

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Prelude

Welcome and Church Life Notes

Introit – Bell Choir

"Where Waters Flow"

by Mallory

*Call to Worship (Psalm 29:1-4)

Leader: Ascribe to the Lord, you heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

People: Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; worship the Lord in the splendor of his holiness.

Leader: The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the Lord thunders over the mighty waters.

People: The voice of the Lord is powerful.

*Hymn

"Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty"

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Prayer of Confession

Lord Jesus, our friend and our guide, we thank you that you walk beside us. Teach us to do the same for others. When we love with your love, our lives are touched in so many marvelous ways. We confess, though, the times in which we hear false things or hear true things falsely. We confess that we did not love with your love. Restore us to the joy of your salvation. In Christ's Name, Amen.

(A moment for silent personal prayer of confession)

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous person, though for a good person someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. (Romans 5:6-8)

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

*Choral Response

"Gloria Patri"

#581

*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.*

*Sharing the Peace

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Anthem – Bell Choir

"Zip, Zing, Ring"

by Austin

Receiving Harry Pease into Membership

Presenting Harry on behalf of the Session – *Susie Little, Clerk of Session*

Renewal of Baptism – *Pastor Jamie Tyrrell*

Profession of Faith – *Harry Pease*

Prayer of Thanksgiving for Harry

Prayer for the Holy Spirit to Dwell Richly in Harry

Welcoming – *Clerk and Congregation*

Leader: Let us welcome Harry as he joins with us in the worship and mission of the church.

People: With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you to share with us in the ministry of Christ, for we are all one in him.

The Peace – *Pastor Jamie Tyrrell*

Prayer for Illumination

Because one of the works of the Holy Spirit is to open our eyes to the truth, we pray for that gift. Guide the words that are read and spoken. Open our hearts to the truth. Send us out into the world rejoicing. For you are our God, our Guide and our Home.

Hebrew Scriptures – Isaiah 6:1-6

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord, high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him were seraphim, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. And they were calling to one another: “Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.” At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke. “Woe to me!” I cried. “I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the Lord Almighty.” Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar.

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Hymn

“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”

#438

Message Reading – 1 Corinthians 12:1-7

Now about the gifts of the Spirit, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, somehow or other you were influenced and led astray to mute idols. Therefore I want you to know that no one who is speaking by the Spirit of God says, “Jesus be cursed,” and no one can say, “Jesus is Lord,” except by the Holy Spirit. There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit distributes them. There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. There are different kinds of working, but in all of them and in everyone it is the same God at work. Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good.

Leader: God’s Word for Today.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“I Want You to Be Informed”

Pastor Jamie Tyrrell

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Presentation of Gifts & Offerings

Call to the Offering

Offerings may be made online at <https://fpcdelhi.org/offering/> or by USPS mail service.

Offertory

***Choral Response**

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

#606

***Prayer of Dedication**

Take these gifts of our hearts and used them to touch the hearts, minds and strength of people in the world. May they hear your voice. In Christ's Name, Amen.

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

... "forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors"

***Closing Hymn**

"Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory"

#354

***Charge to the Congregation**

***Benediction**

Postlude

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Thought for the Day: *"I can do all this through him who gives me strength."*— *Philippians 4:13*

Leading us in worship this morning:

Pastor Jamie Tyrrell, Interim

Billy Meredith, Music Director

George Thompson, Liturgist

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Welcome to worship on Memorial Day Sunday — in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

(Prayer) When God said, “Whom shall I send?” Isaiah answered, “Here I am! Send me.” Lord, help us be just as eager to take part in your work. Amen.

Your **tithes and offerings** may be made online via PayPal, click the donate button at <https://fpcdelhi.org/offering>, or by regular USPS mail (4 Clinton Street, Delhi, NY 13753).

Our **mission focus for May** is our Pakistan mission. We are providing Pastor Mohsin Elder with monthly support, which enables him to travel and bring food and the word of Christ to people in Pakistan. If you would like to give specifically toward this outreach, write “Pakistan” on the memo line of your check or use the Mission Giving envelopes provided in the pews.

We are now streaming our services on our YouTube channel. A link to the YouTube livestream will be sent out with the bulletin each week by email.

Starting this Wednesday, May 29, there will be a **Men's Bible Study** meeting in the Library at 7:30am. Kevin Sullivan is providing the first breakfast, so come ready to eat.



A CALL has been issued by the Session for a Special Meeting of the Congregation, according to the terms of the church bylaws, to be held immediately following worship on Sunday, **June 2, 2024**. The purpose of the meeting will be to re-present the church bylaws for discussion and approval of proposed changes. No other business may come before the congregation at this time.

Today is a BOUNTIFUL GIVING SUNDAY. The Delhi Food Pantry accepts **non-perishable food items**. You can also donate via <https://fpcdelhi.org/content/offering> or give cash or check donations designated for the food bank. Please make checks out to First Presbyterian Church.

The **TRUSTEES** responsible for counting today are Harry Bell and Art Maxwell. The Trustees responsible for counting on June 2 are Kathy Beveridge and Kevin Lee.

Devotional booklets (Upper Room and Daily Bread) are available outside the office and in the new narthex. Please take one for your daily devotions!

THOUGHTS ON GIVING *“The Spirit itself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ...” - Romans 8:16-17.* If we are heirs to the kingdom of God, shouldn't we work to build up his kingdom? Shouldn't we be good stewards of our inheritance, using our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to care for the Church that God has left to us? Our Church is a treasured heirloom from God. Do we treat it that way?

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER: That we remember it was the generosity of past generations who built our Church. It is now our time to continue to be generous for future generations.

The **Per Capita** amount for 2024 has been set at \$45.90 per member.

<i>Virtual and Sanctuary Attendance Sunday 5-19-2024</i>	36 - 36 in sanctuary + no livestream offered
General amount needed each week	\$1,759.08*
General amount given week of 5-19-2024	\$643.00
General amount needed year-to-date	\$35,181.60
General amount given YTD as of 5-19-2024	\$37,118.25
Fuel Fund needed each week	\$336.54
Fuel Fund given week of 5-19-2024	\$0.00
Fuel Fund needed year-to-date	\$6,730.80
Fuel Fund given YTD as of 5-19-2024	\$1,113.00
Kirk Receipts 5-12-24 to 5-18-24	\$1,520.00
Mission giving week of 5-19-2024	\$0.00
Mission giving YTD as of 5-19-2024	\$686.00
Apportionment Needed 2024	\$6,930.90
Apportionment received YTD as of 5-19-2024	\$1,326.00

*General amount needed each week is total expenses minus budgeted savings transfers and fuel expenses.

SUNDAY May 26	<i>Bountiful Giving Sunday</i> 10:00 am Bell Choir Rehearsal 10:30 am Worship
MONDAY May 27	<i>Office Closed in observance of Memorial Day</i>
TUESDAY May 28	8:00 am – 12:00 pm Little Inspirations
WEDNESDAY May 29	8:00 am – 12:00 pm Little Inspirations 10:30 am Gentle Yoga (Chapel) 5:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal
THURSDAY May 30	8:00 am – 12:00 pm Little Inspirations 9:00 am Kirk Work Day
FRIDAY May 31	8:00 am – 12:00 pm Little Inspirations 9:00 am – 2:00 pm Kirk Thrift Shoppe Open 10:30 am Adult Ballet Class 4:30 pm Little Inspirations Graduation
SATURDAY June 1	9:00 am – 2:00 pm Kirk Thrift Shoppe Open 9:30 am Yoga
SUNDAY June 2	9:30 am Deacons Meeting 9:45 am Sunday School 9:45 am Choir Rehearsal 10:30 am Worship with Communion