

2020-10-04 Sunday Worship Bulletin

Service For The Lord's Day
4th Sunday in the Harvest Season
October 4, 2020 - 10:00 a.m. Worship Service



Neighborliness

The First Presbyterian Church of Chili

"Rooted in Faith, Growing Together, Caring for the Community"

In order to keep each other safe....

- Masks are to be worn at all times
- Adam and Brandi are 12 feet from anyone, which is why they are able to not have a mask on as per NYS guidelines.
- While singing is not allowed, you are able to lightly hum
- Use a quiet voice when saying liturgical responses
- At the end of the service, take your bulletin home or place it in the recycling bin
- No offering will be taken during the service, please place your donation in the offering plate
- Reminder that there is no fellowship time after Worship.

Greeters: Jan & Bill Hoyt

Communion: Jan Hoyt & Sue Johnson

Children's Church: Alice Zah & Gail McArthur

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Gathering Around the Word

*The parts of the service printed in **bold print** are the congregation's responses. *Those that are able, please stand.*

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude "Where He Leads Me" arr. by Cindy Berry
(Adam Scoville -piano)

Gathering

Leader: All around us are signs of plenty, signs of gathering in, signs of the harvest.

People: We come to gather the harvest of abundance, so that we may share with our neighbors near and far.

Leader: With people from around the world, we join as partners on a journey.

People: With thanksgiving, we proclaim that we are the church, strong and resilient in Christ.

Leader: With one voice, we proclaim God's inclusiveness.

People: With one voice we gather around the world as neighbors near and far to give thanks for the family of God.

Music "Give Me Ears to Listen" by Smith

Prayer of Confession

Leader: Merciful God, we confess that often we fail to recognize that in our humanity, we are, all of us, your children, regardless of status, race, country of origin, creed, or situation.

People: Forgive us and show us the path we need to follow.

Leader: We forget that your son was also human and showed us how to be the best of ourselves, in humility and love.

People: Forgive us and help us to live by Christ's example.

Leader: Remind us, O God, of why we are here in this place and at this time on earth and what purpose you have for us, for we have forgotten.

People: Forgive us and show us how to be good neighbors.

Leader: Merciful God, we ask for your grace, that we may each achieve the potential intended for us, as we try to follow the example of your son, Jesus Christ.

(silent prayer)

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Assurance of Pardon

Proclaiming the Word

Scripture Readings James 1:17-27

Leader: For the Word of God in scripture, for the Word of God among us,
for the Word of God with us,

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon “Lead With Your Ears” Rev. Brandi Wooten

Music “Keep Me in the Moment” by Camp

Responding to the Word

Prayers of the People

Who Is Our Neighbor? Peace and Global Witness Offering

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Communion Prayer

Words of Institution

Communion of the People

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Music “Though I May Speak” by Hopson

Benediction

Postlude