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First Presbyterian Church of Leesburg

Sunday, June 18, 2023 Father's Day 10:00 a.m.

THE LITURGY FOR GATHERING

WELCOME & OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY

Rev. RJ Leek

PRELUDE Carole Makus

Jesus, I Am Resting

CALL TO WORSHIP

*I Will Call Upon the Lord

*Shout to the North

I Love You, Lord

Sufficient Grace & Congregation
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PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Chris Payne, Lay Leader

O God, our source and judge and Destiny, today we will not hide our wrong doings from You, we confess that we have left vows unfinished, good purposes forgotten, opportunities left unfulfilled,

and duties unmet.

We have spoken impatiently or unkindly, and done ungenerous things, we have desired what we should not, and lived for things that will die, we have ignored You, who are our life and peace.

In Your mercy forgive us, show us compassion, and heal us. Set us anew on Your path and help us to hear Your voice.

In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS (Responsive)

Chris Payne, Lay Leader

God's light is present in this world.

Present in Christ, born to lead us out of darkness.

God's light is in the world, and the darkness did not overcome it. God's grace is in the world, and our missteps will not overcome it. We are loved, we are forgiven. Alleluia! Amen.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Becca Redding

ADVENTURE TIME Dick Krase

ANTHEM

Sing to the Lord Chancel Choir

*As marked, please stand where able.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

Offering

O Worship the King

*Doxology

Carole Makus, Piano

& Joyful Ringers

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.

*Prayer of Dedication Chris Payne, Lay Leader

PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE

Our 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.

THE SCRIPTURESChris Payne, Lay Leader

Psalm 116: 1-19; Exodus 19: 2-8

THE WORD PROCLAIMED Rev. RJ Leek

"Love Takes Discipline"

HYMN OF RESPONSEFor the Beauty of the Earth
Congregation

*BENEDICTION Rev. Leek

FOR FATHERS and

other good & faithful men in our lives.

we give you thanks!

RESPONSE TO THE BENEDICTION

*Freely, Freely

POSTLUDE

Count Your Blessings

Sufficient Grace &
Congregation
Carole Makus

Rev. Leek

HAPPENINGS AT FIRST PRES

2023 Worship Theme – Radically Love Thy Neighbor Upcoming Events

This Week at First Presbyterian

<u>Tuesday, June 20, 2023,</u> Session Meeting, Church Office, 7 p.m. <u>Wednesday, June 21, 2023,</u> TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Group, Fellowship Hall, 9 a.m.

Wednesday, June 21, 2023, Sufficient Grace Practice, Sanctuary, 9:45 a.m. Wednesday, June 21, 2023, Staff Meeting, Church Office, 11 a.m.

Musical Opportunities

Chancel Choir Practice, <u>Every Wednesday @ 3:45 p.m. & every Sunday @ 8:45 a.m.</u>, Choir Room.

Joyful Ringers Practice, Every Wednesday @ 5 p.m., Choir Room.

On Sunday morning worship, July 9, 2023, the hymns selected will be some of your "ol' time" favorites.

Save a life today! Learn how to use an AED. The church has this device available in the lobby. Instructions on its use will be held after worship service in the Sanctuary TODAY. Instructors will be Maureen Weller, ARNP and her daughter, Stacy Harrison, EMT. Training will be offered again on <u>Sunday</u>, <u>June 25</u>, <u>2023 at 11 a.m.</u> in the Sanctuary.

Chilly? Lap robes are available in the lobby. Please return it when done to the quilt rack in the lobby for the next person.

Gift bags are available in the lobby for visitors. They are located on the bookshelf.

Canned food donations to Joining Hands in Food Ministry can be placed on the rolling cart in the church lobby. Summer volunteers are requested to help distribute food to the needy on the 2^{nd} Friday of each month.

Tune into FPC Wifi Network as FPC Guest, Password: GodIsGreat



7th Annual American Heritage Concert

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Free – Invite a friend Fun, Family and Fellowship

Sunday, July 9 @ 4 pm