Words of Institution

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Unison Closing Prayer

Holy God, send us into Your world with the strength and love of Christ. Guide us to proclaim Your good news in word and work so that all may rejoice in You. Comfort us in our need and may we be a comfort to others. This we pray in the name of Christ the Lord. Amen.

*Hymn 618 "O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High"
DEO GRACIAS

Charge and Benediction

Postlude Prelude in D Minor J.S.Bach

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SUNDAY WORSHIP AT 10 A.M.
CHURCH SCHOOL FOLLOWING CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
NURSERY CARE AVAILABLE

Faithfully Friendly For All – Always Welcome & Include & Involve

Ascension Sunday

June 1, 2025

*Please stand as able

Please silence all cell phones

PREPARATION

Silent Meditation Psalm 93

The Lord is king; he is robed in majesty; the Lord is robed; he is girded with strength. He has established the world; it shall never be moved; your throne is established from of old; you are from everlasting. The floods have lifted up, O Lord, the floods have lifted up their voice; the floods lift up their roaring. More majestic than the thunders of mighty waters, more majestic than the waves of the sea, majestic on high is the Lord! Your decrees are very sure; holiness befits your house, O Lord, forevermore.

Prelude Vesper Voluntaries, Op. 14, # 2

Edgar Elgar

Greetings and Announcements

Ringing of the Bell

Introit "God and God Alone"

Joel Raney

*Call to Worship

Clap your hands, all you peoples; shout to God with loud songs of joy.

For the Lord, the Most High, is awesome, a great ruler over all the earth.

God chose our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom God loves.

Sing praises to God, sing praises!

Sing praises to our ruler, sing praises!

For God is the ruler of all the earth; let us worship God!

*Hymn 352 "My Lord! What a Morning"

CONFESSION AND PARDON

*Unison Prayer of Confession

God of all time and space, we confess our failure to use well our time and our space. We give our hearts to trivial matters. We struggle to separate truth from clutter. We neglect the needs of the neighbors you direct us to love. We exploit the world you have made and have failed to care for your creation. Forgive us. Reshape our priorities and guide our efforts that we may live our days to your glory. This we pray in the name of Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Hear the Good News! The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. Be at peace, beloved for it is in Christ that we all are forgiven. **Amen!**

*Response of Praise No. 581 "Gloria Patri"

Exchange of Christ's Peace

L: The peace of Christ be with you. P: And also with you.

HEARING THE WORD OF GOD

Children's Sermon and the Lord's Prayer

Congregation sings "Jesus Love me" (Children are excused for Sunday School)

Anthem "]

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

J. Rutter

Scripture Reading Acts 1:1-11

L: This is the Word of the Lord. P: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

"Glorious!"

Rev. Michael Hafele

*Hymn 363 "Rejoice, the Lord Is King!" DARWALL'S 148TH

Pastoral Prayer

DEDICATION AND RESPONSE

Thanking God through the Offering

*Doxology 606 "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"
OLD HUNDREDTH

Prayer of Dedication

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

June 1-8, 2025

TODAY	Ascension Sunday - Communion
	Rev. Michael Hafele
9:15 AM	Choir Rehearsal
10:00 AM	Worship followed by Coffee Hour
11:15 AM	Choir Rehearsal
THURSDAY	
10:00 AM	Men's Fellowship Group
<u>FRIDAY</u>	
7:00-9:00 PM	Paint Night!
SATURDAY	
9:00 AM	Hike Wertheim Wildlife Refuge with Janet!
SUNDAY	Day of Pentecost
	Rev. Michael Hafele
9:15 AM	Choir Rehearsal
10:00 AM	Worship followed by Coffee Hour
11:30 AM	Annual Church Picnic!

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After hours: If you are in need of pastoral care, you may contact Rev. Michael Hafele: 929-777-1497

-A.A. Meetings: Sat. 10am (parking area or choir room); Wed. & Sun. 6:30pm Parish Hall; Sun. 12pm classroom

-Bulletin announcements must be received to the office by Tuesday each week to be included in the Sunday bulletin.

<u>Tidings Articles are due by the 20th each month</u> to be included in the monthly newsletter. All are welcome to participate!

We welcome you as we would welcome Christ Himself!

ANNOUNCEMENTS for June 1, 2025

-Please sign the guest book so that the church can stay connected with you.

-LARGE PRINT bulletins and hymnals are available in the rear of the sanctuary for easy reading. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Prayer Concerns:

Recent: John Cesario, recovery; Karen Derryberry, breast cancer; Tom Cuffari, cancer (friend of Stu & Mimi Wood); Sarah Waite, healing prayers (niece of Mary & John Hull); Carolyn Manker Smith, breast cancer (Hanne & Bill Manker's daughter); Mariko Pichardo, healing prayers; Lenny Rempe, (longtime member of WPC); Susan Sullivan, friend of John and Mary Hull; Leslie Johnson, cancer (Stephanie Miller's mother); Pat Bebon; Libby Hirsch, cancer (Tom Rogers' cousin)

Long Term: Ralph Neubauer; Chelsey Carter Collins, Hamptons Center for Rehab; Kimberly Rogers Murawski; Ralph Downs, Florida; Dana Barrett, friend of Nancy Miller



Sound/Audio/Visual Operator

Richard Childs, Will McDaris, Bruce Qua, Leigh Wanamaker

Ushers

Gale & Pete Seidler

Flower Dedication

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the Glory of God.

DUE TODAY! Memorial Scholarship Applications

Applications are due today. Grab one from the office or during coffee hour today. Please contact Ellen Campbell at ecampbell18@optonline.net with questions.

Men's Fellowship Group: June 5th

Whether a member or friend, join us on the first Thursday of each month in the conference room at 10am. Discussion and open conversation on current events and other topics. Coffee and goodies are always served.

Paint Night! This Friday!

Join us on Friday, June 6th from 7-9pm in the Parish Hall for a "Beach" theme Paint Night! Cost is \$40 which covers the cost of materials and refreshments. There will also be a number of basket raffles! Look for the sign-up sheet in the Parish Hall. If you have any questions, you can speak to any member of the Fundraising Committee. About the Artist: At the age of 8 years old, Ginger Baer knew she was an artist. She attended Long Island University at C.W Post receiving a Bachelor of Fine Arts and a Master of Science in Education. She has been teaching art in public schools for over 30 years while working as an exhibiting artist. Creating art makes her whole and she has made it her life's mission to offer the gift of creating art to others.

Hike with Janet! Saturday, June 7th at 9am

Let us return to Wertheim National Wildlife Refuge to experience the refuge in a different season. In January we saw some wintering ducks and all the trees and plants were resting for the winter. Now hopefully we will see more birds that have returned to raise their young. Also, in late spring and early summer the plants begin to bloom. Look for more information on the refuge and the signup sheet this morning or contact Janet Hann, C# 631-871-7240. For carpooling, meet at the church **no** later than 8:10am, if you do not plan to carpool meet at the Refuge at 9am.

Presbyterian Women: June Meeting

Our next PW lunch will be on Wednesday June 11th at 12 noon. Join us for a Strawberry Shortcake meeting. A big thank you to Marge Beckwith and Cheryl Van Tuyle for keeping this an annual June tradition.

Children's Activity Bags available during worship!

Parents: please take a moment to grab an activity bag for your child. There are multi-colored tote bags in the rear of the sanctuary that your child can explore during worship, designed just for them by our wonderful librarian and Christian Ed department. Please return them to the same space after worship. Thank you.

Church Picnic: Sunday, June 8th!

The Annual Church Picnic will be taking place immediately following worship on Sunday, June 8th. Join us on the back field to enjoy an afternoon of fun and fellowship. Hamburgers and hot dogs, beverages and children's activities will be provided. Be sure to add your name to the sign-up sheet located in the Parish Hall and let us know if you would like to bring a side dish or dessert. Volunteers for set-up (especially those with a truck!), grilling and clean-up are needed and most appreciated. Contact Elder Ellen Campbell (631-255-9307) if you would like to help in any way.

Sunday Audio Volunteer needed

Dear Friends, as many of you know, we livestream our Sunday services to reach those in our church community who are unable to attend in person. Each week, a small team of dedicated volunteers manages the video and audio equipment and ensures the stream goes live on our YouTube channel. Because the team is quite small and not always available, we are looking for a committed volunteer to join and support this important ministry on a more regular basis. If you are interested—or know someone who might be—please reach out to Bruce Qua, who leads the team. Thank you for your continued support! Blessings, Maik Jornitz Elder, Communication & Tech

Food Pantry

Our community food pantry desperately needs assistance. Please help by donating nonperishable food items, personal care items (such as shampoo, soap, diapers, toothpaste, etc.) and household cleaning supplies. All donations should be unexpired and unused. Please leave your donations in the basket located in the church entryway or in the church office. Thank you for supporting our community.