

Frenchtown Presbyterian Church

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Summer Worship Services

8:00 A.M. with Communion & 9:30 A.M.

<u>Building and Grounds</u>	<u>Session (Elders)</u>	<u>Mission and Outreach</u>	
Eugene Hill <u>Christian Education</u> Michelle Hendrix Lynn Freeman	908-996-3037 908-995-4967 267-784-2152	Barbara Huey <u>Stewardship</u> Diane Reed Gayla Gerhardt	908-268-3063 610-294-6673 908-310-0702

<u>Community Life</u>	<u>Clerk of Session</u>
Leslie Callanan	908-310-9412

Board of Deacons

<u>Benevolence</u>	<u>Shut-ins and Long-Term illness</u>
Ron Hartpence 908-246-7189	Deborah Hill 908-507-8803 Deborah Fiebig 908-996-6436

<u>Short-Term illness</u>	<u>Bereavement</u>
Ron Hartpence 908-246-7189 Dave Griffith 908-693-0405 Jen Griffith 908-625-2943	Debbie Godown 908-859-4038 Jennifer Cwynar 908-334-1826

<u>Hospitality</u>	<u>Youth Connection</u>
Joyce Hartpence 908-246-0058	Madelyn Freeman

	<u>Events</u>
Debbie Godown 908-859-4038	Dave Griffith 908-693-0405

Church Staff

<u>Pastor on Call</u>	<u>Youth Pastor</u>
Peter Mantell 732-266-4654 fristpedro29@hotmail.com	Robert Ross 609-571-8012 rob@frenchtownpres.org

<u>Church Secretary</u>	<u>Financial Secretary</u>
Lea Raymond 908-996-2227 2227 office@frenchtownpres.org	Christine Aherne 908-996-

<u>Treasurer</u>	<u>Choir Director/Organist</u>
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Helen Lewis 610-294-9623	



FRENCHTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 12, 2018

Welcome to all who worship with us this morning!

8:00 A.M. Worship

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements
Call to Worship (see 9:30 am Service)
All: Let us worship God!
Opening Prayer
*Hymn #721 "Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore"
Passing of the Peace
A Reading of Our Faith (see 9:30am service)
Scripture Reading 1 Kings 19:4-8, John 6:35, 41-51
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God!
Sermon: "The Bread Of Life"
Offering
Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer
The Lord's Supper
Prayer of Thanksgiving
Charge and Blessing

9:30 A.M. Worship

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
The Lord be with you.....and also with you!

God Gathers Us in Love

Call to Worship (Based on Psalm 51)
Leader: My soul make its boast in the Lord
People: Let us exalt His name together!
Leader: I sought the Lord
People: And He answered and delivered me from all my fears.

Leader: Look to Him and be radiant!

People: Our faces shall never know shame!

Leader: This poor soul cried out and was heard by the Lord

People: We have been saved from every trouble

Leader: O taste and see that the Lord is good! Come let us worship the Lord!

People: Let us worship the Lord!!

*Hymn #721 "Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore"

Unison Prayer of Confession (Based on Psalm 51)

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord.

Lord, hear my voice! If you, O Lord, if you should count my wrongdoings, what would be left of me? Upon what could I stand? I know that there is forgiveness with you, Lord, please shine that upon me. I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, like those who watch for the morning.

Assurance of Pardon

Know this: God is just, but God is merciful. Christ, who is the Bread of Life, died for our sins, and it is upon Him that we stand. Christ has redeemed us from all our iniquities, spared us from the judgment of our wrong doings, and know that through Christ, you are forgiven

Children's Message (children may leave for Slime)

Passing the Peace Hymn #591 "Halle, Halle!"

The peace of Christ be with you! **And also with you!**

Halle, Halle, Halle—lujah! Halle, Halle, Halle—lujah!

Halle, Halle, Halle—lujah! Hallelujah, hallelujah!

God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Reading of our Faith – from Psalm 130:1-8

130:1 Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD.

130:2 Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!

130:3 If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?

130:4 But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

130:5 I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in his word I hope;

130:6 my soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning, more than those who watch for the morning.

130:7 O Israel, hope in the LORD! For with the LORD there is steadfast love, and with him is great power to redeem.

130:8 It is he who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities.

Scripture Reading

1 Kings 19:4-8

Scripture Reading

John 6:35, 41-51

Sermon

"The Bread Of Life"

*Hymn #522 vs. 1,2,5

"I Am the Bread of Life"

God Calls Us to Respond

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Gifts of the People

Offertory

Doxology* "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Prayer of Dedication

God Sends Us Out to Reflect His Love

*Hymn #542 vs. 1,2,4 "God Be with You Till We Meet Again"

Charge and Blessing

Postlude

**please stand if able*

*Child Care is available during the 10:00 am service for infants and young children. The nursery is located in room #5 down the back stairs and to the right.

If you are visiting, please sign the guest book at the back of the church. If you are a first time visitor, we have a small welcome gift for you. Please let an usher or the Pastor know you are here.

Pantry Sunday

Next week is Food Pantry Sunday. Please bring something in for the pantry. Some items needed are canned veggies (except green beans), Mayo, toothpaste and fruit juice, but anything you can give is appreciated and welcomed. Thank you!

Soles4Souls

Total count in the donation box in Fellowship Hall is now at 3385 pairs of shoes. Thanks to all that have donated.

Book Club

The book club will be meeting, **tomorrow**, August 13th, 7pm at Jimmy's Ice Cream. We will be discussing two books "Magic Hour" and "Night Road" both by Kristin Hannah. Please contact Kristyn Eckert at 732-534-9155 if you have any questions. **All are welcome!!**

MISSION STATEMENT

We are a body of believers in Jesus Christ the Lord that strives to be a living reflection of God's love. We come together to confirm our individual faith while spreading the message of hope and love by serving those in need through mission and outreach.

NEWS AND EVENTS

EVENTS DURING THE WEEK – August 13-19

Monday

Book Club 7pm at Jimmy's Ice Cream

Tuesday

AA Meeting 6:30am

Mommy and Me Music Program, 10:45am

Senior Lunch and Learn, 11:30am

Wednesday

AA Meeting 7:30pm

Women's AA Meeting, 9:30 am in Memorial Parlor

Thursday

AA Meeting 6:30am

Friday

Alanon meeting, 12pm

Saturday

Saturday Women's AA Group Meeting 8:30am

AA Meeting 7pm

Next Sunday

Congregational Meeting, 9:15am

DEACON OF THE MONTH - Please contact the Deacon of the month **David Griffith 908-693-0405**, if you or someone you know is in the hospital or needs other assistance from the Deacons.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please continue to pray for those on the prayer request list. If you would like to receive the prayer list by email or if you have any prayer requests please contact Ken Gerhardt 908-310-1884 or email him at kennyg12@ptd.net



Congregational meeting

There will be a brief Congregational meeting **TODAY** between services at 9:15am in the sanctuary. The stated purpose of the meeting is to introduce and vote in those nominated for Deacons and Elders.

The Frenchtown Administrative Commission listening Sessions

Sign up for your opportunity to speak with the members of the Administrative Commission that is working with the Session to find a way forward to renew the peace and unity of the church. They will be here to meet with people individually or in pairs to learn about the events and issues leading to the dissolution of the pastoral relationship, and to help find a way forward. Schedule your time by signing up on the schedule of listening sessions dates by contacting the church office at 908-996-2227 or email the church office at office@frenchtownpres.org.

Please look for a mailing to be sent out with more information on these Listening Sessions and the dates. There is also a printed copy of the letter that will be going out at the back of the Sanctuary.

Slimed

Next Sunday, August 19th, will be the last week of "Slimed."

Please mark on your calendars that **"Rally Day" will be held on Sunday, September 9th**. Thank you for your support and understanding this summer. It's been a pleasure to be able to teach your children about the word of God.

Sunday School Teachers: 2018-2019 School Year

"This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine..." Our Kids Communities is in need of teachers willing to guide our children in letting their light shine! No teaching experience or strong Bible knowledge is needed; simply a will to provide your time to our young church members. All materials are provided in advance of your teaching Sunday, and you may shadow a teacher if you would like. Kids Communities children are excited to participate in activities and stories and are easy to work with. If you are interested in teaching the word of the Lord, please contact Superintendent Kristyn Eckert by either phone 973-534-9155 or email

kidscommunities@frenchtownpres.org

Music Ministry

Summer Music Volunteers Needed!

If you have any musical talent we would love for you to share it with us during our 8 am or 9:30 am summer worship services. We are open to soloists, duets, instrumentalists, or ensembles. Please let our Director of Music, Josh Wilson, know if you are willing to participate. You can reach him via is cell phone through text or phone calls at (610) 393-8670. You may also contact him through his email at pianomanjosh117@gmail.com.

Pictures for the Church Directory

We have been trying to update the pictures for the church directory. If you have an updated picture you would like to have put in, please email the picture to the church office at office@frenchtownpres.org. If you have any questions, please call the church office at 908-996-2227. Thank you!