



### Happening This Week

-Sunday, May 3: Potluck Lunch, 11am

-Wednesday, May 6: Back Row Boys, 9am @ The Iron Kettle

-Wednesday, May 6: Bible Study, 10am

-Thurs/Fri May 7-8: Vestibule floor replacement, back door unavailable for use!

### In Your Prayers

-Kevin Glover as he recovers from surgery, Barb Sleeper and Family, Rhea Pagliaccio and Family, Marcia Siebert, Mary Bullerdiek & Family, Those who are hungry and without food, Peace in our community, our country and our world.

### This and That & Upcoming Events

-Pastor Jesse would like to update the congregation with his phone number. Please use (608) 851-0738 when communicating with him. Thank you!

-Community Engagement is collecting canned vegetables for the month of May for FISH!

-Are you interested in joining FPCEA? Please see Pastor Jesse!

-We are looking for volunteers to assist in the occasional cleaning of the church. Please let us know if you'd like to be added to the list!

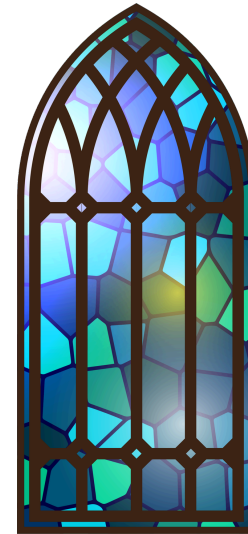
The flowers in the sanctuary are given with thanks to God!

Are you new to FPCEA? We are so glad you're here! Please fill out a welcome sheet found in the pew so you can receive communications from the church!

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## May 3, 2026



Rev. Jesse Larson, Pastor  
Bradley Meholick, Music Director

Mike Boldt, Liturgist  
Betty Pitcher, Organist

A warm welcome to all visitors! Please join us for a potluck lunch after the service!



# Order of Worship

## Welcome & Announcements

Prelude: “Blessed Ye Who Live in Faith”, “Deck Thyself, My Soul, with Gladness” - Johannes Brahms

## Call to Worship

Hymn: “All Creatures of Our God and King”  
-Hymnal, n. 455 (vs. 1, 4, 5, & 6)

## Prayer of the Day

Passing the Peace:  
The peace of Christ be with you – **and also with you.**

Song of Praise: “My Lighthouse”

Sharing our Praises and Concerns:  
Lord, in your mercy – **hear our prayer**  
Lord, with thanksgiving – **hear our prayer**

## Children’s Sermon

*Children may leave for Sunday School*

New Testament Reading: – John 14:1-14 (page 108)

## Sermon

Hymn: “The Lone, Wild Bird” - Hymnal, n. 320

Offering: “Air” - G. F. Handel

Doxology: Hymnal, n. 592  
*Praise God from who all blessings flow;  
Praise him all ye creatures here below;  
Praise him above ye heavenly hosts;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

## Prayer of Thanksgiving

Communion:  
The Lord be with you – **and also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts – **we lift them up to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God – **it is right to offer our thanks and praise.**

*Communion is served by intinction (take a piece of bread and dip it into the cup). While partaking in communion, please join in singing “Let Us Break Bread Together” – Hymn n. 513*

Hymn: “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”  
-Hymnal, n. 356

## Benediction

Postlude: “Allegro” - G. F. Handel

*Large print hymnals are available upon request!*