

Preservice Music  
Greeting & Announcements

Preparation Music

Call to Worship

Leader: People of God, what are we here to do?

**People: To love the Lord our God  
with heart and soul, strength and might.**

Leader: What are we here to do?

**People: To love our neighbors as ourselves.**

Opening Prayer

Let us pray:

**Lord of justice and mercy, we come to you this day seeking your healing and reconciling love. Help us to be open to your word, your presence, your compassion. Clear our hearts of those things which block your will. Keep us focused on your enabling power so that we, having been healed, may more fully serve you. In Jesus' Name, we pray. AMEN.**

Gathering Songs:

Trisagion

by Frenando Ortega

Jesus, I Come (Out of My Bondage)

by William Sleeper and Greg Thompson

Prayer of Confession

**Gracious God, Jesus tells us that our lives are enriched by loving you and loving our neighbors. We confess that love is hard for us. We are too selfish or too pessimistic, too hollow or too hardened, or just too tired to give ourselves to love's demands. Forgive our arrogance and our listlessness. Cleanse our hearts that we might find the strength to do what love requires and the grace to receive what love has to give. We pray in the name of Jesus, whose love has no boundary. Amen.**

Silent Personal Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Sung Response: Gloria Patri

# 813

A Time for Children

Words of Gratitude

Doxology

# 815

1st Scripture Reading: Amos 7:7-17

p. 910

2nd Scripture Reading: Luke 10: 25-37

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Sermon Theme: Who is My Neighbor?

Pastor Marie Branigan

Hymn of Response: Blest Be the Tie That Binds

# 426

Prayers of the People

Sung Response: Cares Chorus

# 627

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

Sharing the Feast

Prayer after Communion

**Thank you, O God, for giving us communion with our risen and glorious Lord. Now send us out to be a sign of the new life that has come into the world; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Sending Hymn: God be with you till we meet again

# 232

Benediction

Post Service Music

### Announcements

**ART CAMP!** For Grades K-5 at Kirkpatrick Memorial Presbyterian Church on August 8th, 9th & 10th from 6-8 PM. Drinks will be provided. Registration forms are on the table. Completed registrations should be emailed to [admin@kirkpatrickchurch.org](mailto:admin@kirkpatrickchurch.org) or left in the office. Invite your friends. We hope to see you there!

**From the Discernment Team:** Sunday July 31st following church is Churchwide Retreat that involves all of us. It is important that everyone is present either in person or on Zoom to help in the final steps of this process as we seek God's direction for Kirkpatrick. Many have been part of this process in the last couple of months but this is the most crucial event when we pull together our discussions. Join us for Breakfast at 9am. Set aside July 31st on your calendar today!

**Food Ministry Needs:** Thank you for the canned veggies and cereal that has been donated. We still need almost everything else, especially peanut butter, pancake mix, syrup, pasta, pasta sauce and mac and cheese. I have contacted local organizations that have been helping us in the past and informed them that our supply of food is low. I have gotten positive responses from most of them. Hopefully more donations will be coming soon.

**Project Backpack** We are collecting school supplies for our young friends at Friendship Center for New Beginnings. Our goal is to provide as many fully stocked backpacks as possible. You may donate items from the list or donate a completely filled backpack. Please place donations in the bin outside the connector entry. Deadline is August 17. They have requested: Backpacks, 1 subject notebooks, pocket folders, #2 pencils, pencil box, pencil sharpener, erasers, washable color markers, crayons, glue sticks, box of tissues, scissors, composition notebooks, rulers, and lunch totes.

**Join us for coffee after worship.** For those who would love to host any Sunday, sign-up sheet is on the front table in church. Paul Mitzen will make the coffee. Paper products can be found in the church kitchen. If you have any questions, you may call Bev Kaminski on 609-737-1824. Thank you to all the volunteers

**Covid Protocol** Masks are optional for all events held at the church. Session will continue to review Covid protocols in order to remain current with ever changing events.

Our next Grocery Giveaway is Saturday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> from 11am-12noon in our parking lot and at Lambertville School parking lot, 200 N Main St, Lambertville, NJ 08530.

Admin Schedule: Chris is in the office Mon. and Wed. mornings (9-1) and working remotely on Tues., Thurs. and Fridays.

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Please let Chris know if you would like **2023 Offering Envelopes**. You can leave the completed form on the sign-in table. Check your choice. Thank you.

YES I will use envelopes in 2023

NO envelopes, you can release my env. number

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Name

For pastoral emergencies, please call the office or email [PastorMarie@kirkpatrickchurch.org](mailto:PastorMarie@kirkpatrickchurch.org).