

***Responsive Scripture Reading**

Psalm 34 (page 871)

Sermon **FACING FEAR** Pastor Steve Davis
Ministry Highlight Ted Johnson
***Closing Hymn #260 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"**
Benediction
Postlude

11:00 a.m. Family Worship

Ministry of Music: **SoulForce**
Ushers: Bruce Bechtloff, Cherie Matthews
Austin Binder, Sharon Binder

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

FIRST TIME? - WELCOME. During the first part of worship, please take a moment to complete a **Response Card** found in the pew racks and place it in the offering plate. Also we invite you to pick up a **Visitor's Packet at the exit.** If you have a question about inclement weather, please call the church office.

The flowers this morning are given by Janice Blanton Plangere in loving honor of her parents, Bill & Greta Blanton on their 67th wedding anniversary; also in loving honor of Evan Schuett on his 5th birthday.

50-Year Members - This morning at the 9:30 a.m. worship service, we are honoring Peg Bates and her son Tim Bates as they celebrate 50 years of membership at the church. A reception will be held in their honor in Fellowship Hall after the worship service. Please come and congratulate them.



SAVE THE DATE: National Day of Prayer, Thursday, May 6 - The sanctuary will be open for prayer from 12 noon - 3 p.m. More details to follow

Money Counters Needed - We are in need of several individuals to serve as money counters. The group meets at 7:00 a.m. on Monday mornings for approximately 1 hour to count the offerings received on Sunday. Please contact Dan Bittner (732-223-6334) or Jack Eisnaugle for more information.



Last Week's Giving

Received for Operations Budget: \$9,115.26
Needed to Support the Operations Budget: \$11,330
By Faith We Build \$2,972
Pledges to be paid for BFWB \$476,346

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER CONCERNS

(Please submit prayer requests weekly)

Mary Belding Myra Hacker
Caroline & Harry Burke Matthew Pilla
Nick Condon Ted Sislian
A1C Colin Forbes, USAF



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Today We Welcome New Members

Scott & Stephanie Frith are proud parents of 2yr old Ava. Scott is the son of Russ and Margaret Frith whose uncle was Joe Brady. Fran Brady is proud to be their Sponsor. Scott has a business with Lawn Doctor and Stephanie has her own business Coastal Baby Rentals, in Brielle. They are uniting with us by Profession of Faith.

Stephen Holloway, son of John and Diane Holloway, lives in Manasquan and is engaged to his sponsor, Jacylene Linneweber. They are both busy planning their winter wedding. Steve is manager of The Inlet Outlet Surf Shop on Main Street, Manasquan. He is uniting with us by Profession of Faith.

Joyce Tipaldi moved to Manasquan in 2001 with husband Richard and their daughter Paige who will soon be 12. Joyce Tipaldi will join our church by Profession of Faith and her sponsor is Gay Wittenberg.

Linda (Lin) Tomasulo lives with her 3 children, Nicholas 19, Haley 16 and Sara 12. She loves attending the 11 o'clock service and always feels inspired when leaving to be a better Christian. Her sponsor is Judy Weaver. Lin is uniting with us by Reaffirmation of Faith.



P.W. Mother's Day Cards- The Presbyterian Women, in conjunction with PCUSA will be selling Mother's Day cards. Proceeds from this **Healthy Women Healthy Families Mother's Day Project** will help support malaria prevention, health screenings and immunizations for children and obstetrical care and cancer screening for women. Cards can be purchased at a cost of \$10 but donations of any amount are welcome. Cards will be on sale between services today, April 25th and May 2nd.

Seventh Annual Men's Ministry Golf Outing

Date: Friday, May 7, 2010
Location: Gambler Ridge Golf Club,
Cream Ridge, NJ (609-758-3588)
Time: 7:45 a.m. Shotgun start -
Scramble Scoring Format
Cost: \$95.00 per person (Golf & Luncheon)
\$25.00 (Luncheon only)



For more information, contact George Clark (732-892-6410) or John Weaver (732-449-4519).



PW to Highlight the Sale of Jewelry and Vintage Items:

The PW Spring/Summer Clothing and Household Sale (May 13 - 15) is also highlighting the sale of jewelry and vintage items. To do so, we are seeking your donations. Receipts for tax purposes may be obtained for items of value. Jewelry and vintage items may be brought to the church office at any time. Please wait to begin bringing in clothing (beginning May 4th) and household items (beginning May 11th.) Thank you.

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Mission Possible coming in May 2010! The **Mission Commission** is excited to present "Mission Possible." It is a month of presentations highlighting our church's missions and missionaries. For more information visit our website at www.fpcom.org.

Men's Ministry - All men of the church are invited to attend a meeting on Thursday, April 22 at 7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. This will be a planning session for the summer and fall activities along with guest speakers.

P.W. Spring Gathering - P.W. of Monmouth is inviting all women to a "Spring Gathering" on Saturday, April 24th from 9 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. here at our church. The cost is \$5.00 (can be paid at the door). Lunch is included. Pastor David Cotton will be giving an overview of our Bible Study for next year. Please register on the Response Card in the pew or call Shirley Schmidt at 732-556-0809.

The Nurture Commission is hosting a self guided walking tour of Historic Old Town Philadelphia Saturday, May 1st 2010. The cost of the bus trip is \$20.00 per person. Lunch is Dutch Treat. Please contact Nancy Burkitt at 732 528 9365 with questions and to make your reservation (limited to first 56 people). If you are interested in going on the self guided walking tour of Philadelphia, please make your reservation with your payment by April 20th.



Fearless Class - What if you could find a way to live life without the fears that hold you back and even take you prisoner, preventing you from experiencing the joys of life and the true joy of the Lord? Come join David Cotton's 9:30 Sunday class as we explore a humorous, yet serious look at fear through a study of Christian author Max Lucado's best-selling book Fearless. Each class begins with a video segment, followed by group discussion of the principles presented for that day. The hardcover book is available at CBD.com for under \$15.00. Hope to see you at 9:30 in the youth room downstairs, beginning Sunday, April 25!

Great Strides Walk The Jr. and Sr. High students will be participating the Great Strides Walk 2010 in Bradley Beach at the Pavilion on 5th and Ocean Avenue, May 2 at 11:30 AM. We are walking in honor of Billy Wall of our church family who suffers from Cystic Fibrosis. If you would like to join us or make a donation please contact Sue Swiggart @732-292-2830 or sswiggart@optonline.net.

Mother's Day Flower Sale is sponsored by the Sr. High students to support youth activities and the Sr. High 2010 mission trip

Gerbera Daisy	\$8.00	Kalanchoe	\$12.00
Sun Blaze rose	\$20.00	Reiger Begonia	\$15.00

Please make your check payable to First Presbyterian Church of Manasquan. Checks should accompany your order. Orders are due by April 30. Plants can be picked up on Saturday, May 8 from 10 a.m. 12 noon or Sunday morning May 9 between services. Any questions, please contact Cindy Tufts at 732-449-4675.

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

One: It is God who draws us here.
All: A yearning to praise
 One: That which is bigger than us.
All: A desire to give thanks
 One: For the bountiful gifts of life.
All: It is God who draws us here
 One: For comfort in a bruising world,
All: To challenge our half-hearted efforts.
 One: It is God who draws us here
All: To sing and pray, to experience the risen Christ.

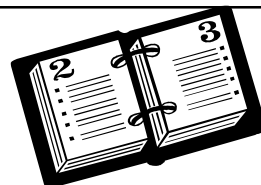
UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, we hear your words, trust your promises and still shy away from acting with boldness, witnessing with confidence, speaking with kindness. We keep our faith hidden, our prayers personal and our voices quiet. Empowering God, fill us with joy in believing and with confidence in living so we may bear your light when we are troubled or haunted by fear. Let nothing keep us from walking as faithful followers. Amen.

FACING FEAR

Psalm 34

- _____ your fear _____
 Trouble means _____
- _____ your fears to God.
- Give God control of _____.



Week at a Glance April 18, 2010 - April 25, 2010

<p>Sunday April 18 8, 9:30 & 11 Worship 8:00 a.m. Adult Class 9:30 a.m. Godzone 9:30 a.m. Family Matters 9:30 a.m. Adult Class 11:00 a.m. Adult Class 11:00 a.m. Alpha 12:00 noon Confirmand Meeting 2:00 p.m. Sr. High Return from trip 11:15 a.m. Radhouse</p> <p>Monday April 19 9:00 a.m. P.W. Board Meeting 5:00 p.m. Administration Commission 7:00 p.m. Access Sr. High/Passage Soul Force Band 7:00 p.m. Allegro Rehearsal</p> <p>Tuesday April 20 10:00 a.m. Sea Lavenders 7:00 p.m. Mosaic Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Session</p> <p>Wednesday April 21 10:00 a.m. Intercessory Prayer Group 4:30 p.m. Cherub Choir 7:00 p.m. ANA 7:00 p.m. Discovery Bible Study</p>	<p>Wednesday April 21 (cont.) 7:00 p.m. Men's Choir 7:30 p.m. Child Wellness Center 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir</p> <p>Thursday April 22 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Group 10:00 a.m. Celebration Ringers 1:00 p.m. P.W. Bible Leaders 7:00 p.m. Men's Ministry Meeting 7:00 p.m. Jubilee Bells 7:00 p.m. Genesis Bible Study</p> <p>Saturday April 24 9:00 a.m. P.W. Spring Gathering</p> <p>Sunday April 25 8, 9:30 & 11 Worship 8:00 a.m. Adult Class 9:30 a.m. Godzone 9:30 a.m. Family Matters 9:30 a.m. Fearless Class 11:00 a.m. Adult Class 11:00 a.m. Alpha 11:15 a.m. Radhouse</p>
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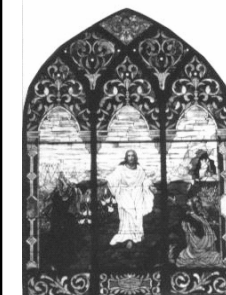
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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF MANASQUAN



April 18, 2010

Scripture: Psalm 34

Message: Facing Fear

"Where Christ's Love Meets Your Life"

8:00 a.m. Day Break Communion

Ministry of Music: For Heaven's Sake

"Look to Jesus" (*Getty*)
 "You Are God" (*Paris*)

Liturgist: Ruth Harms

Ushers: Gordon Fischer, Darryl Chambers, Karen & Rick Schwarz

9:30 Faith Celebration

Prelude

Words of Welcome

*Responsive Call to Worship (see inside page)

*Opening Hymn #473 "For the Beauty of the Earth"

*Unison Prayer of Confession (see inside page)

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri

Passing of the Peace

Ministry of Music "Day by Day" (*How*) Chancel Choir

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Recognition of New Members Scott & Stephanie Frith,
 Stephen Holloway, Joyce Tipaldi, Lin Tomasulo

*Hymn of Response #438 "Blest Be the Tie Than Binds"

Life of the Church Sean Kennedy

Moment of Thanksgiving Dan Bittner

Giving of Tithes & Offerings Rich & Ada Chapman, Tom Jappe,
 Jack & Linda Eisnaugle

Offertory

*Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

Celebration of Fifty-Year Members Peggy Bates, Tim Bates

*Hymn #263 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"