

**\*Closing Hymn**

**"We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer"**

Benediction

Postlude

**11:00 a.m. Family Worship**

Ministry of Music: **SoulForce**

Ushers: Bruce & Lori Bechtloff, Lynn Garrett, Carol Seuffert

**WELCOME TO WORSHIP**

**TO THE HEARING IMPAIRED** - Prior to being seated, please ask an usher for a hearing device.

**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 Barbara Waldeyer and family in loving memory of their parents and grandparents Marion & Bob Manchee and Margaret & Herb Waldeyer.

Congratulations to Helen Griffith on the celebration of her "96th" birthday on April 27th.

Flowers are also given from the Presbyterian Women in honor of their Spring Gathering.

**The offerings received** for One Great Hour of Sharing totaled \$3,213.40. Thank you from the Mission Commission for your generosity in contributing to OGHS's worthy causes. Jesus said "Feed my sheep."

**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 Eisnagle for more information.



**Last Week's Giving**

Received for Operations Budget: \$9,802.24  
Needed to Support the Operations Budget: \$11,330  
By Faith We Build \$2,797  
Pledges to be paid for BFWB \$473,812

**THIS WEEK'S PRAYER CONCERNS**

(Please submit prayer requests weekly)

Mary Belding  
Skip & Cissy Bisset  
Caroline & Harry Burke  
Mac & Janice Chandler  
Nick Condon  
AIC Colin Forbes, USAF

Rusty Martensen  
Beth Malleo  
Matthew Pilla  
Gladys Scudato  
Lt. Amy Zaycek USN



**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**The Christian Café** is still in need of volunteers. We can also use donations of napkins, small paper plates, plastic cups and dollar store table cloths. Thank you to all who contribute. Donations fund youth activities and mission trips. Please call Sue Swiggart at 732-292-2830.



**National Day of Prayer - Thursday, May 6 at 12 noon** - Our church sanctuary will be available for prayer and meditation from noon until 3pm. At noon, there is planned a brief half-hour gathering for corporate prayer, interceding for the needs of our country, community, military. Take the time to come at noon for this service of hymns, prayers and meditation, or come anytime during the 3 hour period and pray privately for our nation on this special day. Setting aside time for prayer to our lord is pleasing to Him, and He answers prayers. *The Evangelism Commission*

**Congregational Meeting** - A special congregational meeting will be held on **Sunday, May 16 beginning at 9 a.m.** in the Sanctuary, for the purpose of electing Elders and Deacons. Members of our church are encouraged to attend.



**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, 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).



**Clothing and Household Sale to be held May 13 - 15** - The P.W. Spring Clothing and Household Sale and Bake Sale is scheduled for May 13 & 14, with lunch available. The Bag Sale is May 15. A Church Family Preview will be held May 12, from 4 - 5:30 p.m. In addition to adult and children clothing, we will be accepting jewelry, vintage, kitchen cookware & small WORKING appliances, china, glassware, linens & domestics, books, hand tools, and small furniture. **No cribs, car seats, toys, games and electronics at this sale.** We will begin collecting: clothes on May 4<sup>th</sup>; household items on May 11<sup>th</sup>.

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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.fpc.com.org](http://www.fpc.com.org).

**The Nurture Commission** invites you, your family & friends to join them at 'Faith Night' at the Blue Claws game @ 7pm on Tuesday, August 17, 2010. We have reserved a private picnic area where food (hamburgers, hotdogs, side salad, chips, soda, & dessert) will be served 1/2 hour prior to the start of the game and continues for an hour into the game. Prices are: adults 19.95, children 11.95(ages 5-12). Please contact Anne Heinrichs for more information or to reserve your tickets. [annehein@optonline.net](mailto:annehein@optonline.net) or 732-528-6143.

**The Nurture Commission** is hosting a self guided walking tour of Historic Old Town Philadelphia Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup> 2010. The cost of the bus trip is \$20.00 per person. Lunch is Dutch Treat. There are only 4 seats left. Please arrive to Virginia Avenue by 8:15 a.m. for departure at 8:30 a.m. We will return to the church at approximately 6 p.m. Please contact Nancy Burkitt at 732-528 9365 with questions and to make your reservation.



**Fearless Class Begins Today!** - 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](http://CBD.com) for under \$15.00. Hope to see you at 9:30 in the youth room downstairs today!

**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](mailto: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: We come into the presence of the holy God,  
**All: Who may not be grasped,**  
 One: But may be gazed upon;  
**All: Who is not easily understood,**  
 One: But is full of understanding;  
**All: Who does not come at our beck and call,**  
 One: But who is always near.  
**All: We gather as God's children**  
 One: In confident assurance that God is here.

## UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Beckoning God, you invite us to walk the narrow path and to live lives worthy of the gospel. Yet how often we hold a grudge, sustain a pout, harbor a complaint. We are preoccupied with our hurts and absorbed in the little injustices done to us. We neglect our high calling to visit the sick, care for the poor, feed the hungry, confront the oppressors and work for the new reign of God.**

**Empowering God, open our eyes and strengthen our wills to care for the ill, to shelter the homeless and provide security for the abused, to feed the hungry and to pester those in control of systems and institutions to care for the well-being of all their citizens. Let our lives be worthy of Christ the King, the Prince of Peace, the Redeemer of all. Amen.**

## SERMON NOTES

You Shall Be My Witnesses In...!  
 Psalm 67

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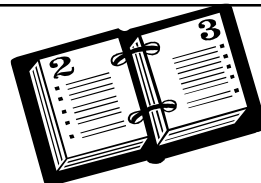
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## Week at a Glance April 25, 2010 - May 2, 2010

<p><b>Sunday April 25</b>                      8, 9:30 &amp; 11 Worship                      8:00 a.m. Adult Class                      9:30 a.m. Sunday School                      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>	<p><b>Thursday April 29</b>                      6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Group                      10:00 a.m. Celebration Ringers                      7:00 p.m. Jubilee Bells</p>
<p><b>Monday April 26</b>                      10:00 a.m. Healthy Bones                      7:00 p.m. Access Sr. High/Passage                      Soul Force Band                      7:00 p.m. Allegro Rehearsal</p>	<p><b>Friday April 30</b>                      10:00 a.m. Healthy Bones</p>
<p><b>Tuesday April 27</b>                      7:00 p.m. Lydia Circle (home of Betty Anderson)                      7:00 p.m. Mosaic Bible Study</p>	<p><b>Saturday May 1</b>                      8:30 a.m. Bus Trip to Philadelphia</p>
<p><b>Wednesday April 28</b>                      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                      7:00 p.m. Men's Choir                      8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir</p>	<p><b>Sunday May 2</b>                      8, 9:30 &amp; 11 Worship &amp; Communion                      8:00 a.m. Adult Class                      9:30 a.m. Sunday School                      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                      6:30 p.m. Jr. Deacons</p>

## TO CONTACT US

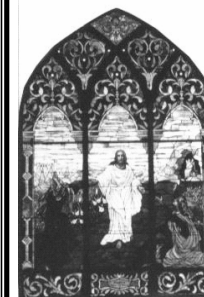
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## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF MANASQUAN

April 25, 2010



**Scripture: Psalm 67**  
**Message: You Shall Be My Witnesses In...**

**"Where Christ's Love Meets Your Life"**

### 8:00 a.m. Day Break Communion

Ministry of Music: For Heaven's Sake  
 "Lord, Let My Heart Be Good Soil" (*Hanson*)  
 "The Seasons of Life" (*Smith*)

Liturgist: Richard O'Rourke

Ushers: Gordon Fischer, Jerry Anderson, George & Joanne Clark

### 9:30 Faith Celebration

\*\* Late worshipers will be seated by ushers

Prelude

Words of Welcome

\*Responsive Call to Worship (see inside page)

\*\*Opening Hymn #262 "God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand"

\*Unison Prayer of Confession (see inside page)

Assurance of Pardon

\*Gloria Patri

\*\*Passing of the Peace

Ministry of Music: Men's Choir  
 "Bless That Wonderful Name" (*Christopher*)

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn of Response #150 "Come, Christians, Join to Sing"

Life of the Church: John Van Decker

Moment of Thanksgiving: Ellie Buannic

Giving of Tithes & Offerings: Fran Brady, Eleanor Menke,  
 Sean Kennedy, Susyn & Jules Morales

Offertory

\*Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

\*Responsive Scripture Reading: Psalm 67 (page 902)

Sermon: Pastor Steve Davis & Dan Cotton  
 YOU SHALL BE MY WITNESSES IN...!