



Worship For The Lord's Day

First Presbyterian Church of Warren, Ohio

June 14, 2026

10:00 A.M.

WELCOME! It is wonderful that you are worshiping here today. We pray that you will find joy, hope, and celebration in this time spent together in the presence of God.

Please note your presence and provide contact information in the "Ritual of Friendship" booklet. Then return it to the first person.

God's People Gather to Worship

WE BEGIN WITH INDIVIDUAL MEDITATION AND PRAYER

O Holy Lord, light of the minds that know You, life of the souls that love You, strength of the thoughts that seek You: Help us grow in our knowledge of You. Bless us with the Spirit of Your presence, so that we may worship You faithfully. Inspire us to love You deeply, to love our neighbors boldly, and to live fully in the gracious freedom You offer, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRELUDE

"Blessed Assurance/No Other Name"

Tornquist

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

(Responsive)

Leader: This is a time of God's appearing; let us worship! Let us recognize that God is within and among us.

All: **God's ear is inclined toward us. We know that God listens and hears our prayers.**

Leader: We are here to offer our thanks to God.

All: **We are grateful for the grace in which we stand. We praise God with great joy and gladness.**

Leader: God bears us up on eagles' wings. God draws us into covenant community.

All: **We will listen for God's commandments. We will seek to do all that God requires.**

Asterisks indicate when those who are comfortable standing can rise.*

Video replays of this time of worship continue to be available in the weeks and months which follow. Go to [YouTube.com/FPCWarren](https://www.youtube.com/FPCWarren) or [Facebook.com/FPCWarren](https://www.facebook.com/FPCWarren). Please share these links with other people.

PLEASE GIVE A WARM FPC WELCOME to **Rev. Ruth-Aimee Belonni-Rosario**. Rev. Ruth-Aimee is the Associate Executive for Racial Justice at The Synod of the Covenant in Detroit. A lifelong Presbyterian and ordained Teaching Elder for 17 years, she has served the PC (USA) in many capacities, from congregational leadership to roles at the mid-council and national levels. Her contributions include work with numerous committees, programs, and initiatives. She is also an accomplished writer, panelist, workshop leader, and facilitator, known for guiding and nurturing the vocational journeys of others with care and wisdom. She is a dedicated servant of God with a deep commitment to educational ministry.

RADIO MINISTRY is funded today by **Janet Williams**. Our service is broadcast at 10:00 a.m. Sundays on 1570 AM and 97.7 FM and talk 977.com. Donations for the Radio Ministry may be placed in the offering plate; contributions may also be mailed to the Church Office with “Radio Ministry” in the memo of the check.

THE DEACONS would like to thank all who remember the Deacons’ Cupboard while shopping. They are requesting **shampoo, toilet tissue, and bar soap** for the month of **June**. You may leave your items in the Deacons’ box in Fellowship Hall.

ADULT VBS: We all know about the PARABLES, but this summer we’ll be diving deeper into their meaning in our very first ADULT VACATION BIBLE STUDY. Join us on **Wednesday evenings: June 17, 24, July 8 and 15 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** Bring a sack supper and enjoy an evening of videos, music, creativity, and discussions centered on four popular parables. Dessert will be provided before we close each evening. Please sign up in Fellowship Hall.

JUNETEENTH SERVICE: The First Presbyterian Church of Warren and its Voices of Micah 6:8 Ministry invite you to attend our Juneteenth Community Service of Celebration on **Thursday, June 18, at 7:00 p.m.** Please join us as we celebrate this important event in our nation’s history, which will help us understand the past, recognize opportunities in the present, and build relationships in the community. A reception will follow the service. Join us!

PASTOR GREG is on vacation through **June 17**. Please call the Church Office or one of our Elders for a situation when you would ordinarily call the pastor.

PRIDE BOOTH VOLUNTEERS: The Voices of Micah 6:8 Ministry is setting up an FPC booth at the Pride in the Valley event held at Courthouse Square. We are asking for volunteers to help greet attendees on **Saturday, June 20**. This is a great opportunity to let people know that we are a welcoming church. If you would like to help, please sign up in Fellowship Hall.

FPC SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE announces that applications for 2026 scholarship awards are now being accepted. Applicants must be FPC members who are completing or have completed one year of post high school education or vocational training. Program rules and applications are available in the Church Office. Application deadline is **Sunday, July 5**, with awards later in July.

FATHER'S DAY: Join us after worship on **Sunday, June 21**, to celebrate the fathers in our church family.

LAWN PARTY AT FPC: Get ready for our lawn party on **June 27 at 4:30 p.m.** We will be "Rocking with Seven Bridges," who will be playing at the Amp. Come relax and socialize on the church lawn while listening to the music. Church Life Team will provide pizza and beverages. Please bring a lawn chair and a snack (chips, pretzels, etc.) Oh yes- don't forget to bring a friend(s)! Sign up for the fun in Fellowship Hall.



Carol Tornquist earned her B.S. in Music Education from the State University of New York at Fredonia. Following graduation, she taught vocal music in upstate New York while also serving as an instructor for the international Yamaha Music School. In Nashville, she was offered a job writing piano transcriptions which ultimately launched her career as a Christian music arranger. Her signature creative harmonies and rhythmic settings provide a fresh, new context for familiar melodies. Still a teacher at heart, she remains dedicated to creating user-friendly resources for pianists at all skill levels.

Included among her favorite quotations is "I play the notes as they are written, but it is God who makes the music." J.S. Bach

WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

- Sun, June 14 - **Worship**..... **10:00 am**
- Mon, June 15 - OA, P 10:00 am
- Girl Scouts, B..... 5:30 pm
- AA, MC 7:00 pm
- Tues, June 16 - Al-Anon, MC 9:30 am
- **Free Lunch and Grocery Distribution, FH**..... **10:30 am**
- **Finance Meeting, P**..... **5:00 pm**
- Girl Scouts, FH 5:00 pm
- Girl Scouts, B..... 5:30 pm
- NA, MC 7:00 pm
- Wed, June 17 - Crossroads Bereavement Grp, P 1:00 pm
- Relay for Life, B 5:30 pm
- **Adult VBS, FH** **5:30 pm**
- AA, MC 6:30 pm
- Thurs, June 18 - **Juneteenth Service** **7:00 pm**
- **Juneteenth Reception, FH** **Following Service**
- Fri, June 19 - **Juneteenth/Church Office Closed**
- Sat, June 20 - **Pride in the Valley, Courthouse Square** **8:30 am**
- AA, MC 11:00 am
- AA Memorial Service 2:00 pm
- **Concert Parking** **4:30 pm**
- Sun, June 21 - **Father's Day**
- **Worship**..... **10:00 am**
- **Father's Day Reception, FH**..... **11:15 am**

GUEST PASTOR:

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY:

DIRECTOR OF FAMILY AND YOUTH MINISTRY:

WORSHIP LEADER:

RADIO, LIGHTS AND SOUND SYSTEM:

VIDEO PROJECTION:

Rev. Ruth-Aimee Belonni-Rosario

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