



The First Presbyterian  
Church at Caldwell

# FIRST PRESS

Sunday, August 7, 2022

## **WELCOME VISITORS!**

*We are glad you have chosen to worship here today! Please come again!*

*For more information about our church, please visit our website: [www.firstprescaldwell.org](http://www.firstprescaldwell.org).*

***Join us for a 10:00am worship service in the sanctuary on Sundays during the summer.***

*Updated indoor worship guidelines are available at the following link: <https://www.firstprescaldwell.org/worship-guidelines/>*

*Worship online any time via livestream by clicking the links below.*

[Livestream Sanctuary Service on Facebook](#)

[Livestream Sanctuary Service on Livestream Website](#)

[Livestream Illuminate Service on Facebook](#)

## **WORSHIP SCHEDULE FOR SUMMER**

**We will have one Sunday service at 10:00 am in the sanctuary this summer.** The music leadership and worship style will be divided between traditional and contemporary. Please see below for the full schedule.

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|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| August 7th: Contemporary  | August 28th: Traditional    |
| August 14th: Contemporary | September 4th: Contemporary |
| August 21st: Traditional  | September 11th: Traditional |

## **REV. BILL SCHRAM ON VACATION**

Pastor Bill will be on vacation July 25-August 7. On August 7, Bonnie Chiappetta, who is studying to become a minister, will give the sermon.

## **COFFEE HOUR HOSTS NEEDED**

For the past few months, we have had some great coffee hours/lemonade on the lawns hosted by members of the committee and the congregation. We are asking to have more congregants sign up to host. Kaitlyn has agreed to get the set up started each Sunday, but we need someone to bring in and set up the food, milk, and accessories, as well as host in room 120 to offer assistance and be a friendly face. If you host coffee hour, you are also required to stay and clean up. Please review the calendar and sign up for any dates that work for you. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0f4fa5ad29a0f94-coffee>

## **OPEN GYM**

### **VOLLEYBALL**

Mondays from 7:00 to 8:00 pm

### **PICKLEBALL**

Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8:00 pm

\*\*\*NEW REGISTRANTS\*\*\* Contact Barb Bruchac to confirm availability at 973-454-5583

## **MIDWEEK VINYASA YOGA AT FPC**

Relax, recharge, and renew for the rest of the week by moving through a sequence of poses to increase strength, flexibility, and focus led by Sue Tannler.

Who: You and an open-mind

Where: FPC Fellowship hall

**When: Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.**

What: Bring a mat and a water bottle. If you

have blocks and a strap, scarf, or belt, bring them as well. (Extras will be on hand as well).

Any questions reach out to Sue Tannler [btannler@gmail.com](mailto:btannler@gmail.com) or 862-684-3673.

## **Summer Yoga UPDATES**

Yoga will not be held on the following dates:

August 10th, 2022

August 17th, 2022

Should you have any questions, please call the church office.

Calling EMTs, First Aid responders and Medical professionals

The Worship Committee is looking to put together a list of individuals that are willing to be called upon to step in if a medical situation presents itself in order to offer care until EMTs arrive.

- Medical/Nursing Training
- EMT Training
- First Aid Training
- AED use Training

Please email Kris George via [kristiane.george@gmail.com](mailto:kristiane.george@gmail.com) should you have any of the above training and are willing to help.

## **WORSHIP COMMITTEE IS SEARCHING FOR LAY READERS**

**WANTED:** Lay Readers

**WHAT:** To read scripture or other printed parts of the worship service.

**WHY:** to remind us that worship is a act of all the people.

**REQUIREMENTS:** Being able to read in front of the congregation

**WHEN:** Readers needed at the 10:00 am services.

**WHERE:** At some services. Your availability will help determine how often.

If interested contact: [fpc@firstprescaldwell.org](mailto:fpc@firstprescaldwell.org). Come on - this is an easy way to help out and it gets you in front of a microphone!! Looking forward to getting swamped with volunteers!

## **NEIGHBOR BRIGADE**

If you are in need of some assistance during a temporary time of crisis in your life, Neighbor Brigade is here to help you. We provide meals, rides to doctor appointments, dog walking, food shopping, etc. If you need this type of assistance or would like to be a volunteer, please call (973) 321-7353 or contact one of our chapter leaders: Barbara Bruchac, Carol DeFrance, or Sarah Solie.

# *Come Celebrate!*

*The work and dedication of  
Barbara & Noel Piercy*

*Sunday, September 11th, 2022*

*10am Sanctuary Service  
Reception to follow  
in Fellowship Hall  
(Enter doors of glass stairwell and head downstairs)*

*Reception RSVP  
to the church office by  
Tuesday, September 6th, 2022  
Phone: 973-228-0310 or  
Email: [Fpc326events@gmail.com](mailto:Fpc326events@gmail.com)*



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## **OFFERINGS**

Offerings will continue online at [www.firstprescaldwell.org/donate](http://www.firstprescaldwell.org/donate). Mailed-in donations continue to also be gladly accepted.

## **DO YOU HAVE A CHURCH PROGRAM OR EVENT THAT NEEDS TO BE ADVERTISED?**

The deadline for the next First Press is Monday at 3:00pm. We cannot guarantee inclusion of material submitted after that. Please email Lauren Restaino at [lauren@firstprescaldwell.org](mailto:lauren@firstprescaldwell.org).

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## **OUR STAFF**

**Rev. Bill Schram**, *Interim Pastor/Head of Staff*

**Rev. Barbara Jo Piercy**, *Minister of Music*

**Noel Piercy**, *Associate Director of Music*

**Kaitlyn Heun**, *Interim Director Youth Ministries*

**Scott Westenberger**, *Worship Leader*

**Lauren Restaino**, *Youth Ministry & Communications Coordinator*

**Christine Brunner**, *Office Manager*

**Chris White**, *Building Manager/Head Sexton*

**Irma Clare**, *Administrative Assistant*

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**Kathleen Carlson**, *Director*

*Weekday Nursery School - 973-226-6674*

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*[prospecthillcemetery@firstprescaldwell.org](mailto:prospecthillcemetery@firstprescaldwell.org)*

**Dr. Robert R. McGruther**, *Pastor Emeritus*

## **THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AT CALDWELL**

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## **CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK**

***ALL SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE VIA LIVESTREAM***

### ***SUNDAY, August 7th***

10:00 AM Worship Service, Sanctuary

11:00 AM Lemonade on the Lawn

### ***MONDAY, August 8th***

7:00 PM Women's Bible Study, Zoom Meeting

7:00 PM Volleyball, Fellowship Hall

### ***TUESDAY, August 9th***

9:30 AM Staff Meeting, Parlor

6:00 PM Finance Committee, Zoom Meeting

6:30 PM Pickleball, Fellowship Hall

7:00 PM Deacons Meeting, Chapel & Zoom

### ***SUNDAY, August 14th***

10:00 AM Worship Service, Sanctuary

11:00 AM Lemonade on the Lawn