

Dear All,

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

This coming Sunday is the Seventeenth Sunday of Pentecost! We will be moving from the mountain to the river, from the burning bush to the burning pillar, from preparation to action. We will once again meet God in fire, this time blazing forth before us to show us the way. We will be blessed to have our choir leading us in worship again! Hallelujah! And if we listen closely, we may hear Miriam singing through our scriptures as well. In preparation for worship, I invite you to sing your favorite songs with gusto and joy. In so doing, give God gratitude for always making a way for us.

We will continue our practice of hybrid worship. This means that you are welcome to join us in person and that you are welcome to join us from home, whatever works best for you. If you are able to access technology for online worship, we will be live streaming the service via Youtube and Facebook.



For Youtube Live, please go to our channel: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPh2zjtSFxk2uo9_YWEusCQ/, subscribe to it, and enable notifications. The live video should be up and running just before the service starts. If you watch later, click on our channel and then select “Live” videos. You can also watch afterward on our website at: <https://fpchighland.org/worship>.

For Facebook Live, please go to our page here: <https://www.facebook.com/firstpchighland/> around the start of worship. A recording of the service will remain on our Facebook page if you want to watch later.

As always, I have included worship materials, including the bulletin, readings, hymns, TWO sermons because I forgot last week, and creative activities for disciples of all ages.

I leave you with these words from *Exodus*:

The Lord went in front of them in a pillar of cloud by day, to lead them along the way, and in a pillar of fire by night, to give them light, so that they might travel by day and by night. Neither the pillar of cloud by day nor the pillar of fire by night left its place in front of the people.

In Christ and with Love,

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