

Welcome

We're so glad you're with us for worship today. Our prayer is that you will experience God's presence and power in your life. Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, we hope First Presbyterian Corona becomes a place you can call home.

Our mission is to live out the good news of Jesus Christ.

**We invite you to stand if you are comfortable standing.
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	DATE	TIME		
Sun.	Feb. 16	11:00	AM	Worship (Lockup: Awu Ncha)
Tues.	Feb. 18	9:30	AM	Transformed Women Bible Study
Sat.	Feb. 22	10:00	AM	Women's Bible Study

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February 16, 2025

Sixth Sunday After Epiphany

11:00 A.M.

We Enter to Worship

Prelude Pianist, Delia E. Martinez-Samojluk

Welcome & Announcements Elder Marilyn Mittelstadt

One: Oh magnify the Lord with me,

All: And let us exalt His name together.

***Gathering Song** Fairest Lord Jesus #306

*Call to Worship

One: We rejoice and praise Your holy name today, O Lord,

All: Because You have kept us from a destructive path.

One: We give thanks because Your word gives us hope,

All: And we reflect on Your word at all times.

One: You are the Source of deep seated faith,

All: And our spirits are refreshed in your presence!

***Hymn** Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee #310

Prayer of Confession Guest Pastor, Rev. Nancy

All: Merciful God, we turn to You for the forgiveness and peace that we need in this hour. Our minds have been full of many things, often forgetting Your grace and Your strength through the Spirit to lead us forward. May we learn to lean on You, in this hour and everyday. We offer our prayers to You. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

Passing of the Peace

***Hymn** When I Survey the Wondrous Cross #101

Youth Message

We Hear a Word from the Lord

Prayer for Illumination Pastor Nancy

All: O Lord God, may our hearts and ears be open to Your wisdom in the reading of the Word today. Lift the shadows that cloud our thinking, that we may more easily understand the message in Your words. Help us apply Your words as we are opening our minds to Your wisdom. Amen.

Scripture Psalm 1:1-6; Jeremiah 17:5-11

Message The Wisdom Tree, the Talking Tree

We Respond in Joyful Service

***Proclamation of Faith** from the Apostles' Creed

All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilot; was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended to the dead; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy universal church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Joys and Concerns Elder Marilyn

Prayer of Intercession Pastor Nancy

Offering

***Doxology** Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow #592

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Peoples' Prayer

Let us Pray

Now hear us as we pray the Prayer taught the disciples:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory for ever. Amen

We Go forth to Serve

***Closing Hymn** Go With Us, Lord #535

Postlude Delia E. Martinez-Samojluk

***Benediction** Pastor Nancy

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SMALL GROUPS / ORGANIZATIONS

Transformed Ladies Bible Study Tuesday at 9:30 AM
Women's Bible Study 4th Saturday at 10:30 AM

Joys & Concerns

Marilyn - Prayers for Judy Hanson and family. Thanks to Rev. Nancy for playing the piano in Delia's absence. Anne - Prayers for her sister-in-law, Dee, who has a blood cancer. She is to begin a new treatment on Monday. Prayers also for Anne's brother, John. Kathy - Prayers for her neighbor, Michelle. She has blood clots and is currently in the hospital. Sue - Prayers for travel mercies as she will be out of town next weekend. Student, Emily, had a better week. Prayers for world issues. Awu - Prayers for travel mercies for her family. Everyone will be traveling next weekend.

Please pray during the coming week for the families of:

- ◇ Kathy Shepardson
- ◇ Hanafi, Natalia, & Naomi Tanojo