### THIS WEEK AT FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, October 6 8:45 a.m. – Adult class in Session Room and via Zoom 10:30 a.m. –Worship in sanctuary Rev. Dr. Rich Holmes and via Zoom followed by fellowship Monday, October 7 7:00 a.m. – AA meeting in upstairs classroom **Tuesday, October 8** 11:45 a.m. – Rotary Meeting in Perea Hall 12:30 to 6:30 p.m. - Massage Therapist in Nursery Room 6:00 p.m. - Women's AA Meeting in The Gathering Place Wednesday, October 9 7:00 a.m. – AA meeting in upstairs classroom 9:00 a.m. – Coffee & Fellowship at Charlies 2:00 p.m. JOT Meeting - OTM 6:00 p.m. – AA meeting in The Gathering Place 6:30 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal in Perea Hall Friday, October 11 7:00 a.m. – AA meeting in upstairs classroom 9:00 a.m. – Food Depot Food Distribution at Rodriguez Park 4:00 p.m. - Samaritan House Cook Team Saturday, October 12 9:00 a.m. – AA meeting in upstairs classroom Sunday, October 13 8:45 a.m. - Adult Study in Session Room and via Zoom 10:30 a.m. – Worship in sanctuary with Pastor Patricia Halverson and via Zoom followed by fellowship





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**MEDITATION** – This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it. This is the day that you have made, O God, so let us praise you with unceasing joy. This is the day when we can open our eyes and look around at this world you have created—trees, sunshine, grass, clouds, squirrels, birds. This is the day when we have something in our cupboards or refrigerators to eat, we have a roof over our heads, we are not locked up in prison, we are not breathing on a ventilator, but drawing breath with our very own two lungs, and we thank you. We don't know what tomorrow holds, but we pray that you would teach us to leave tomorrow for tomorrow. Amen.

WELCOME

PRELUDE

MINUTE FOR MISSION

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE** 

Tri County Farmer's Market

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love. The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

### CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 119)

Leader: You are righteous, O Lord, and your judgments are right. People: You have appointed your decrees in righteousness and in all faithfulness. Leader: My zeal consumes me because my foes forget your words. People: Trouble and anguish have come upon me, but your commandments are my delight. Leader: Your decrees are righteous forever. Give me understanding that I may live. All: Let us worship God!

**\*OPENING HYMNS** 

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE AND MERCY

We remember that, **before** we confess and no matter what we confess to God, we can be assured of God's Love and Mercy.

## **UNISON PRAYER OF RECONCILIATION**

Merciful God, you have called us to be your people and claimed us for the service of Jesus Christ. We confess that we have been timid and frightened disciples, forgetful of your powerful presence and the strength of your Spirit among us.

O God, forgive our foolish and sinful ways. As you have chosen us and claimed us in our baptisms, strengthen us anew to choose Christ's way in this world so that we may always live for your glory, Amen.

## WE GATHER TOGETHER

Pam Abreu

Em Krall

Arielle Hawney

Pam Abreu

*Let us make a commitment during this time to visit with someone today* and wish them the peace of Christ.

O Worship the King, All Glorious Above

GTG #41

## **\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD				
CHORAL ANTHEM	Agnus Dei – Celtic Communion Anthem	Amy Hufnal	*POSTLUDE	
PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION		Pam Abreu	*Please stand in body or	
FIRST SCRIPTURE READING	Second Samuel 12: 1-7a	Pam Abreu		
GOSPEL READING	Mark 4: 35-41	Rev. Dr. Rich Holmes	*****OPPORT	
SERMON	"Living in Stormy Times"	Rev. Dr. Rich Holmes	Join us for fellowship in Perea Hall after worship today! Octo	
	WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD		10/06 Murl Baker Signup sheet is in Perea Hall; please sign up for a Sunday. Noth	
RESPONSE THE LORD'S SUPPER INVITATION	I Come With Joy	GTG #515	<b>The Sunday morning Bible-based class for adults and youth</b> has Women Led, Taught, and Ministered in the Early Church The read 162 (Junia and Putting It All Together). The reading for October 13 Teaching in the Church; Submission Texts in Household Codes and Room, next to the kitchen in Perea Hall and on Zoom on the same I	
<b>RESPONSIVE LITURGY</b> Leader: The Lord be with you <b>People: And also with you</b> Leader: Lift up your hearts			<b>Pot Luck</b> – All are invited to <b>potluck lunch</b> after the worsh (salad, hot dish, or dessert) to contribute. The Deacons will the fellowship that sharing a meal can provide.	
People: We lift them up to the Leader: Let us give thanks to the People: It is right to give our	ne Lord		<b>Coffee &amp; Fellowship</b> – Come join us at Charlie's Spic and Span B 9:00 a.m. Hope to see you there!	
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING Rev. Dr. Rich Holmes   Leader: In fulfillment of Christ's promise Therefore, with all creation we sing your praise: All: Holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.   Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Leader: You are holy, O God of majesty, and blessed is Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord   Great is the mystery of faith: All: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.   Leader: Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these your gifts of bread and wine Through Christ, with Christ, in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor and yours, almighty God, now and forever.   All: Amen.			<b>Prayers for the Church Family</b> – Each week we choose some those in our Presbytery. Please pray for Kathy Wentz, Bruce W Community United Presbyterian Church, Jemez Springs, NM (1	
			<b>Bio</b> - My name is Rich Holmes. My wife Kelly and I have two both teach middle school. I have been an ordained minister of th pastor of four churches. I am presently one of the Parish Associ	
WORDS OF INSTITUTION and SH	ARING OF THE BREAD AND CUP		October Elder of Month: 1	
<b>PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION</b> Pam AbreuLeader: Gracious God, how can we thank you for such a gift? For you have met us, fed us, drawn us to you and bound us to one another.Pam AbreuAll: Now send us out to share your love and proclaim your hope until Christ comes again. Amen.Pam Abreu		October Deacon of the Mon The office is open on Tuesday from 10:00 a.m. and we w		
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	he way we are called to be church to a world in need er through these gifts. In the name of Christ, we pra	*		
*DOXOLOGY				
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER			Assisting in Wor Preacher – Rev. Dr. Rich Holmes	
	<u>WE GO FORTH IN GOD'S NAME</u>		Accompanist – Em Krall Choir - Amy	
*CLOSING HYMN	Our God, Our Help in Ages Past	GTG #687	Custodian – Henry Herrera Tech Crew – Karyl Lyne, De	

or spirit, as you are able

## TUNITIES\*\*\*\*

# ctober fellowship time reminder:

has started a new discussion series on the book *Tell Her Story: How* eading assignment for October 6 is Chapter 9 - Conclusion, pp. 141-13 is What About . . . ?, pp. 163-202, Paul Prohibiting Women from and Postscript. Classes are at 8:45 a.m. Sundays in the Session e link as the Sunday Worship Service.

ship service on **Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup>.** Please bring a dish vill provide beverages. We are looking forward to enjoying

Bakery for good food and great fellowship! Wednesday mornings,

ne specific names to remind us to pray for each other and for Wertz, Crystal Western Ford and Star Ford as well as [(1881).

to adult children and we currently live in Albuquerque where we f the Word and Sacrament for 24 years, and I have served as the ociates at La Mesa Presbyterian Church.

n: Pam Abreu 505-429-3053 Sonth: Van Swan 505-426-4348

m. to 11:45 a.m. For all other times, please email or call will get back to you

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## Vorship This Week Worship Leader – Pam Abreu by Hufnal Bulletin – EJ Nelson Sanctuary Hosts – Kevin Johnson, Charlotte Wootton Deb Allen-Reid, and Kent Reid