

# University Community Presbyterian Church

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## Welcome

***In the name of Jesus Christ, we welcome you to worship.*** If you are a visitor, please record your information on the yellow visitor card. If anyone has a prayer request, please fill out the reverse side of the yellow visitor card with your prayer needs. Cards can be placed in the offering plate.

***Children are a blessed part of our church family*** and are invited to worship with us. We have a staffed nursery during worship service for children from 6 weeks to 5 years of age. We also have a cry room available in the back of the sanctuary.

***Difficulty hearing?*** The sound operators in the back left corner of the sanctuary can provide you with headphones for our assisted hearing system.

***CDs of our services*** If you would like a copy, please contact the church office.

Pastor:	Rev. Neill McKay
Ministers:	The Entire Congregation
Clerk of Session:	Melissa Bierer & Lanien Livingston
Elders:	Brian Dixon Randy Frank Doreen McNeill, David Rohwer Roger Smith, Jane Steeves Norma Wivoda
Deacon President:	Susan Carothers
Deacons:	Judy Fowler-Morris Lynne Krizek, Donita Lawhead, Darlene Peterson, Theresa Reed, Paula Long
Mission Co-Workers	Rev. Ryan and Alethia White Rev. Jed Koball and his wife Jenney
Choir Director	Lucile Hackett
Pianist:	Kathy Dohner
Organist:	Kathy Dohner
Sound Manager:	David Rohwer

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## JOYS AND CONCERNS from September 2nd, 2018

### Lord, in your mercy, we pray for:

Jason & Eyerusalem making good choices  
Kyle seeking a career  
Verena, Beulah & Ila – Health  
Christina & Rene – Cancer  
Friends of UCPC – Health  
Neill for Health & Peace

### Thanks be to God for:

New Grandbabies – Elowyn Ann & Emma  
Amara in marching band  
Senator John McCain's Life  
Mallory & Ryan's wedding  
Ruth's birthday  
Dick Morris – great health report  
David's friends coming to visit  
Marijo's mother Dorothy – time spent with family before passing  
Jane Steeves – thanks for prayers  
Pat & Sue, Deacons – thanks  
Aretha's Life

## UCPC EVENTS, WEEKLY CALENDAR, and ANNOUNCEMENTS

**September Elder of the Month :** Melissa Bierer

**Garage Guys** The next Garage Guys event will be no program, no pressure; it's a time to get together, tell some stories and enjoy food & drink. Saturday September 15<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00PM. 1606 Ivans Alley. Bring something to sear on the grill, a drink and something to sit on like your favorite lawn chair, Or just come we have extra chairs, burgers & drinks in the fridge. Contact David Rohwer 907-378-2554 or darohwer@solarmoose.com

**Sunday Breakfast** has resumed. Join us for Sunday Breakfast before worship at 9:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall

**Children and Youth Sunday School** @ 9:30 AM

**Choir Rehearsal** Wednesdays at 7PM in the music room

**Loving Families** is temporarily on hold and we will keep you updated as we get more information. If you have any questions contact Muffie Durst 479-8191 Or Norma Wivoda 750-2428

**UCPC Women's Retreat** will be held September 28-30, 2018 at Knox Retreat Center. Rev. Carson Overstreet of Van Wyck Presbyterian Church will facilitate our retreat titled "Spiritual Boot Camp". Plan on joining us & bring a friend! Cost is \$50. Scholarships available. Ladies, you will not want to miss this!!

**Pledge Cards** may be placed in the offertory plate. Extra cards are available on the table by the Sanctuary door.

**Sunday Adult Study** @ 9:30 AM,

**Sunday Worship Service** begins at 10:30 AM in the Sanctuary. Join us after the service for coffee and fellowship in the Narthex.

**Men's Bible Study** meets on Tuesdays at 6:30 AM in the Narthex.

**Bulletin Deadline** is on Wednesdays by 12:00 PM.

**Prayer Group** meets Thursdays at 12:00 PM in the Conference Room.

## WEEKLY COMMUNITY EVENTS

- Foursquare Russian Church meets on Sundays at 2:00 PM in the Sanctuary.
- 12-Step meets on Mondays at 5:30 PM in the Music Room.
- Boy Scout Troop 1 meets on Tuesdays at 6:30 PM in the CE Basement.
- AA meets on Tuesdays at 8:00 PM in the Lounge.
- Girl Scout Troop 75 meets on Wednesdays at 5:30 PM in the Lounge.
- Al Anon meets on Thursdays at 5:30 PM in the High School Classroom.
- Fairbanks Sweet Adelines Barbershop Chorus meets 6.30pm Thursdays.
- Foursquare Russian Church meets on Fridays at 7:00 PM in the Music Room.
- NA meets on Fridays at 8:30 PM in the Lounge.
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# University Community Presbyterian Church

3510 College Road • Fairbanks, Alaska 99709

September 9th, 2018



*"We invite all to faith in Jesus Christ and growth in discipleship through Word, Prayer, and Service."*

## Next Week's Service ~September 16th, 17th Sunday After Pentecost ~

Leader: Norma Wivoda Prayer Person: Jim Durst  
Sound Board: David Rohwer Nursery: Rhonda McKay  
Head Usher:

## September 9th, 2018

\* Please stand if you are able

### Prelude

### Words of Welcome & Announcements

#### ~PREPARING FOR THE WORD~

**\*Call to Worship** Psalm 123 OT PG 572

**Leader:** To you O'Lord I lift up my eyes,

**People: You who are enthroned in the heavens!**

**Leader:** As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their master,

**People: As the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress,**

**All: so our eyes look to the LORD our God, until he has mercy upon us.**

**Leader:** Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy upon us

**People: For we have had more than enough of contempt.**

**Leader:** Our soul has had more than its fill of the scorn of those who are at ease

**People: Our soul has had more than its fill of the contempt of the proud.**

**Leader:** Let us pray

### \*Opening Prayer

**\*Hymn of Praise** *Stand Up And Bless The Lord* Hymnal 491

**\*Call to Confession** 1st Kings 8:37-40 OT PG 312

### \*Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Lord, God of Israel, Father of the Savior let us know the presence of thy Holy Spirit in the blessing of forgiveness. For we as individuals and a people suffer the afflictions of the heart, suffer plagues and sickness for we have turned from you too often, we know plague and blight because we don't always keep the faith, we know locust and mildew because we too often fail to do the right thing. In Jesus Christ we stretch out our hands, our lips raise prayers to heaven for thy forgiveness and so we now offer our own confession

### \*Silent Confession

### \*Words of Assurance

### \*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.**

### \*The Forgiven and Redeemed Share the Lord's Peace

(Please share the peace of Christ by welcoming those around you.)

### Serving Today

Usher: Lanien Livingston

Leader: David Stanek

Sound Board: Sarah Lanstra

Prayer Person: Joe Krizek

Nursery: Celia Rohwer

## ~HEARING THE WORD~

### Time with Young Disciples

**Anthem** And I Will Praise Thee, O God! Choir

### Prayer of Illumination

**Old Testament Reading** *Joshua 24:14-18* OT PG 216

**New Testament Reading** *Romans 2:4-16* NT PG 153

**Leader:** This is the word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

**Sermon** *Romans* Rev. Neill McKay

**Hymn of Response** *I Am The Bread Of Life* UCPC 7

**Affirmation of Faith:** Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

## ~THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION~

### Communion :

**Pastor:** The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

**Pastor:** Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

**Pastor:** Let us give thanks to the Lord.

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

**Pastor:** Blessed are you, O Lord our God.

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According to Christ's Commandment:

**We remember his death,**

**We proclaim his resurrection.**

**and we wait his coming Glory**

**Spoken Response** "Holy, Holy, Holy Lord" Hymnal Pg. 581

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

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### The Words of Institution

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### The Distribution of Bread and Wine

### Closing Prayer & Prayers of the People

**The Lord's Prayer (Unison)** Hymnal Pg. 16

**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 forever. Amen**

**\*Closing Hymn** *Rejoice, Ye Pure In Heart* Hymnal 145

### \*Taking the Light into the World

***We carry the light out of the sanctuary as a sign that we are carrying God's  
light into the world.***

### \*Charge and Benediction

**\*Response** God Be With You Till We Meet Again

God be with you till we meet again;

By His counsels guide uphold you

With His sheep securely fold you:

God be with you till we meet again.

### Postlude

Joe Krizek will be in front of the sanctuary to pray with anyone who wishes.