

Welcome

Welcome to Fort Washington Collegiate Church; a place of resilience, diversity, hospitality and grace. We welcome everyone regardless of race, culture, sexual orientation, gender identity, social or economic status. As a church family we celebrate our diverse connection to God, that unifies us, and seek to follow Christ's example of love. As a faith community, we value grace over judgment. Our diversity gives us the opportunity to be enriched by the gifts and leadership of all. Together, we proclaim the good news that there is new life in Christ.

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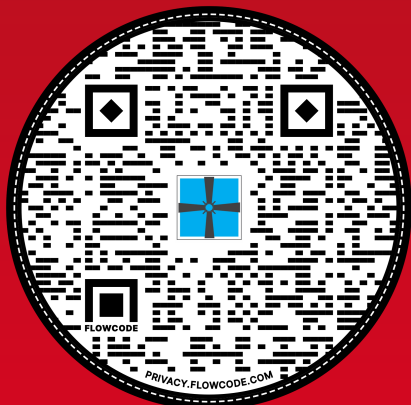
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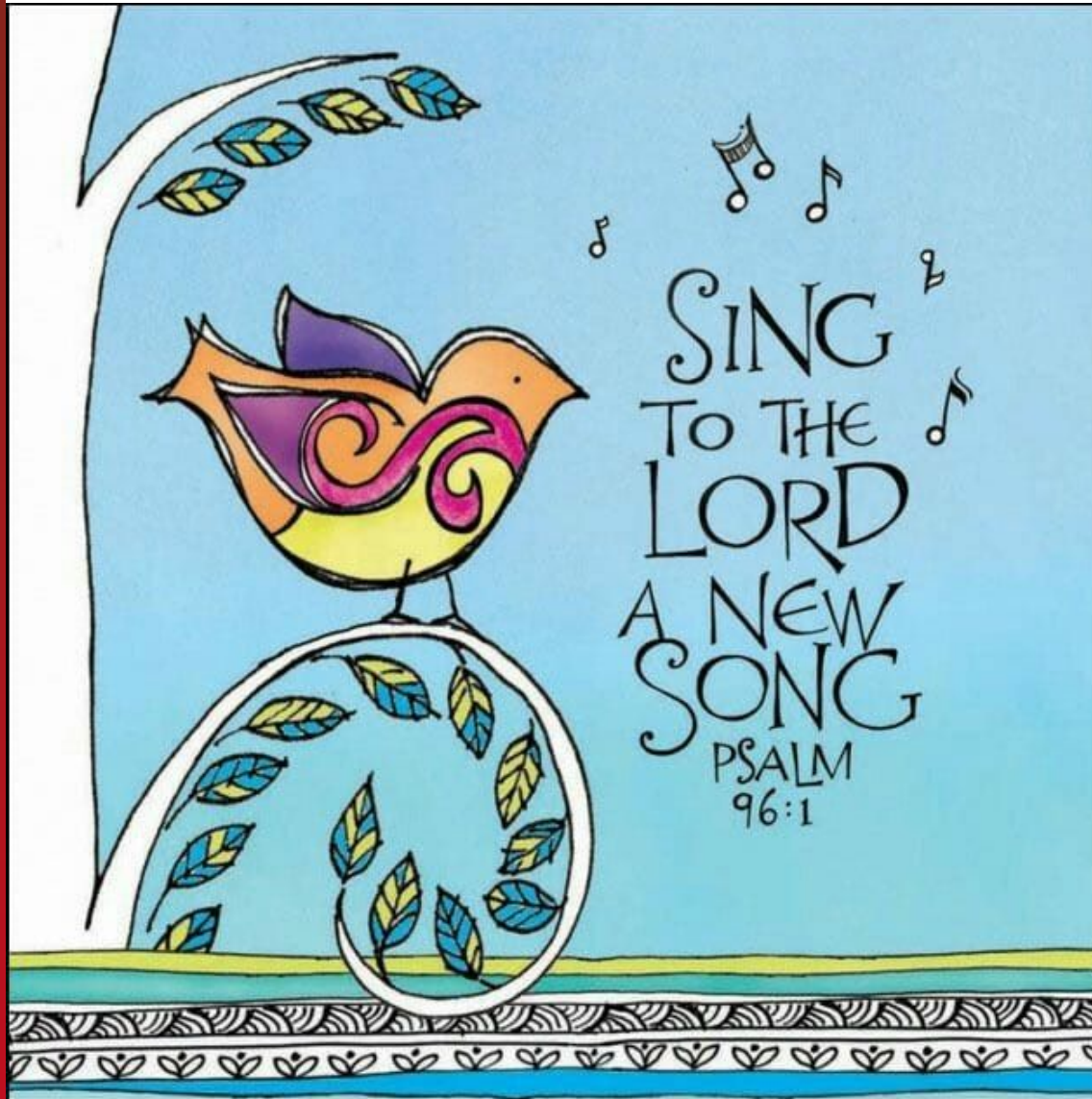
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Sunday, April 21st, 2024 | 11am
Fourth Sunday of Easter



**“FAKE IT UNTIL YOU
MAKE IT!”**

PSALM 96

Prelude: Two Hands Hold the Earth (Pirtle)

Welcome & Call to Worship:

L: Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord our God! Glorious and powerful is the God of all creation!

P: In reverent awe, we gather to worship our God.

L: The Lord our God and the Just Judge of all things for all eternity, all people and all places.

P: In reverent awe, we gather to praise our God.

L: The Lord our God and the Forgiving God! ‘Fairness’ and ‘Justice’ are the names of our God.

P: In reverent awe, we gather to worship God, within the light of God’s holiness, justice, mercy and love. Amen.

Opening Hymn: Holy Earth, Ancient Home (Hudson/Metcalf)

Holy earth, ancient home

Mother of us all

Source of life & all we need

All we need for eternity

Holy earth, so vast and small

Hear our prayer, hear our cry

Hear our song of praise

Help us mend what has gone awry

Gone awry with the web of life

Help us learn your wiser ways

Let us sing, all as one

In the great human choir

Blue-green world in a sea of stars

A sea of stars that forever turns

Holy earth in this holy gyre

Holy earth, our one precious home

Amen.

Children’s Time and Passing the Peace

“The peace of Christ is with you! - And also with you!”

Announcements

Congregational Prayer

God of many names, lover of all peoples, we pray for peace, in our hearts, in our homes, in our nations, in our world, the peace of your will, the peace of our need.

Anthem: Gentle Arms of Eden (Dave Carter)

Scripture: Psalm 96

Sermon: “Fake It Until You Make It!”

Rev. Dr. Mark Mast

Musical Meditation: The Earth is Yours (Gungor)

A Creation Care Stewardship Moment

Call to Give (*See Ways to Give Below*)

Offering: Beautiful Day (U2)

Doxology:

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God all creatures here below; Praise God above, all heavenly hosts; Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication:

Holy One, we ask that you bless these offerings and tithes so they can multiply to be a blessing for our community, our mission, and worldwide. Accept our offerings and tithes, O God, as a testimony of your goodness in our lives. **Amen!**

Closing Hymn: Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (Van Dyke)

Red Hymnal #20

Benediction & Postlude *(Please Stand)*

Invite a friend to church with you. #FillThePews

Liturgy extracted from RE:Worship

Give via Smartphone: text 'give' to (914) 996-6254 to donate through Tithe.ly

Give online at www.fortwashingtonchurch.org/give

Give to the usher or place in box as you exit the church after service

*Interested in Joining our FWCC family? If so, please email
info@fortwashingtonchurch.org*





Be In The Know !

Join us for a special spring performance of Mozart's Requiem

Wednesday,
May 1 @ 7:30pm
West End Church
245 W. 77th St.

Experience West End Community Choir, soloists, and orchestra performing Mozart's Requiem.

Admission is free, donations are encouraged!

Reception to follow.



For details and more events, check our calendar online > westendchurch.org



Free Intro Course to
Mindfulness
 Tuesdays, May 7-28
 7:30-8:45pm
Fort Washington Collegiate Church
 729 West 181st Street
All are welcomed, wheel chair accessible
 Learn tools to reduce stress, handle difficulty, and cultivate self-compassion.
 To register, email: ShawnaLight@gmail.com

**JOIN US FOR OUR
 2024 GROWING SEASON**

**Public
 Garden
 Hours**

**Tuesdays 5 pm ~
 Sundays 9 am ~**

Open Garden/Playgroup
WEDNESDAYS, 11AM-2PM

Everyone welcome

Pride Month Celebrations

We're building a **Team of Volunteers** to plan our Pride celebrations in June. If you have ideas or would like to participate in planning, email info@fortwashingtonchurch.org

Summer time fun
July-August
 Its never too early to begin planning.

Get Ready!
 Music in the Garden
 Theater in the Garden
 Movie Nights
 Game Nights
 Open Garden Days
 Get Fit for God
 and more...

Vacation Bible School
SUMMER TIME
JULY-AUGUST

- Learning about God & our Gifts
- Field trips with Pastor Mark
- Arts & Crafts
- Music & Performance
- Fun, Fun, Fun

Stay Tuned for more details. We need volunteers! If you are interested in volunteering or having your children attend, email ddavis@fortwashingtonchurch.org

M&YWHI
 Washington Heights & Inwood

EVENING-NIGHT RECEPTIONIST

TUES. - THURS.
5:30PM TO 9:30 PM

THE Y IS HIRING PART-TIME!

The **Evening Administrative Assistant** will be the public's first point of contact, greet and assist visitors, and be responsible for clerical and administrative support for The Y's Workforce Development Center

- Assist visitors and students enrolled in programming with information and direction as needed
- Respond to phone calls and assist callers with information and direct calls to appropriate individuals
- Input data into database while using discretion with sensitive and confidential information
- Follow up with students to obtain missing information and other pertinent material
- Assist with ongoing program recruitment and social media postings

INTERESTED?
CONTACT: WORKFORCE@YWHI.ORG



Activity Corner:
Autism Awareness Month
Coloring Activity



Upcoming Events at FWCC

Sundays

- (FTJC) Morning Minyan - 7-9am/FH
- Public Garden - 9am
- Y Programming - 9am-1pm/2nd Fl
- Worship Services - 11am-12pm
- Communion - 1st Sundays
- Fellowship Hour - 12-1:30pm/Atrium
- Youth Sunday - 2nd Sundays
- YAL Meeting - 2nd - 12-1:30pm
- Game Day- 2nd Sundays/ 12 - 3pm
- Special Prayer - 3rd Sunday - 12pm
- Cares & Convo - 3rd Sundays - 12pm

Mondays

- (FTJC) Morning Minyan - 7-9am - Fellowship Hall (FH)

Tuesdays

- AA Meeting - 7-9pm/Gym
- Public Garden 5pm
- CommunityChoir - 7-9pm/FH

Wednesdays

- Afternoon Bible Study - 1pm/ Sanctuary
- Open Garden - 11-2pm
- Evening Bible Study - 7pm Starting 2/21)

Thursdays

- (FTJC) Morning Minyan - 7-9am/FH
- Young Peoples Chorus - 3:30-7pm/ FH
- Last Thursdays - Movie Night - 7pm

Fridays

- TEP Charter Community Circle - 2x month - 10:30am-12pm/FH

- FTJC - Shabbat evening service - Sunset/FH

Saturdays

- FTJC Shabbat Service - 9am-1pm/FH, North, Magaw, Nursery, Atrium, rm 205
 - FTJC Shabbat Evening Service - 8-9pm/FH
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NOTE: YM/YWHA programming is in the building Sundays-Thursdays. If you would like to have your children in the a program or learn more about what they offer on our campus, please visit their website at www.ywhi.org.



Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Mark Mast, Minister | **Dinean Davis**, Director of Ministries
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