First Presbyterian Church of Naples

In the Heart of Naples with the Love of God:
we worship, we love, we grow, we serve



Christ the King | Reign of Christ
Installation Service for Rev. Dr. Aaron Janklow
November 22, 2026 | 10 a.m.

At this time, please silence all cell phones.
Let us quiet our hearts, minds, and voices for the beginning of worship.

The Prelude ***Festive Trumpet Tune*** DAVID GERMAN

THE TIME OF GATHERING

Welcome and Life Together REV. REX CHILDS

SERVICE OF PREPARATION

*Call to Worship (*from Psalm 121*) ELDER JANICE CROLEY

Leader: I lift up my eyes to the hills—from where will my help come?
People: My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.
Leader: He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber.
People: He who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.
Leader: The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade at your right hand.
People: The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night.
Leader: The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life.
People: The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this time on and for evermore.

A TIME FOR PRAISE AND CONFESSION

*Hymn of Praise #268 ***Crown Him with Many Crowns*** DIADEMATA

1. Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne;
   hark, how the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own!
   Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
   and hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity.
2. Crown him the Lord of love; behold his hands and side,
   rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified:
   no angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,
   but downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.
3. Crown him the Lord of peace, whose power a scepter sways
   from pole to pole, that wars may cease, absorbed in prayer and praise.
   His reign shall know no end; and round his pierced feet
   fair flowers of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.
4. Crown him the Lord of years, the potentate of time;
   creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime.
   All hail, Redeemer, hail! for thou hast died for me;
   thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.

Call to Confession REV. WINSTON LAWSON

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart, mind, and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your holy name.

A Moment for Silent Personal Confession

Declaration of Pardon

Leader: Hear the good news! Our righteousness is found in Christ alone, a gift of God by faith. Beloved people of God, believe the good news: through the grace of Jesus Christ we are forgiven.
People: Thanks be to God!

*Gloria Patri #580 GREATOREX

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!

Children's Time NANCY VAN FLEET

**Please stand, if able*

THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination — ELDER TERESA DOANE

Scripture Reading — Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24 — PEW BIBLE PAGE 702

For thus says the Lord GOD: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. 12 As shepherds seek out
their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the
places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. 13 I will bring them out from the
peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the
mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. 14 I will feed them with good
pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land,
and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. 15 I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I
will make them lie down, says the Lord GOD.16 I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind
up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

20 Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. 21
Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you
scattered them far and wide, 22 I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between
sheep and sheep.

23 I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their
shepherd. 24 And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the LORD,
have spoken.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
All: ***Thanks be to God.***

Response — ***In the Lord, I'll Be Ever Thankful*** — TAIZÉ COMMUNITY

In the Lord I'll be ever thankful, in the Lord I will rejoice! Look to God, do not be afraid. Lift up your voices, the Lord is near.

Scripture Reading — Ephesians 1:15-23 — ELDER JANICE CROLEY
PEW BIBLE PAGE 949

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason 16 I do not cease
to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. 17 I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father
of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, 18 so that, with the eyes of your
heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious
inheritance among the saints, 19 and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe,
according to the working of his great power. 20 God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the
dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, 21 far above all rule and authority and power and
dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. 22 And he has put
all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, 23 which is his body, the fullness
of him who fills all in all.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
All: ***Thanks be to God.***

Sermon — ***"The King is Alive! Long Live the King!"*** — REV. DR. BREWSTER "BUDGE" GERE

*Affirmation of Faith *(The Apostles' Creed)* — REV. REX CHILDS

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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth 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 Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings — REV. REX CHILDS

The Offertory — ***Look at the World*** — JOHN RUTTER

Look at the world, everything all around us: look at the world, and marvel every day. Look at the world: so many joys and wonders, so many miracles along our way. Praise to thee, O Lord, for all creation, give us thankful hearts, that we may see: all the gifts we share, and every blessing, all things come of thee. Look at the earth bringing forth fruit and flower; look at the sky, the sunshine and the rain; look at the hills, look at the trees and mountains, valley and flowing river, field and plain. Think of the spring, think of the warmth of summer bringing the harvest before the winter's cold. Everything grows; everything has a season, till it is gathered to the Father's fold. Every good gift, all that we need and cherish comes from the Lord in token of his love; we are his hands, stewards of all his bounty; his is the earth, and his the heavens above.

*The Doxology

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. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication — REV. REX CHILDS

THE INSTALLATION

Litany of Gifts — REV. WINSTON LAWSON

Leader: As in one body, we have many parts and each part has its own function, so all of us together with Christ are one body, and we all belong to each other.
People: ***We have different gifts according to the grace God has given us.***
Leader: If your gift is to proclaim God's Word,
People: ***speak it out in faith.***
Leader: If your gift is service,
People: ***live to serve others.***
Leader: If your gift is the heart of a teacher,
People: ***teach what is true.***
Leader: Let preachers preach with conviction, and givers give freely;
People: ***let officers work diligently for the people, and let those who serve the poor, serve gladly.***
Leader: Let us not lack for enthusiasm, but be ardent in spirit,
People: ***serving the Lord, rejoicing in hope, patient in suffering, constant in prayer, supporting one another, and welcoming all.***

Statement of Mission of the Church — REV. DR. RANDY MOODY

Leader: ...Today we reclaim our historic calling and remember the great ends of the church:
People: ***the proclamation of the gospel for the salvation of humankind; the shelter, nurture, and spiritual fellowship of the children of God; the maintenance of divine worship; the preservation of the truth; the promotion of social righteousness; and the exhibition of the Kingdom of Heaven to the world.***
Leader: The ministry of the church is shared by pastor and people, so that all together may fulfill the mission to which we are called in Jesus Christ.
People: ***We remember with joy our common calling to serve Christ, and we celebrate God's call to our brother to serve among us as pastor.***

Constitutional Questions — ELDER JANICE CROLEY

Do you trust in the Lord Jesus Christ your Savior, acknowledge him Lord of all and Head of the Church, and through him believe in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit?

Do you accept the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be, by the Holy Spirit, the unique and authoritative witness to Jesus Christ in the Church universal, and God's Word to you?

Do you sincerely receive and adopt the essential tenets of the Reformed faith as expressed in the confessions of our church as authentic and reliable expositions of what Scripture leads us to believe and do, and will you be instructed and led by those confessions as you lead the people of God?

Will you fulfill your ministry in obedience to Jesus Christ, under the authority of Scripture, and be continually guided by our confessions?

**Please stand, if able*

Will you be governed by our church's polity, and will you abide by its discipline? Will you be a friend among your colleagues in ministry, working with them, subject to the ordering of God's Word and Spirit?

Will you in your own life, seek to follow the Lord Jesus Christ, love your neighbors, and work for the reconciliation of the world?

Do you promise to further the peace, unity, and purity of the church?

Will you pray for and seek to serve the people with energy, intelligence, imagination, and love?

Will you be a faithful teaching elder, proclaiming the good news in Word and Sacrament, teaching faith and caring for people?

Will you be active in government and discipline, serving in the councils of the church; and in your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

Questions to the Members of Presbytery

Leader: Will you welcome Rev. Dr. Aaron Janklow as a member of the faith community of Peace River Presbytery?
Members: ***We will.***
Leader: Will you be his friend and colleague in ministry, getting to know him as a person and making yourself available to share in his joys and his sorrows?
Members: ***We will.***

Questions to the Congregation — ELDER TERESA DOANE

Leader: Do we, the members of the church, accept Rev. Dr. Aaron Janklow as our pastor, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation to guide us in the way of Jesus Christ?
People: ***We do.***
Leader: Do we agree to pray for him, encourage him, to respect his decisions, and to follow as he guides us, serving Jesus Christ who alone is Head of the Church?
People: ***We do.***
Leader: Do we promise to pay him fairly and provide for his welfare as he works among us; to stand by him in trouble and share his joys?
People: ***We do.***
Leader: Will we listen to the word he preaches, welcome his pastoral care, and honor his authority as he seeks to honor and obey Jesus Christ our Lord?
People: ***We do and we will.***

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer of Installation — REV. MELANA SCRUGGS
(all ordained teaching elders and ruling elders are invited to join the commission in the laying on of hands)

Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: ***And also with you.***
Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: ***It is right to give our thanks and praise.***
Leader: Let us pray…

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.

Declaration of Installation

Charge to the Newly Installed Pastor

Charge to the Congregation — REV. DR. RANDY MOODY

GOING FORTH

*Hymn of Commitment #363 ***Rejoice, the Lord Is King!*** DARWALL'S 148TH

1. Rejoice, the Lord is King! Your Lord and King adore!
   Rejoice, give thanks, and sing, and triumph evermore.
   Lift up your heart; lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!
2. Our Savior, Jesus, reigns, the God of truth and love;
   when he had purged our stains, he took his seat above.
   Lift up your heart; lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!
3. His kingdom cannot fail; he rules o'er earth and heaven;
   the keys of death and hell are to our Jesus given.
   Lift up your heart; lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!
4. Rejoice in glorious hope! For Christ, the Judge, shall come
   and gather all the saints to their eternal home.
   Lift up your heart; lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

*Charge and Benediction REV. DR. AARON JANKLOW

Postlude ***Now Thank We All Our God*** J. S. BACH, ARR. VIRGIL FOX

Dr. Brice Gerlach on the Julia Thompson Smith Memorial Pipe Organ

You are invited to a time of fellowship in Spencer Hall following the Installation Service.

Members of the Installation Commission include: Rev. Melana Scruggs, teaching elder, Executive Presbyter of the Peace River Presbytery; Rev. Dr. Randy Moody, Stated Clerk of the Peace River Presbytery; Elder Janice Croley, Moderator of the Peace River Presbytery; Rev. Winston Lawson, Peace River Presbytery; Elder Teresa Doane, Stated Clerk of the First Presbyterian Church of Naples, and Rev. Rex Childs, Associate Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Naples, with Rev. Dr. Brewster "Budge" Gere as a corresponding member.

Chancel Flowers – The chancel flowers have been given by the Pastor Nominating Committee: Cindy Esler, Jacque Foust, Jack Marsh, Cindy McCarthy, Marc Miller, Dorrit Nelson and Janet Yanusheski, in celebration of Rev. Dr. Aaron Janklow and his family, Laurel, Lyla and Hannah; and

by Melissa and Bill McClayton, in loving memory of Melissa's mother, Joan; and

by his family, in thanksgiving for Frank Kiningham's life.

Ushers – Pat Bailey (head usher), Dave Burgess, Heather Carelock, Audrey Smith and Doug Gibbons, Sarah Nichols, Ali Norris, Saralene Oldham, Kathi Webber

Greeters – Barbara Beach, Cindy Esler, Karen and Roy Parker, Betty Plum

Hospitality Table – Sunshine Circle

Prayer List

In an effort to keep the prayer list current, names will remain on the prayer list for four weeks, unless we are notified otherwise. If you wish for a name to be included, please contact the church office at fpc@fpcnaples.org.

Lindsay Hoover Boger
Becky Brooks
Corrin Clark
Jacquelyn Davis
Suzanne Dozios
Natalie Duff
Mike Ellis
*Robin Garber
The Halsne Family
*Fred Hertel
Lynn Hertel
Jill and Craig Holbrook
Chuck Hoover
*Mary Lou Hudtloff
Alice Hunt
*The Ingram Family
*David Koehler
Rick Krinnit
Aaron Malstrom
*Jack Marsh
Edison Martinez
Dean Matthews
James McDonald
Laura McGuire
Lynn Mier
Katherine Miller
Rita O'Brian
Dave Priatko
*Linda and John Rader
Pat and Gary Schneider
Teresa Shewmaker
*Mark Speake
Chuck Tenley
*Melinda Younkin
*Jo Ann and Neil Van Dyke
Valerie and Peter Walters
Andrew Winebrenner
Carole Wittemore
The U.S. Military
Stephen Ministers/Care Receivers
FPC Caregivers Support Group
All serving Missionaries
Central Presbyterian Reformed Church, Cuba

church member

Hospital Ministry – If you will be hospitalized or know of someone in the congregation who is, please contact Coordinator for Membership and Caring Ministries, Susan Pratt or the church office.

News & Events

Angel Tree – Look for our annual Angel Tree up in Spencer Hall! Stop by to select a tag and help brighten Christmas for children served by Misión Peniel. Gift ideas are in the November *Outreach*. New, unwrapped gifts are due back by Sunday, December 6.

Thanksgiving Service • November 26 – Join us for a service of thanks and praise at 11 a.m. in the Sanctuary. Following the service Nancy Van Fleet will lead a Path of Gratitude labyrinth walk.

Church Office Closed • November 26 & 27 – The church office will be closed on Thursday, November 26, and Friday, November 27, in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. Regular office hours will resume on Monday, November 30.

Hanging of the Greens • November 30
Join us on Monday, November 30 from 9 a.m. to noon to make our Sanctuary, Narthex and outdoors beautiful! You can sit and fluff bows, fluff the Christmas trees, hang garland either inside or outside and many other fun things. Sign up in Spencer Hall or contact Jeff Newman, Facilities Director, if you can help.

Guatemala Medical Mission • Departs December 5
Our next medical mission team leaves for Camotán, Guatemala on Saturday, December 5. As part of this trip, the team is hosting a special Christmas party to provide food, gifts, and holiday joy for every child in one of our mountain villages. The total cost to fund the celebration and gifts is approximately $7,000. You can help support this effort by donating through the church website at ***fpcnaples.org/give*** by selecting "TR Guatemala Missions." As always, thank you for your prayer and financial support of this important mission in Camotán. You can reach Mark Speake by email at ***markspeake58@gmail.com***.

A Season of Music: Chancel Choir Christmas Concert • December 6
Experience the hope, wonder, and joy of the Christmas season through cherished sacred music. Conducted by Dr. Brice Gerlach, our annual Christmas concert showcases the talent of the First Presbyterian Church of Naples Chancel Choir and soloists, accompanied by a professional chamber orchestra.

The program highlights choral anthems including John Rutter's *Candlelight Carol*, Daniel Kantor's *Night of Silence*, and Dan Forrest's arrangement of *Silent Night*, alongside traditional favorites and an audience sing-along of *O Come, All Ye Faithful*, *The First Noel*, and *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*. Admission is free; a freewill offering will be received.

Publications Submissions – Please send **all** Sunday bulletin and *Outreach* submissions to ***publications@fpcnaples.org*** rather than directly to staff. The bulletin deadline is Wednesday at noon, and the Outreach deadline is the 15th of the month.

Weekly Bible Studies

Women's Ministry Bible Study meets each Monday at 1 p.m. in the Parlor. We are currently studying 2 Corinthians. For more information, please contact Janeen McClure at ***jrmc@airmcclure.com***. ***There will be no meeting on November 23.***

HUDDLE: A Men's Bible Discussion Group – All men are invited and encouraged to bring their lunch and gather each Thursday at noon. We are studying the book of Romans. If you prefer to join us via Zoom instead, contact the church office for the link.

Preparing the Way, Adult Sunday School – Join Rev. Rex Childs Sunday mornings at 9 a.m. in the Chapel to explore the New Testament reading for that day's sermon. You can obtain the readings from our Thursday e-blast or by contacting the office.

Children, Youth and Young Adults

For information on any of the following gatherings, please contact Nancy Van Fleet or call 239.262.1311.

Our **Wiggle Room** is designed for parents with children ages 0-18 months. Located on the east side of the Sanctuary, this room is filled with a variety of toys and activities tailored for our youngest children. Parents can watch the service from inside this room - it's a welcoming space that ensures both parents and children can enjoy their time together.

Childcare is available for ages 18 months to VPK following Children's Time. Each Sunday includes a fun, interactive lesson on the day's scripture, along with prayer opportunities. Pickup is on the second floor of the Mase Education Building after the service.

Kidz Lab is our vibrant Sunday school program for children in grades K through 6. Here, children engage with the same scripture their parents explore during the church service, creating meaningful opportunities for family conversations and reflections. We gather on the 2nd floor of the Mase Education Building, following the Children's Time, and pickup is in Spencer Hall after service.

Family Newsletter Spotlight – Each week, we send out a family newsletter to keep our families informed of events and activities happening at FPC Naples for our children and youth. Want to be part of the fun? Email Nancy Van Fleet to join the mailing list.

Young Adult Group • November 22 – Meets the 4th Sunday of the month at 12 p.m. in the Youth Room or via Zoom. Join us to explore faith, relationships, and life balance, and learn about our annual Unplugged Retreat. Contact Nancy Van Fleet for details.

Youth Group • December 9 – We will meet next on Wednesday, December 9. We will not be meeting on November 25 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Giving Opportunities

Palms Society G.R.O.W. Party • November 29 & December 6 – The Palms Society invites you to participate in our G.R.O.W. (Get Rid Of Wovens) event. Please bring donations of baskets, linens, clothing, or other woven items suitable for Christmas gifts to Spencer Hall on Sunday, November 29. Then, join us on Sunday, December 6, in Spencer Hall for the G.R.O.W. Party to browse and shop! Items will not be priced; all items are available for a donation of your choice. Sharing is caring!

If you would like more information about the Palms Society or to become a member, please contact Amy Manley at 239.272.6821 or Linda Gadkowski at 508.292.5500.

Staff Listing

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Please fill out the form below and return it with payment to the church office (note **Poinsettia Dedication** on check memo). The cost is **$25 per poinsettia**. All orders must be received no later than **Sunday, December 6**. Please use one form per dedication.

Dedications and additional forms may also be submitted online at ***fpcnaples.org/poinsettia***, or look for "Forms & Sign-Ups" at the bottom of our website homepage.

Please PRINT CLEARLY the information you would like to appear in the dedication:

In memory of _____

In honor of _____

Given by _____

Your name _____ Phone _____

A list of dedications will appear in the Christmas Eve bulletins. You may pick up your poinsettia following the 7 p.m. service on Christmas Eve.