

Introit and its Meaning: Part Two, Jonathan Korpi

May 6, 2022

After the Protestant Reformation the role of the introit had shifted. It is still part of the liturgy in many protestant churches but does not serve the same role. As it was sung by the choirs and possibly congregants in the Roman Catholic Mass it is still an essential part of our Protestant liturgy. For Anglicans/Episcopalians and Presbyterians the introit is done as a short choral piece to either introduce a new hymn or give an introduction to the theme or feel of the service. As one music director stated, "My choir sings on almost every week during the program year, and I love how they highlight a service theme and set the mood." Here at First Presbyterian Church of Lapeer our choir will continue the tradition of the introit to set that mood of the service or season that we are in. At times some introits will be one with both choir and congregation so that we come together as one community and sing a joyful noise.

Deacons Sub Sale: Sunday May 22, 2022

Deacons are having a May sub sale on Sunday, May 22nd. Sign up sheet will be on the bulletin board starting Sunday May 8th thru Thursday May 19th. You will pick up your subs after service on Sunday May 22nd. Get your subs now for a picnic after service on May 22nd!

Church Staff	
Pastor TBD	Faith Nurse Linda Hamilton
Office Admin. Linda Warren	Music Director Jonathan Korpi
Custodian Team Work of Lapeer,	Organist Katherine Nold

Please Pray For...

Gordon Riewe
Joe Adamson (Shirley Adamson's son)
Denise Turonek (friend of Kim Herderich)
Sharon Walker
Family of Rudi Tucker
Al and Betty Hart
Tom Kimball
Lincoln Jeffers (Shirley Adamson's nephew)
Bob Barber
Gary Robertson (Carol Lenneman's brother)
Cheryl Cattane (Nancy Sieting's sister)
Alan Bouren (Friend of Linda Warren)
Vera Grayhek



May Birthdays

1 Norma Dorland
 5 Phyllis Dickie
 6 TJ Craven
 8 McKenna Wnuk
 10 Margaret Poole
 11 Justine Speer
 13 Nancy Sieting
 14 Michaela Mosher
 15 Deanne McLeod
 16 Dee Hourtienne
 Robert Rowden
 21 Lee Pagel
 26 Charles Hale
 Wanda Knapp
 29 Cora Jamison
 31 D'Andrea Stinson



Joe Walker is a new member of our church. He would like to let people know he will clean families head stones. Contact the office if you are interested.

Card Ministry:

The Card Ministry will be meeting the first Tuesday of every month from 10:00 AM—12:00 PM in the Dining Room. We repurpose used cards and place them in the spinner rack in the Association Room to purchase. Proceeds from the cards go to the Presbyterian Women's Association. At this time we are unable to accept any more used cards. We appreciate all the cards that have been donated. We will post a notice when we need more.

Need a card for a special occasion? Please check out the spinner for Graduation and Father's Day cards, cost is 50 cents a card. These cards are beautiful and made by volunteers from our church. Thank you for your continued support of this ministry.

Brown Baggers:

On Wednesday May 11th, at 11:30 AM Brown Baggers will have guest speaker Chris Tuski. Chris is a candidate for State Representative for the new 67th House District. Please mark your calendars for this event.

Memorial: Rudi Tucker

On Saturday, May 14th there will be a memorial for Rudi Tucker at 11:00 AM at First Presbyterian Church. A luncheon will follow after the service.

Memorials:

In loving Memory of Frances Darragh
 Barbara Skirmants



Making Connections

Church Hours: M-F, 10am-2pm

Pews News Deadline: If you want your news item in Pews News, please submit your info the Wednesday before the next issue.

Going Deeper: To learn about becoming a Christian or a member here, please contact our office.

Per Capita 2022: \$29.00

Attendance:
 04-24-2022 54 Adults/ 0 children
 05-01-2022 62 Adults/ 3 children

Session & Committees

Bob Rowden (Finance)
Bob Rowden (Missions)
Sharon Galbreath (Worship)
Linda Hamilton (Health Min)
Kathryn Lawter (House)
Mike Mosher (House)
CJ Merriman (Session Clerk)
Barbara Dick (Personnel)
Barbara Skirmants (Finance)
TJ Craven (Christian Ed.)
Lauren Emmons (Christian Ed)

Deacons

Chris Dungey (secretary)
Toni Emmons
Margaret Fansler (referrals)
Deb Moore
Darlene Placeway
Carol Jaeger
Francis Pitts
Nancy Pitts

Other Ministry Leaders

Scott Bodell (Ushers)
Dennis Galbreath (Ushers)
Cletis Klaffer-Brown Baggers
Carol Jaeger (Pres. Women)
Co Moderators (Faith Circle)