



WORSHIP

Chapel

October 12, 2025 – Indigenous Peoples' Sunday

GATHERING SONG – HYMN #479

Ho, All Who Thirst

JACOB'S WELL

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

WORDS BEFORE ALL ELSE

Rev. Amy Heinrich

SONGS OF PRAISE

Holy Spirit

Katie & Bryan Torwalt

CONFESSION OF SIN (with “River” by Leon Bridges)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

SONG OF RESPONSE

River

Leon Bridges

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST AND BLESSING THE CHILDREN

Alex Barnes, M.Div.

As the congregation greets one another, children are invited to join our Sunday School teachers and depart for Sunday School.

MOMENT FOR MISSION

Rev. Maricela Gonzales Rubio and Carmen Lago (interpreter)

ENCOUNTER WITH THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Elder Dan Brame

SCRIPTURE READING

John 4:5-42 (First Nations Translation)

HYMN #479

Ho, All Who Thirst

JACOB'S WELL

SERMON

The River of Life Flows Within

Rev. Amy Heinrich

THE RESPONSE

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – *Land Acknowledgement Statement* (with “Ancestral Home” by R. Carlos Nakai)

OFFERING OUR LIVES AND RESOURCES

OFFERTORY SONG

The River of Dreams

Billy Joel

TABLE TALK

MOMENT FOR MINISTRY – Stewardship

Session Elder Carol Braunschweig

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & LORD'S PRAYER

THE SENDING

SONG OF SENDING

Build My Life

Yunker, Martin, Kaple, Redman, & Barrett

CHARGE AND BLESSING

CLOSING MUSIC - HYMN #543

*God, Be the Love to Search and Keep Me (v. 5)
(O Christ, Surround Me)*

GREEN TYLER

IN MINISTRY TOGETHER

Ministers	The Congregation
Officers	The Session and the Board of Deacons
Pastor	The Rev. Dr. Brian R. Paulson (<i>in Sanctuary today</i>)
Associate Pastor	The Rev. Amy Heinrich
Associate Pastor	The Rev. Nicole Chapman-Farley (<i>in Sanctuary today</i>)
Pastoral Resident	Alex Barnes, M.Div.
Music, Department Head	Gloria Song

A complete list of our staff team is found at FirstPresLibertyville.org



Community Notes

Church Calendar: www.firstpreslibertyville.org/calendar

Parish Life Newsletter: www.firstpreslibertyvill.org

Today - Indigenous Peoples Sunday

- 10:00 AM Worship in the Chapel & Sanctuary
- 10:15 AM Sunday School PreK-5th Grade
- 11:00 AM Social Hour (Social Hall & Courtyard)
- 11:15 AM Cuba Conversation with Pastora Maricela (Chapel)
- 12:15 PM First -Third Friends
- 4:00 PM JHF & SHF Barn Bash (Offsite)

Next Sunday

- 10:00 AM Worship in the Chapel & Sanctuary
- 10:15 AM Sunday School PreK-8th Grade
- 11:00 AM Fall Fest Social Hour (Social Hall & Courtyard)
- 4:00 PM Junior High Fellowship (Youth Lounge & Social Hall)
- 6:00 PM Love Every Neighbor (Fellowship Hall)

Flower dedication: The flowers today are in both worship spaces are placed to the glory of God by Elyse and Andy Danckers with gratitude to this loving congregation for all the compassionate support upon Elyse's dad's passing.

UPCOMING

- Combined Committee Meetings (Oct. 14)
- Mobile Food Pantry Volunteering (Oct. 18)
- Women's Fall Retreat (Oct. 18)
- Love Every Neighbor (Oct. 19)
- Inquirers Class (Nov. 9)
- Men's Overnight Retreat (Nov. 21-22)