

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

Rev. Bill Jokela

OFFERTORY

“Trio”

Josef Rheinberger

*RESPONSE #428

“We Give Thee But Thine Own” (Verse 1)

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS FOR OUR LOVED ONES AND THE WORLD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Bill Jokela

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(Using “forgive us our sins as we have forgiven those who have sinned against us.”)*

HOLY COMMUNION WITH OUR LORD AND SAVIOR

We are one family of faith in Christ Jesus. Please wait until the Pastor invites you to eat the bread and drink the wine so that the act of communing with our Lord and Savior may be expressed not only in faith, but together in action. Thank you.

COMMUNION PRAYER

Dr. Looker

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

Dr. Looker

POSTLUDE

“Batalha de 60 Tom”

Antonio Correa Braga

The Rev. Dr. Chris Looker, Pastor

The Rev. William Jokela, Parish Associate

Mr. Felipe Dominguez, Guest Organist and Choir Director

Ms. Stella Lee, Director of Family Ministries

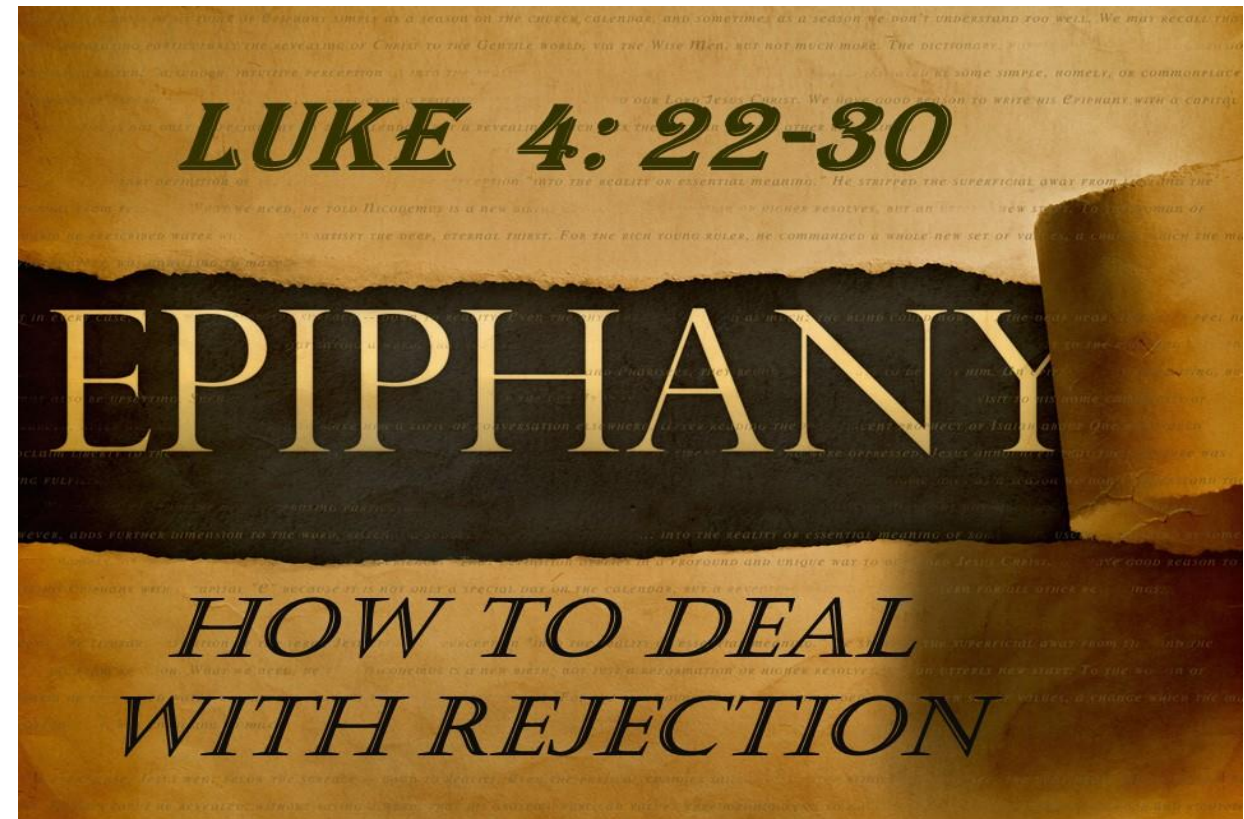
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SERVICE OF THE HOLY COMMUNION

February 3, 2019

The First Presbyterian Church of Annandale, Virginia

“The Mission of FPCA is to Equip People to be Better

Disciples for Christ”

THE SERVICE OF WORSHIP

February 3, 2019
10:00 am

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please let us know if you have any Prayer Requests by using the Prayer Request Cards in the pew racks. Simply fill them out and place them in the Offering Plates during the offering. Before the Pastoral Prayer your requests will be shared with the congregation. Thank you.

A TIME OF COMING TOGETHER

* Denotes times in the service when the congregation is invited to stand.

PRELUDE "Tiento" Estancio Lacerna

WELCOME TO THE CHILDREN Dr. Chris Looker

*OPENING PSALTER #175 "Psalm 23: The Lord's My Shepherd"

OPENING PRAYER Liturgist

A TIME OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION Liturgist

Leader: Let us pause for a moment to silently confess our sins to God.

(Moment of Silent Prayer)

Leader: Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON FOR EPIPHANY # 69 "O Morning Star"
(Verse 2)

*SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE Liturgist

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

*HYMN #281 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

READING AND HEARING THE WORD

ANTHEM

"Ave Verum Corpus"

The FPCA Choir

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON

New Testament Lesson: Luke 4:22-30 (New International Version)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

MEDITATION:

"HOW TO DEAL WITH REJECTION"

Dr. Chris Looker, Preaching

OUR RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

*PROFESSION OF FAITH A Brief Statement of Faith Dr. Looker
(Book of Confessions: 10.3)

Pastor: Let us say what we believe.

All: ***We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father. In sovereign love God created the world good and makes everyone equally in God's image, male and female, of every race and people, to live as one community. But we rebel against God; we hide from our Creator. Ignoring God's commandments, we violate the image of God in others and ourselves, accept lies as truth, exploit neighbor and nature, and threaten death to the planet entrusted to our care. We deserve God's condemnation. Yet God acts with justice and mercy to redeem creation. In everlasting love, the God of Abraham and Sarah chose a covenant people to bless all families of the earth. Hearing their cry, God delivered the children of Israel from the house of bondage. Loving us still, God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant. Like a mother who will not forsake her nursing child, like a father who runs to welcome the prodigal home, God is faithful still.***