

November 22, 2026

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Prelude

Welcome Reverend Ed Hoener

Call To Worship:

Jesus, you are the redeemer in heaven and on earth! **We lift up our hearts to you**. We rely on your Spirit's power for our transformation, and for the world's as well. **You are the incarnation of God's will, for us and for all creation.** Your grace makes it possible for us to love and serve our neighbor. **Your presence accompanies us and gives us strength to follow.**

Hymn of Praise #267** ***Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Call to Reconciliation

Prayer of Reconciliation:

O God, you love us deeply and unconditionally, just as we are. Yet your love desires nothing more than our growth in faith and faithfulness. Forgive us when we stray from your path. Restore our souls, and renew our strength, so we can walk in your ways. Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Grace:

In steadfast love, God heals us and supports our efforts to follow Jesus. **With God's love and grace, we have all that we need to do so.**

Response of Praise #698** ***Take, O Take Me as I Am

Sharing the Peace of Christ:

Christ comes to us, bestowing grace and peace. **The Spirit kindles the fire of God's love in our hearts.** We are called to share these gifts with everyone! May the peace of Christ be with you! **And also with you!**

Ministry of Music

Scripture Reading

Revelation 1:4-8

Message Pastor Ed

Hymn of Faith #749** ***Come! Live in the Light!

Celebrating Passion Enterprises

Sharing what God has done in each other's lives is a source of encouragement, and reminds us that faith, and prayer and grace are at work! Please come to the lectern and share your testimony so that everyone may see and hear.

Prayer Requests

Please come forward to share your request so all may hear.

*If you can stand comfortably, please do so.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer:

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.

Call to Offering

Offering Song #710** ***We are an Offering

We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to You, we are an offering. Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands, Lord, use our lives, they are Yours, we are an offering. All that we have, all that we are, all that we hope to be, we give to You, we give to You. We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to You, we are an offering, we are an offering.

***Prayer of Dedication**

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Hymn of Response #741 ***Guide My Feet***

Charge and Blessing

Postlude

*If you can stand comfortably, please do so.

Announcements

Thank you to Sara Pender and Cheryl Anne Cammann for running the projector & camera for today's service!

Join our Worship Support Team! For more information; ask the pastor or the technicians or call the church office.

Orban Family Remembrance

As we enter this week of Thanksgiving, we would like to extend a special 'thank you' to Ray Montanari, and also Kevin and Daniel, for a generous donation made to our church in remembrance of the Orban family: John, Ruth, Jean, and Susan. Let us remember them with gratitude and in prayer.

A Generous Offer From a Neighbor: Juice Hub

Juice Hub is a scratch-made juice and smoothie bar at 1555 Main St in Rahway. Everything is made in-house: fresh-pressed juices, smoothies sweetened only with dates (no syrups or added sugar), acai and pitaya bowls with house-made granola, parfaits, avocado toast, and wellness shots. Please enjoy 15% off your first order on the Juice Hub app with code JH15 (flyer on last page).

Chair Yoga Sessions: Remaining 2026 Dates

November:
Tues*. 11/24 - 9:00am*

December (No Thursday evening sessions):
Tues. 12/1 - 9:00am
Tues. 12/8 - 9:00am
Tues. 12/14 - 9:00am
Tues. 12/21 - 9:00am
Tues. 12/28 - 9:00am

Online Donations

PRAYER PERSONS OF THE WEEK

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PRAYER REQUESTS

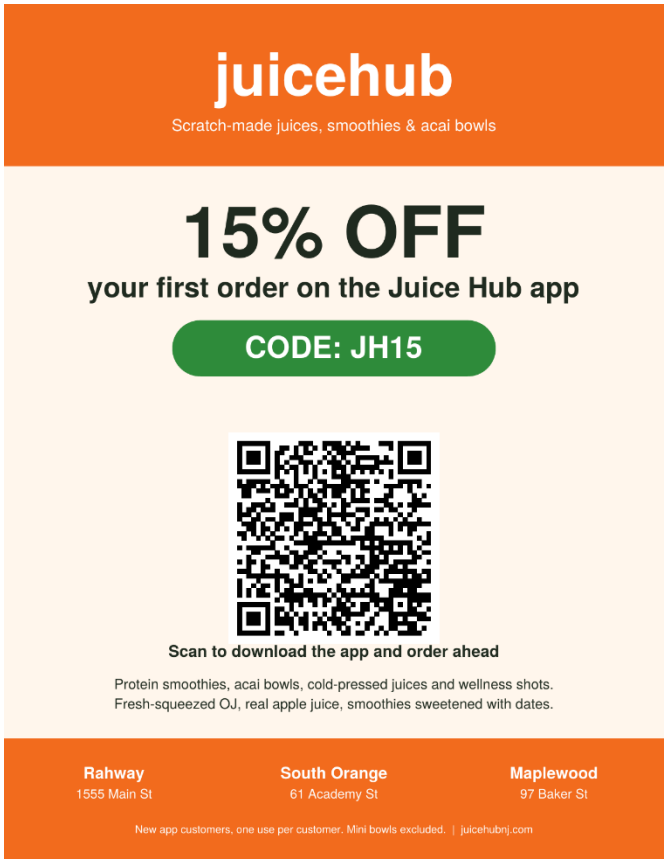
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The First Presbyterian Church of Rahway
1731 Church Street

November 22, 2026	10:30 A.M.
Rev. Ed Hoener	Pastor
Kennedy Nyambi	Worship Leader
Carol Ann Bregman	Administrator
Evan O'Donovan	Music Director


Union Street
RESOURCE CENTER
Community Garden
December
FREE EVENTS
10:00 am - 11:00 am
FREE
December 12
HARVESTING FALL CROPS, CRAFT PROJECT
December 19
PLANNING FOR SPRING; WINTERIZING GARDEN BEDS
All are invited, adults and children.
RSVP is optional.
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office@1stpresrahway.org


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DATE
13 DECEMBER
11:30 AM
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TIME
Buffet with authentic holiday flavors
Seasonal delights, hot drinks, and juices
Warm atmosphere and Christmas music
Session will be hosting the event. If you would like to
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