

Assemble in God's Name

Prelude

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Ring of the Church Bell Welcome

Read Vision Statement

God's timeless love transforms each of us to joyously continue the ministry of Jesus Christ in our community and in our world.

Call to Worship

L: Jesus said: You are the light of the world.

P: Let our light shine, giving glory to God.

L: Do all things for the sake of the gospel.

P: So may we share in the blessings of God.

L: He called out: Whom shall I send?

P: I answered: Here I am; send me.

Prayer of Invocation

We are, all of us, wonderfully made. Young or old, weak or strong, we are able to both receive and give love, to be blessed and be a blessing, to be singers of the angels' song and point to the one who gives us life. We are, all of us, wonderfully made. Thank You, Creator God, who loves each one. Amen.

***Hymn #263 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"**

*Call to Confession

Our hearts long for God, and we know we fall short of God's glory, so let us now confess to God the ways we have individually and collectively fallen short of God's Grace. Please pray with me...

*Prayer of Confession

My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against You whom I should love above all things. I firmly intend, with Your help, to sin no more, and to avoid whatever leads me to sin.

*Time for Silent Prayers of Confession

*Assurance of Pardon

Our good news is this: *The steadfast love of God never ceases. God's mercies never come to an end. They are new every morning. Great is God's faithfulness.* (Lamentations 3:22-23)

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

*Response Hymn #582 "Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me"

1 Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me, and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me, and to the Spirit, whose life has set me free. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

2 World without end, without end. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

*Share the Peace of Christ with One Another

Proclaim God's Word

Anthem

"Psalm 95"

Chancel Choir

Special Presentation by the Deacons: Julie Rienstra

***Hymn #300**

"They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love"

***Affirmation of Faith:** The Apostles' Creed (Page 35 in Hymnal)

Announcements, Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Give Thanks to God

God's Tithes and Your Offering Received

Offertory

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*Responsive Hymn #647 "Give Thanks"

1 Give thanks with a grateful heart; give thanks to the Holy One; give thanks because we're given Jesus Christ, the Son.

2 And now let the weak say, "We are strong"; let the poor say, "We are rich because of what the Lord has done for us!" Give thanks. Give thanks.

*Offertory Prayer

God, as we lay before You our financial offering, we give You all that we are and everything that You have entrusted to us. Come bless these gifts for the sake of Your Kingdom and glory. Amen.

***Hymn #462**

"I Love to Tell the Story"

*Benediction

*Postlude

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*Please stand in body or spirit.

Bible Study ~ We have two weekly Bible studies on Wednesdays. At 7 am we read and study the Old Testament (Joshua) and at 2 pm, the New Testament (Mark). All are welcome!

Imagination Library ~ Are you an "Imagination Angel"?! It only takes \$30 to bless a child for one year with the gift of reading. You can mail donations to First Presbyterian Church, PO Box 444, RWF, MN or give online at <https://donate.imaginationlibrary.com/> (make sure to designate Redwood Area to receive your donation).

Checks should be written to: First Presbyterian Church with "Imagination Library" in the memo line. Thank you!

Supplies Needed ~ We are planning another Urban Plunge to the inner city of Omaha so we will be collecting soap, shampoo, conditioner, wash clothes, toothpaste, tooth brushes, deodorant, razors/shaving cream, combs, and band aids to make up care kits. We also bring gently used coats, socks, mittens and scarves.

Weekend Food Bags ~ We are seeking donations of snacks and treats for the Weekend Food Bags! Pre-packaged items like; Ramen noodles, rice crispy bars, granola bars, small candy treats, popcorn or crackers. This is an ongoing project, so we ask that you think about this project as you are shopping throughout the year.

Turkey Dinner ~ The Turkey Dinner will be on Wednesday, November 9, from 4:30-7 pm, at the Community Center. Tickets will be \$12 for adults and \$7 for kids, and are available in the church office.

Please pray for the mission team going to Omaha on November 18-20th: Connie Bentson, Henry Bentson, Liza Bentson, Max Bentson, Mike Bentson, Faith Bruns, Scott Goodyear, Elliot Klavetter, Stephanie Klavetter, A.J. Miller, Lauren Miller, Tony Miller, Pastor Scott Prouty, and Claire Stephens.

October Ushers: Head Usher Nathan Stephens, Val & Blake Stephens, Brian & Steph Klavetter, Donavon Sharpe, Rick Hauge

November Communion Servers: Ruling Elder Nancy Miller, Nathan Stephens, Laura Kohler, Scott Kohler, Dave Danielson, Becky Bruns, Shari Fuhr

Deacon of the Month: Julie Fiala

Today's Greeters: Rick Hauge, Doreen Steenblock

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October 30, 2022

Ministers: The members of the congregation

Pastor: Rev. Scott Prouty



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Pray for The Following

Pray for Members of our Church Family that have recently been hospitalized: Kevin McKay

Pray for the unchurched and lonely.

Pray for people living in our communities, the disenfranchised and people in other countries.

Pray for those who are having financial or marital difficulties.

Pray for those grieving the loss of a loved one.

Pray for our leaders at the city, county, state and national level and all military personnel.

Pray for those in need of food, medicine and shelter.

Pray for our church leaders and teachers.

Pray for our local, national, world political leaders.

Birthdays: Today - Scott Goodyear, Donna Potter, 31st - Cassy Sharpe,

November 1st - Diane Cronen, Reagan Prouty, 3rd - Sarah Jacobson,

4th - Nathan Stephens, Gene Becklund, 5th - Matthew Oja

Anniversaries: November 3rd - Donna & Roger Potter

Members of our Church Family in Hospice Care: Dorothy Symes, Jeanette Kotval

Members of our Church Family in Nursing Homes, Assisted Living or Other Facilities:

Millie Bunting, Bob & Bunny Nolting, Lucille Byram

All Those Fighting Cancer: Sharon King, Ralph Revier, Julie Fiala's sister; Jill Nelson

If you know of something/someone to add to the Prayer List, please contact the church office.

Looking at the Week Ahead

Sunday, October 30:

9:00 am: Sunday School

9:15 am: Choir Practice

10:15 am: Worship

Tuesday, November 1:

11:00 am: Pastor Scott visits Millie Bunting

11:30 am: Pastor Scott visits Bob Nolting

2:00 pm: Pastor Scott visits Dorothy Symes & Bunny Nolting

3:00 pm: Pastor Scott visits Sally Dording

4:00 pm: Pastor Scott visits Ralph Revier

6:30 pm: Stewardship Committee Meeting

Wednesday, November 2:

7-8:00 am: New Testament Bible Study

9:00 am: Piecemakers

2:00 pm: Old Testament Bible Study

3:00 pm: Pastor Scott visits Richard & Diane Aakre

3:45 pm: Youth Club

4:15 pm: Pastor Scott visits John & Sue Tiffany

5:45 pm: Meal - Served by the Stephens Family

6:00 pm: Youth Faith in Action

Thursday, November 3:

9:00 am: Pastor Scott Leadership Meeting in Willmar

4:00 pm: Pastor Scott Meeting in Amboy

Sunday, November 6:

9:00 am: Sunday School

9:15 am: Choir Practice

10:15 am: Worship - Holy Communion

Following Worship: Packing Weekend Food Bags (Miller Family)

November 7-14: Pastor Scott will be out of the office. Rev. Pamela Prouty will be on call in case of any pastoral emergencies.

Our Sunday morning service is on our local channels...

Nuvera (Channel 3), Media-Com (Channel 8): Mondays at 10 am, Wednesdays at 7 pm!