

Assemble in God's Name

Prelude **Ringling 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: Come, feel the peace of God's presence in this Holy place

P: We enter as God's children with hearts filled with thanksgiving.

L: The Lord is good, and His love endures forever.

P: Made in His image, He calls us by name.

L: With hands open, shout with joy to our Lord.

P: Joyfully, we raise our voices in praise.

All: "Holy, Holy Lord God Almighty"!

***Unison Prayer of Invocation**

May Psalm 100 be our source of praise and adoration on this holy day. In Your presence, O God, may we lift our hearts in thanksgiving. Steady our hearts, quiet our worries, and draw us into the joy of Your steadfast love. Come, Holy Spirit—gather us, guide us, and receive our worship. Amen.

***Hymn #14 "For the Beauty"**

***Call to Confession**

Brothers and sisters in Christ, approach the throne of grace, do not be afraid, for God knows our hearts are troubled, please pray with me confessing our faults and failings to God.

***Unison Prayer of Confession**

God of Compassion and Mercy, we come with troubled hearts full of despair, like lost sheep without a shepherd. We wandered astray and blindly followed the wrong path. Lord, our shepherd, be our guide to the path of righteousness, make our crooked paths straight. Like sheep, our lives are dependent upon Your guiding hand, for thy rod and thy staff comfort us. In silence, we come before You, as we listen and wait to hear Your voice.

***Time for Silent Prayers of Confession**

***Assurance of Pardon**

L: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

P: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

***Response: #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

Unison Prayer of Illumination

Prepare our hearts, O God, to accept Your Word. Quiet within us every voice but Your own, so that we may hear every Word and live it, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Responsive Reading: Psalm 100 NIV (read responsively)

L: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

P: Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.

L: Know that the Lord is God.

P: It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, the sheep of his pasture.

L: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.

P: For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations.

Scripture Reading: Matthew 9:35-10:8 NIV (read responsively)

L: Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness.

P: When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.

L: Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

P: Jesus called his twelve disciples to him and gave them authority to drive out impure spirits and to heal every disease and sickness.

L: These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon (who is called Peter) and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Zealot and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions:

P: "Do not go among the Gentiles or enter any town of the Samaritans. Go rather to the lost sheep of Israel.

L: As you go, proclaim this message:

P: 'The kingdom of heaven has come near.' Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons.

L: Freely you have received; freely give.

L: The gospel of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God!

Sermon *"The Sending"*
*Hymn #450 *"Be Thou My Vision"*
*The Apostle's Creed: (page 35 in hymnal)

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Announcements, Sharing of Joys and Concerns

The Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

L: Loving God, let Your light shine where voices have been silenced by war.

P: Lord, make us instruments of Your peace, where there is hatred, let us sow love.

L: God of hope, reveal in Your presence to those who suffer and grieve as words of hate and anger fill their world.

P: May our lives be an example of faith and love.

L: God of healing, touch those lives that experience pain and suffering, may they feel comfort and strength through Your grace.

P: God of refuge and strength, we lift those in our midst and those upon our hearts that they feel Your healing touch.

L: We pray for our friends, families, and communities that You shepherd through this week through any trials that we may face.

P: The Lord our God is in our midst, we rest within His arms.

L: Holy God, we come as Your children, ready to go out into this world to serve, to teach and build Your church of all nations.

P: Here I am Lord, lead me and I will hold Your people in my heart.

L: As Jesus taught His disciples saying:

P: 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.

Give Thanks to God

Call for the Offering

With open hearts and open hands, we let go of the things that possess us, we offer our gifts to God, and we dedicate our lives in service to Jesus Christ. Freely we have received, now freely let us give.

God's Tithes and Your Offering Received Offertory

*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.

First Presbyterian Church of Redwood Falls

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***Unison Offertory Prayer**

Heavenly Provider, we thank You for morning sunrises that bring us hope and light with promises of a new day. May these gifts be a small token of our gratefulness that we may share with those whose lives may be touched by Your grace and mercy in meaningful ways. Open doors to new mission projects, feed the hungry, clothe the naked and provide spiritual nourishment to the lost and gone astray. Thank You for Your abundant blessings, we are thankful for the opportunity to share those blessings with others. Amen.

***Hymn #513** *“Let us Break Bread Together”*

The Service of Holy Communion

Invitation to the Lord’s Table

Great Thanksgiving

L: The Lord be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts.

P: We lift them to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

P: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

L: Holy God, You have called us to this holy place, where You have fed us with Your Word and filled us with Your Spirit. When we were faithless, Your love never failed.

P: We thank You, we praise You, we glorify You.

L: Holy One, thank You for Jesus Christ, the lamb who took away our sin, the shepherd who leads us in the truth and life.

P: We thank You, we praise You, we glorify You.

L: We thank You for the power of the Holy Spirit, You make us one in the bread and cup we share, one in the body of Christ, one in that great cloud of witnesses, one in the church in every place.

P: We thank You, we praise You, we glorify You.

L: We lift our praise O Lord, joining with the choirs of angels singing praises.

P: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Breaking of the Bread and Communion of the People

Unison Prayer after Communion

Holy God, we thank You, we praise, we glorify You, for You have fed us with Your Word and filled us with Your Spirit. Send us out to show and tell the love of Jesus Christ to a hungry, thirsty world. Amen.

***Hymn #525** *“Here I am Lord”*

***Benediction**

L: Go out filled with compassion carrying the mercy of Christ to every place you walk and let kindness be the pattern of your days and grace the language of your life.

P: May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all. Amen.

***Postlude**

**Please stand in body or spirit.*

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The Choices Pregnancy Center Baby Bottle Campaign ~ There is still time to support The Choices Pregnancy Center through their annual Baby Bottle Campaign! This is a wonderful opportunity to make a difference in so many lives. **Pick up a baby bottle from the back of the sanctuary today. Fill it with spare change, cash, or a check over the next few weeks. Return the filled bottle to the church by June 21!** Your generous contributions will help provide life-affirming services, education, and support for families in our community. Together we can make a BIG impact!

Meals on Wheels ~ The Deacons are in charge of Meals on Wheels deliveries in June and need your help! There is a signup sheet in the Narthex. Please help where you can!

Friendship Dinner ~ The next friendship dinner is today, **AT 5:00 PM**, (note the time change). Everyone is welcome!

Fly-In Breakfast ~ Rotary invites you to their annual Fly-In Breakfast on June 28. Tickets are available in advance from any Rotarian. FPC Rotarians: Mark Oja, Nathan Stephens & Michael Joldersma.

June Ushers: Head Usher: Dorie Oja

Ushers: Julie Fiala, Gene & Becky Schultz, Lonnie, Jennifer & Jaqueline Quackenbush

June Communion Servers (June 14): Head Server: Sonya Alexander

Michael Joldersma, Julie Fiala, Julie Rienstra, Dan Tiffany, Dorie Oja, Mike Bentson

June Deacon of the Month: Nancy Miller

Today’s Greeters: Tony & Molly Miller

June Money Counters: Michael Joldersma & Becky Schultz

Pray for The Following

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 local, national, world political leaders.

June Birthdays: Today: Shannon Sweetman, 16th: Adrienne Danielson, Leroy Toomer, 18th: Dave Gertsema, Liam Wheilihan, 20th: Andy Juell

June Anniversaries: Today: Dave & Adrienne Danielson, 15th: Mike & Julia Salmon, 16th: Donovan & Cassy Sharpe, 18th: Larry & Sue Wessels, 19th: Matt & Kimary Tiffany

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

Bunny Nolting, Lois Tiffany, Marlys Verdoes

Merlin Goudy - St. Cloud Veteran's Center receiving hospice care

Merlin Goudy - Unit 49-1 Rm 160

St. Cloud VA Medical Center

4801 Veterans Dr

St. Cloud MN 56303

Phone: 320-202-2602

All Those Fighting Cancer: *Gerry Hess, Jim Curtis, Shayla Shaw, Sally Sisk - Julie Fiala's Sister*

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

Calendar of Events ~ Looking at the Weeks Ahead

Sunday, June 14: 10:15 am: Worship with Holy Communion - Sue Goebel

5:00: Friendship Dinner (note time change)

Wednesday, June 17: 8:00 am: Bible Study

9:00 am: Piecemakers

3:00 pm: Bible Study

Thursday, June 18: **Office Closed**

Friday, June 19: **Office Closed - Juneteenth**

Sunday, June 21: 10:15 am: Quentin Markfort

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

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