

First Presbyterian Church

Rev. Scott McGinnis, Pastor
Kelli Glann, Organist
Vada Snider, Choir Director/Flute
Karen Loucks, Piano

10:30 a.m. ~ February 20, 2022

PH = The Presbyterian Hymnal LUYH = Lift Up Your Hearts Songbook
***Congregation invited to stand, if able.**

PRELUDE Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE Welcome, Announcements, Guests,
Prayer Requests

***CALL TO WORSHIP (Read in unison)**

Father in heaven, we thank You for everyone gathered here today. You know each of us by name and have caused us to walk with You. We ask that You would fill our conversations today with Your grace and wisdom. We ask that You would fill us with Your Holy Spirit. We ask that You would inspire our hearts today. All this we ask for our good and Your glory. In Jesus name, amen.

***LORD'S PRAYER (Pray in unison)**

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

***HYMN** Holy, Holy, Holy **PH#138**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

(Recite in unison)

Lord God, Almighty and everlasting Father, You have brought us in safety to this new day: Preserve us with Your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin, nor be overcome by adversity; and in all we do direct us to the fulfilling of Your purpose; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***CHORAL REPONSE** Gloria Patri **PH#579**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost! As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end, Amen, Amen!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Mary McGehee
(After Children's Message, children 2 years through 2nd grade are welcomed to join Lil' Worship Warriors downstairs.)

SPECIAL MUSIC Praise, I Will Praise You, Lord Fraysse/Bergese
Choir Ensemble

SCRIPTURE Revelation 5:6-11 (NIV) Sandy Larson
Leader: This is the Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

MESSAGE The Hope of Jesus' Return Pastor Scott McGinnis
The Lamb Who Overcomes

***HYMN** God of the Sparrow **PH#272**

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE Praise to the Lord

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS (Please place your offering in the offering plates located at the back of the sanctuary)

Today @NFPC

9:15 am: Sunday School for all ages
During Worship: Lil' Worship Warriors

Worship Team

Greeter: Kay Enz
Ushers: David, Judy and Jamie Welfelt
Lay Reader: Sandy Larson
Live Stream: Larry Trussell
Audio: Steve Tangeman

This Week @NFPC

Tuesday, February 22nd
1:00 – 3:00 pm: P.E.O. Chapter AG in FH
Wednesday, February 23rd
10:00 am: Audiobook Club in Common Ground
7:00 pm: PEF Meeting

***The Salvation Army is in need of the following items:

Soups: both condensed and ready to eat, pasta sauce, canned corn,
Hamburger Helper, Tuna Helper and Laundry soaps. ****

150 Years Old

Starting today it will 150 days (21 Sundays) before our celebration on July 10, 2022 of our 150th BIRTHDAY!! Each Sunday starting today there will be something to look forward too. You might be asked to participate or just sit back and watch, but it should be a fun 21 Sundays until we have our Birthday celebration. Inside your bulletin there is a bookmark with all the activities that will be coming. Today's is: who was the President 150 years ago? Next week you can wear retro/historic church attire. Let's have some fun while we wait for the big day.

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Scripture

Revelation 5:6-11

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