

First Presbyterian Church

May 15, 2011

THE LORD'S DAY

10:20 a.m.

Jesus promised his disciples three things:

1. That they would be absurdly happy.
2. That they would be completely fearless.
3. That they would be in constant trouble.

*CONGREGATION STANDS AS ABLE.

PLEASE ADJUST ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES SO AS NOT TO DISRUPT THE SERVICE.

Welcome and Announcements

Culley Newman
Worship Leader

Prelude

Call to Worship

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

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

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Leader: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to God our Creator and Redeemer.

People: There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call—one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

EPHESIANS 4:4-5

*Hymn 580 *Lead On, O King Eternal*

LANCASHIRE

*Prayer of Adoration

Confession of Sin

You are the Lord and you alone!

You have called us to yourself and given us a covenant.

You have become our God and made us your people, and yet we have turned away from you.

We have rebelled against you. You have delivered us.

You have warned us, and yet we have acted presumptuously.

You have sent us prophets, and we have turned a stubborn shoulder and stiffened our necks and would not obey your law.

We deplore our sins before you and before each other.

They have only brought trouble.

They have only enslaved us.

They have not made us happy.

They have dishonored you.

Have mercy on us, O God.

Deliver us from the power and attraction of sin, through the faithful suffering and death of our Savior Jesus Christ, whose intercession we plead, and in whose name we pray.

Assurance of Pardon

Romans 5:1-2

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

Hymn 460

Amazing Grace!

AMAZING GRACE

Prayer of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

Offering

PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT TO SIGN THE BLACK REGISTRATION PAD LOCATED AT THE END OF THE PEW AND PASS IT TO OTHERS ON YOUR PEW.

*Doxology

OLD HUNDRETH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 9:24-10:13
(p. 957 in pew Bible)

Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

"Self-Seeking, part 3"

Outlaw Sins and "Respectable" Cousins

*Hymn 500

Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me NEW CITY FELLOWSHIP

*Benediction

Response

He Is Risen!

TEXT: ERIC SCHUMMACHER, 2004

MUSIC: LASST UNS ERFREUEN

*O! Let the nations sing the fame
of Christ the Lamb who once was slain!*

He is risen! He is risen!

*Now we await the coming day
when all those raised in Christ will say:*

Give him glory! Give him glory!

He is risen! He is risen! Hallelujah!"

Morning Service broadcast live on WKOZ 1340 AM
and live online at www.breezynews.com.

Live radio broadcast on WKOZ 1340 AM and live internet streaming at www.breezynews.com now begins at 10:20 a.m.

"Thank God you've come!"

We thank God that you've come today,

and we hope you thank God that you've come today!

Please fill out the black registration pad located at the end of your pew, so we will have a record of your visit.

We want to serve you in Christ's name in any way we can.

FPC VBS

June 13-17

"The Scottish Sleuths

and the Case of

the Hidden Hero"



All VBS
volunteers sign
up on the
bulletin board to
order your VBS
T-shirt.

Pick up a registration form to register your child/children for VBS and drop it in the registration box in the church office.

VBS Teachers' & Assistants' Meeting
June 5, 2011 at 11:30 am

Evening Worship

6:00 pm

Welcome

Call to Worship

Hymns

170: *Fairest Lord Jesus*

261: *What Wondrous Love Is This*

307: *Nothing But the Blood of Jesus*

Deacon Prayer

Richard Briscoe

Scripture Reading

Selections from Acts

Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

"Hardships"

Acts: What the Gospel Does

*Hymn 707 *Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken*

MUSIC BY CHRIS MINER*

*Benediction

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Senior Open House

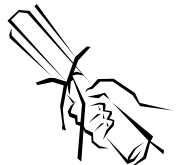
honoring our

Graduates

TODAY

3:30-5:30 pm

The home of Keith & Teresa Paton



Church Ministries

Budget Requirements

Monthly 38,123.67
Year-to-Date 152,494.68

Budget Information	Budget Receipts	Budget Expenditures	Total
April 2011	36,782.99	53,604.91	-16,821.92
Year-to-Date	143,125.84	163,366.33	-20,240.49

Activities for this Week in Our Church

SUNDAY	9:00 am	Sunday School	
	10:20 am	Morning Worship	
	3:30 pm	Senior Open House	
	5:00 pm	Choir Practice	
	6:00 pm	Evening Worship	
WEDNESDAY	4:30 pm	Preschool Committee WIC Council	
	5:30 pm	Fellowship Supper	
	6:00 pm	Wednesday Night Connection Youth Connection Children's Connection Bridal Shower for Lauren Fowler	
	SUNDAY	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:20 am	Morning Worship	
	5:00 pm	Choir Practice	
	6:00 pm	Evening Worship	

Nursery Schedule: Notify Marsha @ 289-2435 of any changes.

Date	Toddler AM	Infant AM	PM
May 15	Art & Deborah Templeton	Mechelle Smith & Melissa Steed	William & Natalie McKinley
May 22	Danny & Lynda Temple	Angela, Jordan & Meredith Thomas	Kristi, Lauryl & Avie Anna Massey

Wednesday Fellowship Supper—5:30 p.m. You **MUST** call the church office **NO LATER** than Tuesday at noon to **add** your name or **cancel** your reservation.

MENU: Spaghetti, green salad, Texas toast & chocolate cake

Wednesday Night Connection

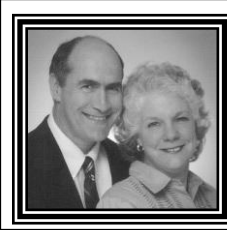
Kids' Connection		Taught by
3s - 4s	"Through the Bible in Felt"	Natalie McKinley & Angela Thomas
K5 - 6 th	"Christian Character"	Misty Lacey

Youth Connection:

"What's Life All About?"

Adult Connection:

Paul Miller's **A Praying Life: Connecting with God in a Distracting World**



Sunday, May 22 will be Mission Sunday. Don and Fran McNeill, missionaries with MTW to Uganda, will be speaking during the Sunday school hour.

*You're Invited to a
Bridal Shower for Lauren Fowler
Wednesday, May 18 at 6:00 pm in the Jackson Room
Desserts will be served.
Please bring a favorite recipe and a favorite Bible verse.*

Committee and Board Meetings

WIC Council: Wednesday, May 18 @ 4:30 pm

Preschool Committee: Wednesday, May 18 @ 4:30

Wednesday Night Connection—Summer 2011

Six Wednesday nights beginning June 1st, we will have volunteers serving supper. The meals will be \$4.00 for adults and \$2.75 for children 10 and under. The old supper list will no longer be used. Sign up on the bulletin board or call the church office to get your name on the new list. For more information, contact Deborah Templeton.

Summer Schedule

May 25	No meeting
June 1	Supper and Prayer Walk
8	Supper and WNC classes
15	Supper and WNC classes
22	Supper and WNC classes
29	SPECIAL EVENT TBA
July 6	Supper and WNC classes
13	Supper and WNC classes
20	Supper and WNC classes
27	Cookout at Kosciusko Country Club
August 3	No meeting

WNC classes:

Kids' Connection: Christian Character Traits

Youth Connection: Galatians

Adult Connection: **Sing for Joy:** Delve into Scripture to discover **why** and **how** we should sing as God's "ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven" people. Booklets are available in the church office for \$5.00.

MAY DUTIES:

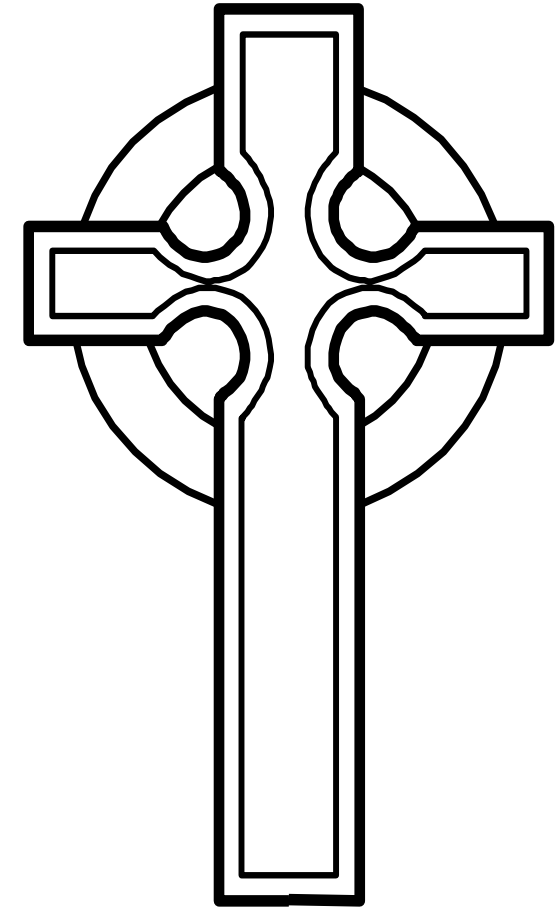
Elders: Ken Fowler, Don Smith & Eddie Thomas

Deacons: Kerry Hudgins & Keith Paton

Preaching at Alexander Memorial Presbyterian Church: Hugh Potts

Preaching at Alexander next Sunday: 4th Sunday

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Sunday Worship Service

May 15, 2011

Vision Statement:

A Gospel-driven church pursuing God, his ways, and people.

**WORSHIP
TEACHING
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REACHING**

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