

First Presbyterian Church

July 31, 2011

THE LORD'S DAY

10:20 a.m.

"Worship is 'a royal waste of time' that spirals into passion for living as Christians and back into more passion for worship. It is totally irrelevant, not efficient, not powerful, not spectacular, not productive, sometimes not even satisfying to us. It is also the only hope for changing the world."

~Marva Dawn, "A Royal Waste of Time"

*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

From Psalm 27:4-6

Leader: One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after:

**All: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD
all the days of my life,
to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD
and to inquire in his temple.**

Leader: For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble;
he will conceal me under the cover of his tent;
he will lift me high upon a rock.

And now my head shall be lifted up
above my enemies all around me,

**All: and I will offer in his tent sacrifices with
shouts of joy;
I will sing and make melody to the LORD.**

*Hymn 2 *O Worship the King*

LYONS

*Prayer of Adoration

The Sacrament of Baptism

Rachel Katherine Potts
Daughter of Sam and Chris Potts

Hymn *How Deep the Father's Love for Us*
WRITTEN BY STUART TOWNEND, 1995

How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure
That he should give his only Son to make a wretch his treasure.

How great the pain of searing loss!

The Father turns his face away

As wounds which mar the Chosen One

Bring many sons to glory.

Behold the Man upon a cross, my sin upon his shoulders!

Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers.

It was my sin that held him there until it was accomplished;

His dying breath has brought me life. I know that it is finished.

I will not boast of anything: no gifts, no pow'r, no wisdom.

But I will boast in Jesus Christ: his death and resurrection.

Why should I gain from his reward? I cannot give an answer.

But this I know with all my heart:

His wounds have paid my ransom.

Prayer of Intercession

Offering

THE OFFERING IS A WAY FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF FPC.

IF YOU ARE OUR GUEST TODAY, PLEASE FEEL UNDER NO OBLIGATION TO GIVE.

On Christ I Stand

Susan Naylor Callaway

CHOIR

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus' blessed name.

On Christ the solid Rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

His oath, His covenant, His blood
Support me in the whelming flood;
When all around my soul gives way,
He then is all my hope and stay.

When He shall come with trumpet sound,
O may I then in Him be found,
Dressed in His righteousness alone
And faultless to stand before His throne.

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 HUNDREDTH

*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

Corinthians 14
(pp. 960-961 in pew Bible)

Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

*"Misused Gifts"
Outlaw Sins and "Respectable" Cousins*

*Hymn 359 *Blest Be the Tie That Binds*

DENNIS

*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!"*

Notes about the service:

Baptism: "Every time we baptize an infant we bear witness that salvation is from God, that we cannot do any good thing to secure it, that we all enter the Kingdom of heaven therefore as little children, who do not do, but are done for" (B.B. Warfield).
Baptism is a covenant sign. That is, **it points to and confirms a gracious promise of God to his people.** Our *Larger Catechism* tells us that "Baptism is a sacrament of the New Testament, in which Christ has commanded the application of water in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, to be a sign and seal of union with himself, of forgiveness of sins by his blood, regeneration by his Spirit, adoption, and resurrection unto everlasting life; and whereby those who are baptized are solemnly admitted into the visible church, and enter into an open and professed engagement to be wholly and only the Lord's."

We are thankful for Rachel and for the entire Potts family and pray that she will love and serve the Lord all the days of her life.

**Morning Service broadcast live on WKOZ 1340 AM,
Live online at www.breezynews.com.
AND NOW ALSO LIVE ON WKOZ-FM 98.3!**

"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.*

*Thank you, First Presbyterian Church, for the meals that you
have prepared for us and your prayers and support at this
time in our lives. We are so very blessed and thankful to have
a church family like you.*

Dick & Sharon Sechler



Choir Practice - Sunday, August 7, 5:00 pm

Evening Worship

6:00 pm

Call to Worship

*Hymn 442 *Arise, O God, and Shine*

MUSIC BY MATTHEW SMITH

Mission Report

Phil & Jackie Burns
New Tribes Mission

Elder Prayer

James Boyd

Expense Offering for World Mission Conference

Scripture Reading

Psalm 19:4-7; 2 Timothy 3:14-17
(pp. 456 & 996 in pew Bible)

Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

"Continue in the Scriptures"

Marking the 400th Anniversary of the "King James" Bible

*Hymn 92 *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God* EIN' FESTE BURG

*Benediction

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Have Gospel, Will Travel

56th Annual World Mission Conference August 12-14

Schedule:

<p>Friday 12:00 pm – Brown Bag Lunch 5:30 pm – Spaghetti Supper \$3.00 per plate 6:30 pm – Session 1</p>	<p>Saturday 7:00 am – Men’s Breakfast 5:30 pm – BBQ Bonanza/ Covered Dish 6:30 pm – Session 2</p>
<p>Sunday 9:00 am – Sunday School 10:20 am – Session 3 6:00 pm – Session 4 7:00 pm – Meet with Youth</p>	

Speakers:

ED HARTMAN~MTW~Romania~ANDY & BEV WARREN~MTW~Ethiopia
GARY JOHNSON~MTW~Sweden~DALE ELLISON~CMS~Peru
DICK SECHLER~MTW~Queens, New York

How we fund World Mission Conference:

A long-standing tradition at FPC is to fund our annual World Mission Conference in a “pay-as-you-go” manner, rather than as a part of the church operating budget. Therefore, we have two distinct offerings:

World Mission Conference expense offering is taken up on the two Sundays prior to the conference. It covers costs of publicity, hospitality for our missionary guests, and other expenses of planning and execution.

World Mission Conference love offering is taken up at each session of the conference. The Mission Committee recommends to Session a division of these funds as an honorarium to our missionary guests at the conclusion of the conference.

Church Ministries

Budget Requirements

Monthly	38,123.67
Year-to-Date	228,742.02

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

Date	Toddler AM	Infant AM	PM
July 31	Art & Deborah Templeton	J.J. Warrington & Rhonda Johnson	Ken & Sandra Fowler
Aug. 7	Kristi, Lauryl & Avie Anna Massey	Jeff & Misty Lacey	William & Natalie McKinley

Wednesday Night Connection

No meal or meetings this Wed., August 3.

Adult Connection: NEW STUDY: **Love Walked Among Us: Learning to Love Like Jesus**, by Paul Miller. The better we know Jesus, the more we will be drawn and empowered to love as he loved.

- How do you love someone when you get no love in return, only withdrawal or ingratitude?
- How do you love without being trapped or used by another person?
- How do you love when you have your own problems? When do you take care of yourself?
- When you are compassionate, people use you; but when you are honest, people get angry. So how do you love with both compassion and honesty?

Wednesday night Fellowship Supper is beginning **Wednesday, August 10, at 5:30 pm.** The cost is **\$4.00 per adult** and **\$2.75 per child.** If you would like to be placed on the “**Master List**” for the suppers, you **will have to sign up** on the bulletin board or call the church office **NO LATER** than Tuesday, **August 9 at noon.**

Carpet Cleaning in the Church – Monday, July 31, the church offices, hallways, and nursery carpet will be cleaned in the morning hours.

Committee and Board Meetings

Inside/Outside Committee: Tuesday, Aug. 2 at 6:00
Finance Committee: Sunday, Aug. 7 at 8:00 am

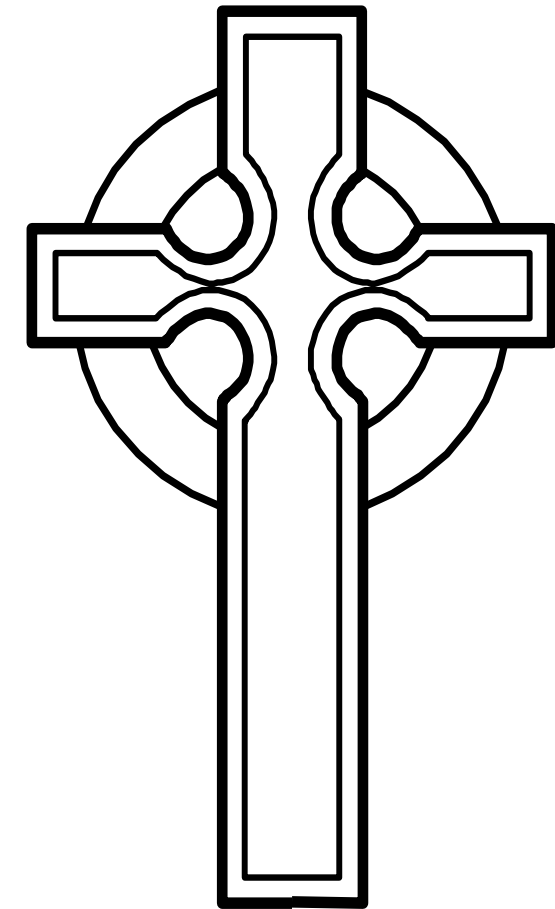
Activities for this Week in Our Church

SUNDAY	9:00 am	Sunday School – Rally
	10:20 am	Sunday
	6:00 pm	Morning Worship
	7:00 pm	Evening Worship
		Youth Fellowship in the Gym
TUESDAY	6:00 pm	Inside/Outside Committee
WEDNESDAY		No Wednesday Service
	6:30 pm	Joint Officers’ Meeting
SUNDAY	8:00 am	Finance Committee
	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:20 am	Morning Worship
	5:00 pm	Choir Practice
	6:00 pm	Evening Worship

JULY DUTIES:

Elders: Ken Fowler, Hugh Potts, Jr., Don Smith
Deacons: Culley Newman, Allen Massey & Scott Pickle
Preaching at Alexander Memorial Presbyterian Church: Hugh Potts, Jr.
Preaching at Alexander next Sunday: Paul Andrew Sechler

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Sunday Worship Service
July 31, 2011

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

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