

First Presbyterian Church

August 21, 2011

THE LORD'S DAY

10:20 a.m.

To ascribe glory and honour to this God and to no other is to put to the sword the claims of all other pretenders to the throne...When the church gathers on Sunday morning, what we have is a protest meeting, a gathering of those who simply will not put up with the arrogant claims of the world anymore.”

~Carl Trueman

*CONGREGATION STANDS AS ABLE.

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

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

From Psalm 95:1-7

Leader: Oh come, let us sing to the LORD;

All: let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Leader: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;

All: let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

Leader: For the LORD is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

In his hand are the depths of the earth;

the heights of the mountains are his also.

The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.

Oh come, let us worship and bow down;

All: let us kneel before the LORD our Maker!

Leader: For he is our God,

All: and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

***Hymn 302** *Come, Christians, Join to Sing*

MADRID

*Prayer of Adoration

Membership Vows

Erleine Parish
Chris & Laura Davis

The Sacrament of Baptism

Eva Caitlin Davis

Hymn 189 *Jesus Loves Me, This I Know* JESUS LOVES ME

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.

Seek Ye First

Karen Lafferty

CHOIR

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness,
And all these things shall be added unto you;
Allelu, alleluia!

Ask, and it shall be given unto you, seek, and ye shall find,
Knock, and the door shall be opened unto you;
Allelu, alleluia!

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

Matthew 11:28
(p. 816 in pew Bible)

Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

"I Will Give You Rest"

Indeed I Will: What Jesus Says He Will Do

***Hymn 481** *Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus*

LEMMEL

*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:

Vows of Membership: *Every Christian who believes the Bible should become a member of a local church, wherever he or she lives, for however long, as quickly as possible.* "The very word *membership* is of Christian origin, but it has been taken over by the world and emptied of all meaning. ... I am afraid that when we describe a man as 'a member of the Church' we usually mean nothing Pauline; we mean only that he is a unit—that he is one more specimen of some kind of things as X and Y and Z." (C.S. Lewis, *The Weight of Glory*, 1949)

PCA Membership Vows

1. Do you acknowledge yourselves to be sinners in the sight of God, justly deserving His displeasure, and without hope save in [i.e., except for] His sovereign mercy?
2. Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the gospel?
3. Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?
4. Do you promise to support the Church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?
5. Do you submit yourselves to the government and discipline of the Church, and promise to study its purity and peace?

The Sacrament of 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 Eva and for the entire Davis 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.

Evening Worship

6:00 pm

Call to Worship

Psalm 124

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

Invocation

Mission Report

Russell Weisner

*Hymn

Arise, O God, and Shine

(see insert)

Words: William Hurn Music: Chris Miner

Elder Prayer

Don Smith

Scripture Reading

Joshua 10:1-43
(pp. 185-187 in pew Bible)

Sermon

Rev. Grant Carroll

"When the Lord Fights for Israel"

Joshua: To God Be the Glory

*Hymn 575

Soldiers of Christ, Arise

DIADEMATA

*Benediction

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Next Lord's Day: Dr. Paul Chichen of African Bible College will preach in Morning Worship.



Paul and Laura Chichen have been missionaries with African Bible College in Malawi and Uganda for 21 years. Paul is the Director of the college in Lilongwe, Malawi, and oversees the operations of the mission's four support ministries — the ABC Community Clinic, the ABC Christian Academy (acting

Superintendent), Radio ABC with stations in Lilongwe and Mzuzu, and the college's Evangelistic Outreach Program, which mobilizes students and faculty into ministry teams that reach out to local hospitals, orphanages, villages and schools. Laura is the ABC Christian Academy's Curriculum Coordinator and Assistant Head and also teaches typing (keyboarding) to incoming Freshmen students at the African Bible College. Laura also served as the Dean of Admissions at the African Bible College from 1996-2005 until the position was turned over to a Malawian, Maggie Madimbo.

After ministering with African Bible College in Malawi for 15 years the Chinchens moved to Kampala, Uganda, in August, 2004, where ABC was in the process of opening its third Christian college. Paul's job was to oversee construction of the 12 buildings needed to open the college in September of 2005 and help set up the administration. The Chinchens returned to Malawi in 2007 and continue leading the ABC mission team and ministries in Lilongwe.

The purpose of African Bible College is to train Christian leaders for the evangelical missions and churches of Africa. The unique vision of ABC is to train Christian leaders at the university level on the African continent and in the African context – offering African church leaders quality Christian education in their own countries.

Church Ministries

Budget Requirements

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

Budget Information	Budget Receipts	Budget Expenditures	Total
July 2011	31,766.91	34,472.57	-2,705.66
Year-to-Date	252,577.50	258,529.56	-5,952.06

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

Date	Toddler AM	Infant AM	PM
Aug. 21	Bill & Shara Roos	Judy Potts & Sarah Ellen Parish	Marc & Christi Sims
Aug. 28	Danny & Linda Temple	Shane & Tanya Steen	Angela & Meredith Thomas

Wednesday night Fellowship Supper at 5:30 pm. The cost is **\$4.00 per adult** and **\$2.75 per child**. You **MUST** call the church office **NO LATER** than Tuesday at noon to **add** your name or **cancel** your reservation.

Menu: Chicken spaghetti, green salad, Texas toast and cherry crunch

Wednesday Night Connection 6:00 p.m.

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.



- How do you love someone when you get 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. How do you love with both compassion and honesty?

Father's Prayer Breakfast
(Fathers of Youth, 6th grade - college)
Beginning Tuesday, August 23
7:00 am at K&S Bakery
Meetings will be every other Tuesday

YOUTH LOCK-IN
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23-24
10:00 PM – 8:00 AM
MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW

Committee and Board Meetings
Ministry Committee: Wednesday, Aug. 24 at 7:15 pm
Session Meeting: Wednesday, Aug. 24 at 7:15 pm

Activities for this Week in Our Church

SUNDAY 9:00 am Sunday School
10:20 am Morning Worship
5:00 pm Choir Practice
6:00 pm Evening Worship

TUESDAY 7:00 am Youth Father's Prayer Breakfast

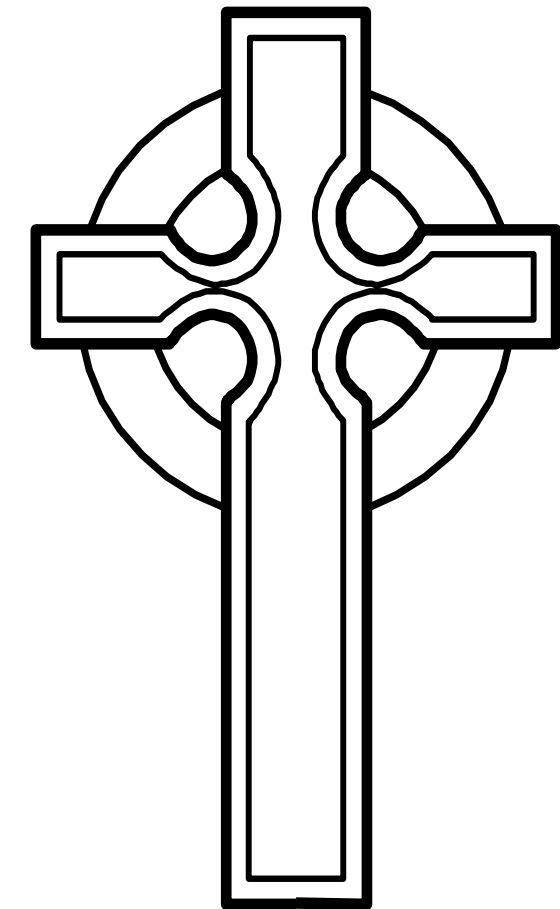
WEDNESDAY 5:30 pm Fellowship Supper
6:00 pm Adult WNC
Youth WNC
Children's Wednesday's Challenge

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5:00 pm Choir Practice
6:00 pm Evening Worship

Jeff Klingfuss would like to express his thanks to the members of First Presbyterian Church for their prayers after he had a stroke in late July. He has recovered fully and quickly. Today he returns to New Hope Lutheran Church in Sallis as their organist. Next Sunday, he will return to Alexander Memorial Church.

Nela Hughes

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Sunday Worship Service
August 21, 2011

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

WORSHIP
TEACHING
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AUGUST DUTIES:

Elders: James Boyd, Keith Paton & Danny Temple
Deacons: Shane Steen & William McKinley
Preaching at Alexander Memorial Presbyterian Church: Sam Potts
Preaching at Alexander next Sunday: 4th Sunday