

# First Presbyterian Church

September 18, 2011

## THE LORD'S DAY

10:20 a.m.

Now you can spend your life giving up your place for others instead of guarding it from others—because your identity is in Christ, not your place.

Now you can spend your life going to the back instead of getting to the front—because your identity is in Christ, not your position.

Now you can spend your life giving, not taking—because your identity is in Christ, not your possessions.

Real, pure, unadulterated freedom happens when the resources of the gospel smash any sense of need to secure for myself anything beyond what Christ has already secured for me.

~Tullian Tchividjian

\*CONGREGATION STANDS AS ABLE.

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

## Welcome and Announcements

### Prelude

### Call to Worship

Psalms 87:1-3

\*Hymn 345 *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken* AUSTRIAN HYMN

### \*Prayer of Adoration

### Confession of Sin

Mark 9:33-37

*And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, "What were you discussing on the way?" But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. And he sat down and called the twelve. And he said to them, "If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all." And he took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in his arms, he said to them, "Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me."*

### Prayer of Confession

### Assurance of Pardon

Mark 10:45

**All: For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."**

### Rejoicing in Song: Hymn 644

*May the Mind of Christ My Savior* ST. LEONARDS

### Prayer of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

### 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.

*It Is Well with My Soul* CHORIS  
Horatio G. Spafford  
Arr. by John Ness Beck

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way,  
When sorrows like sea billows roll  
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

My sin O the joy of this glorious thought  
My sin, not in part, but the whole  
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

And, Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight,  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll:  
The trumpet shall sound and the Lord shall descend,  
Even so it is well with my soul!

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

Matthew 10:32-33  
(p. 815 in pew Bible)

### Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

*"I Will Confess Him Before Men"  
Indeed I Will: What Jesus Says He Will Do*

\*Hymn 461 *Not What My Hands Have Done* LEOMINSTER

### \*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,  
Live online at [www.breezynews.com](http://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.*

## Youth Lock-In

Sept. 23-24 from 10pm-8am

All students, **6th - 12th grade**, are invited to join us for a fun night of fellowship!

The cost will be **\$4 dollars for members** and **\$2 for guests**. A late dinner and breakfast will be provided.

We will have a great time, as we listen to a Gospel message, play in the gym (**giant inflatable slide**, basketball, kickball, slaughterball, ping pong, and ultimate frisbee), watch movies, enjoy games (cards, board games, video games, etc.), visit with our friends, make new friends, and--if you just can't make it through the night--go to sleep. I hope to see you there.

Let Grant know if you are coming by signing up on the Youth Bulletin Board. Please, estimate how many of your friends are coming!

**Adults: I could still use some more chaperones!**

### Bible Studies:

**Lunchtime Ladies' Study** – Tuesdays, 12:00 pm in the Susan Smythe Room. We are studying *Lies Women Believe and the Truth That Sets Them Free* by Nancy Leigh DeMoss. For more information, contact Shelia Pickle, 289-7984 or [sppicklelaw@bellsouth.net](mailto:sppicklelaw@bellsouth.net).

**Morning Women's Study** – Thursdays, 7:45 am in the Mary Thornton Room. We are studying *Proverbs: The Ways of Wisdom* by Kathleen Buswell Nielson. For more information, contact Lynda Temple, 290-0123.



Evening Worship begins @ **5:00 p.m.**,  
beginning **tonight!**



Sermons on  
**2 Peter and Jude**  
in Evening Worship

## Evening Worship

5:00 pm

### Call to Worship

### Hymns

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*Come, Christians, Join to Sing* MADRID  
**At the Name of Jesus** CAROLINE NOEL & AARON SHUST

At the name of Jesus every knee will bow,  
Every tongue confess Him King of Glory now.  
'Tis the Father's pleasure we should call Him Lord,  
Who from the beginning was the mighty Word.

*We sing "Glory to the Lord on high!  
Glory to the Son who came to earth to die!  
Glory to the Spirit who lifts the name on high:  
The Name of Jesus!"*

At His voice creation sprang at once to sight,  
All the angel faces, all the host of light,  
Thrones and dominations, stars upon their way,  
All the heavenly orders in their great array.

*They sing, "Glory to the Lord on high..."*

In your hearts enthrone Him; there let Him subdue  
All that is not holy, all that is not true.  
Crown Him as your Captain in temptation's hour;  
Let His will enfold you in its light and power.

**You Are My All in All** DENNIS JERNIGAN

You are my strength when I am weak.  
You are the treasure that I seek.  
You are my all in all.  
I'm seeking You like a precious jewel.  
Lord, to give up I'd be a fool.  
You are my all in all

Jesus, Lamb of God, Holy is Your name! (repeat)

Taking my cross, my sin, my shame,  
Rising again, I praise Your name.  
You are my all in all.

When I fall down, You pick me up  
When I run dry, You fill my cup.  
You are my all in all.

Jesus, Lamb of God, Holy is Your name! (repeat)

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189 *Jesus Loves Me, This I Know* JESUS LOVES ME  
535 *O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus* EBENEZER

### Elder Prayer

Eddie Thomas

CHILDREN ARE DISMISSED NOW FOR CHILDREN'S CHOIR.

### Scripture Reading

2 Peter 1:3-9  
(p. 1018 in pew Bible)

### Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree  
*"Every Effort for Growth"  
2 Peter & Jude: Grow Up!*

\*Hymn 26 *Tell Out, My Soul, the Greatness of the Lord* WOODLANDS

### \*Benediction

CCLI License Number: 2535962

## Church Ministries

### Budget Requirements

Monthly 38,123.67  
Year-to-Date 304,989.36

Budget Information	Budget Receipts	Budget Expenditures	Total
August 2011	43,859.85	43,035.68	824.17
Year-to-Date	296,437.35	301,565.24	-5,127.89

### Sunday Youth Fellowship: The Burge House

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

Date	Toddler AM	Infant AM	PM
Sept. 18	Carol, Wade & William Fiedler	Camille Carroll & Chris Potts	Ken & Sandra Fowler
Sept. 25	Angie, Abigail & Emi Holman	Jackie Hill & Mary Ikerd	Kristi, Lauryl & Avie Anna Massey

**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:** Hamburgers, baked beans, chips and dessert

### 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.



This week: ch.7: "Time to Speak Up: Balancing Honesty with Compassion"

## Children's Ministry News!

Hey, kids! Our missionaries to pray for this week are **Ken and Tammie Matlack** in Berlin, Germany.

**Wednesday's Challenge** at 6:00 pm; dinner at 5:30. Don't forget to call the church office, 289-2435, by Tuesday at noon if you want to eat.

This week will be **Artistic Challenge Week**.

Ready for a camp-out this Fall? Mark your Calendar on **October 21** for a fun-filled Friday and Saturday at **Camp Cabin Ridge**. More info coming...☺

### Committee and Board Meetings

**Youth Committee:** Today at 4:00 pm

**PDS Board Meeting:** Monday, Sept. 19 at 6:00 pm

**WIC Council:** Wednesday, Sept. 21 at 4:30 pm

## Activities for this Week in Our Church

SUNDAY	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:20 am	Morning Worship
	4:00 pm	Choir Practice Youth Committee
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	<b>Evening Worship</b>
MONDAY	6:00 pm	PDS Board Meeting
TUESDAY	12:00 pm	Ladies' Noon Bible Study
WEDNESDAY	4:30 pm	WIC Council
	5:30 pm	Fellowship Supper
	6:00 pm	Adult Connection Youth Connection Children's Wednesday's Challenge
THURSDAY	7:45 am	Women's Morning Bible Study
FRIDAY	10:00 pm	Youth Lock-In (ends Saturday at 8:00 am)
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	10:20 am	Morning Worship
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	5:00 pm	Evening Worship

## PDS 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Harvest Carnival

When: October 1

Where: FPC

Time: 4:00 - 8:00 pm

Entertainment & Fun for ALL Ages!!!

- Cake Walk • Carnival Games • Food • General Store
- Hay Ride • Dunking Booth • Mechanical Bull

Chicken dinner plates can be purchased in advance for \$7.00.  
(Please contact a student, a parent or a staff member if interested.)

### SEPTEMBER DUTIES:

Elders: Eddie Thomas, Johnny Boswell & Michael Holman

Deacons: Jeff Lacey, Sam Potts & Kerry Hudgins

Preaching at Alexander Memorial Presbyterian Church: Grant Carroll

Preaching at Alexander next Sunday: 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday

### First Presbyterian Church Kosciusko Staff

Rev. Phillip J. Palmertree, Senior Minister

Rev. Grant B. Carroll, Minister to Youth and Families

Maureen Boswell, Children's Ministry Coordinator

Marsha Adams, Office Admin.

Annette Kern, Kitchen Manager

Richard Moore, Custodian

Pat Fiedler, Music Director

Melanie Newman, Pianist

Joey Hill, Building Admin.

Mary Fox, Kitchen

### FPC Preschool

Deborah Templeton, Administrator

### Presbyterian Day School

Terry Cox, Administrator

Sonja Adams, Business Administrator

### Sunday School

Spence Stork, Superintendent

### Session

Ken Fowler  
Johnny Boswell  
Keith Paton

James Boyd  
Michael Holman  
Eddie Thomas, Clerk  
Phillip Palmertree  
Elders Emeriti

Don Smith  
Danny Temple  
Hugh Potts, Jr.

Adrian D. McBeath

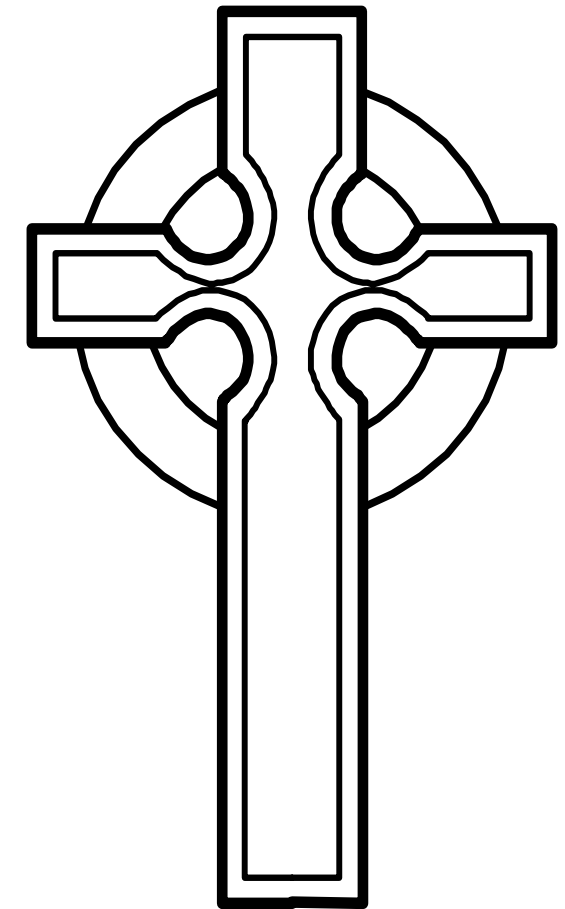
Will Hammond

Shane Steen  
William McKinley  
Sam Potts

### Diaconate

Kerry Hudgins  
Culley Newman

Allen Massey  
Scott Pickle, chairman  
Jeff Lacey



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Sunday Worship Service  
September 18, 2011

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

**WORSHIP**  
**TEACHING**  
**NURTURE**  
**REACHING**

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