

First Presbyterian Church

January 22, 2012

THE LORD'S DAY

10:20 a.m.

If I were the devil, one of my first aims would be to stop folks from digging into the Bible. Knowing that it is the Word of God, teaching men to know and love and serve the God of the Word, I should do all I could to surround it with the spiritual equivalent of pits, thorn hedges, and man traps, to frighten people off. . . . At all costs I should want to keep them from using their minds as a disciplined way to get the measure of its message.

~J.I. Packer

*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 30:1-5, 10-12

Leader: We will exalt you, O LORD. . .
We cried to you for help, and you poured out your healing.

All: O LORD, you have restored us to life.

Leader: Sing praises to the LORD, O you his saints,
and give thanks to his holy name.

Reader 1: *His anger is but for a moment,
while his favor is for a lifetime.*

**All: Weeping may tarry for the night,
But joy comes with the morning.**

Reader 2: *By your favor, O LORD,
you have made our mountains stand strong.
O LORD, be merciful to us! O LORD, be our helper!*

Leader: You have turned our mourning into dancing!

All: O LORD, we will give thanks to you forever!

*Hymn 53 *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* LOBE DEN HERREN

*Prayer of Adoration

Hymn 679 *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus* TRUST IN JESUS

What Manner of Love
Eric J. Alexander

O Christ, what love is this, that all your loved ones know;
That brought you down from highest bliss
to live in such a world as this,
The Father's will to do, the Father's will to do.

O Christ, what burdens these, you bore on your own soul;
Our guilt, our judgment and God's wrath:
The man of sorrows died our death,
And all to make us whole, and all to make us whole.

O Christ, what dread reproach! The Holy one made sin,
The King of kings with thorns is crowned,
the Lord of heav'n and earth disowned,
And sinners welcomed in, and sinners welcomed in!

O Christ, what joy is this? The joy of sins forgiv'n,
No condemnation now we have,
nor dark despair beyond the grave,
Instead, the hope of heav'n, instead, the hope of heav'n.

O Christ, what glory waits the objects of your love!
No eye has seen nor ear has heard,
what God in his great grace prepared,
In that blest world above, in that blest world above.

Prayer of Intercession

Offering *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* HANDBELL ENSEMBLE
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.

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 5:1-12
(pp. 809-810 in pew Bible)

Sermon Rev. Phillip Palmertree
"The Mourners and the Meek"
The Sermon on the Mount: Discipleship for Dummies

***Hymn 527** *The Beatitudes [v.1-3]* QUEBEC

***Hymn 528** *My Faith Looks Up to Thee [v.1,2,4]* OLIVET

*Benediction

***Response** from *Joy to the World*
**He rules the world with truth and grace and makes the nations
prove the glories of his righteousness and wonders of his love.**

NEED PRAYER? HAVE QUESTIONS?

*At the conclusion of the service, an elder or pastor is available to
pray with you or talk with you at the organ bench on the right-hand
side of the sanctuary.*

**Morning Worship broadcast live on
WKOZ 1340 AM and WKOZ-FM 98.3.
Listen live online at www.breezynews.com.**

"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.*

Sanctuary Flowers: If you would like to provide flowers for the sanctuary during 2012, please sign up on the bulletin board or contact the church office, 289-2435.

The Session has called a **congregational meeting** to be held **today at 9:50 a.m.** for the purpose of **presentation of the 2012 budget adopted and approved by the Session.**

*Budget Committee members are: Jeff Lacey (chairman), Shane Steen, Scott Pickle, Sam Potts, Keith Paton, and James Boyd.

***Sunday School classes need to dismiss by 9:45 a.m.**

Sunday, February 5:

- Evening Worship at **4:30 p.m.**
- **Super Bowl Fellowships**, immediately following Evening Worship.

CCLI License Number: 2535962

Nominations for the office of Elder and Deacon

are open until February 12.
Nomination forms are available at both
bulletin table locations.

Evening Worship

5:00 pm

Call to Worship

Sing for Joy

Hymn 598

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

At the Name of Jesus

Caroline M. 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.

Arise, O God, and Shine

Words: William Hurn Music: Chris Miner

Arise, O God, and shine in all Thy saving might,
And prosper each design to spread Thy glorious light;
Let healing streams of mercy flow
that all the earth Thy truth may know.

Bring distant nations near to sing Thy glorious praise;
Let every people hear and learn Thy holy ways.
Reign, mighty God, assert Thy cause,
and govern by Thy righteous laws.

Put forth Thy glorious power, that everyone may see
And earth present her store, in converts born to Thee.
God, our own God, His Church will bless,
and fill the world with righteousness.

To God, the only Wise, the one immortal King,
Let hallelujahs rise, from every living thing;
Let all that breathe on every coast
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Hymn 257 **Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted**

Elder Prayer

Michael Holman

Scripture Reading

Jude 5-23
(p. 1027 in pew Bible)

Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

"Remember and Remain"
Grow Up: 2 Peter and Jude

*Benediction

Church Ministries

Budget Requirements

Monthly 40,969.58
Year-to-Date 491,635.00

Budget Information	Budget Receipts	Budget Expenditures	Total
December 2011	45,074.97	29,482.11	15,592.86
Year-to-Date	446,602.41	428,751.90	17,850.51

Faith Promise Update	2011	2012
Pledges	\$71,548	\$55,893
Current Obligations	\$59,400	\$55,800
Adults	47	41
Youth & Children	12	8

Sunday Youth Fellowship: The Burge House

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

Date	Toddler AM	Infant AM	PM
Jan. 22	Bill & Shara Roos	Marc & Christi Sims	Teresa, Victoria & Alexandria Paton
Jan. 29	Danny & Lynda Temple	Mechelle Smith & Melissa Steed	Shane & Tanya Steen

Ladies noon Bible study – Tuesdays at noon in the Susan Smythe Room.

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: Chicken tenders, creamed potatoes, green beans, green salad, rolls & dessert

Wednesday Night Connection 6:00 p.m.

Love Walked Among Us:
Learning to Love Like Jesus

This week: Chapter 20: "Facing
Sadness: When Love Leads to
Grief"



FPC Bible Conference

February 24-26
Les Newsom
RUF Mid-South
Area Coordinator

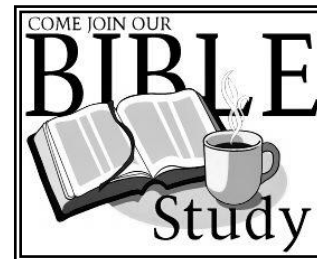
WIC Love Gift

Women in the Church (WIC) invites you to contribute to the **WIC Love Gift Project**. PCA churches are joining to fund facility improvements at our denominational seminary, **Covenant Theological Seminary in St. Louis**.

The Love Gift will help fund updating and additional seating to Rayburn Chapel and expansion of the Edwards Community Center on campus.

WIC encourages you to designate gifts for this project during the month of January.

GriefShare – A grief recovery support group for people who are grieving the death of someone close to them that meets **Thursdays from 6:30–8:30 pm in the Mary Thornton Room**. Registration fee is \$15.00, which covers the cost of the workbook. Contact the church office, 289-2435, for more information.



When: Thursdays, 8:00-9:00 a.m. in the Mary Thornton Room.

Study: James: An Inductive Bible Study by Deborah McQuilkin

Contact Lynda Temple for more information.

Committee and Board Meetings

Inside/Outside Committee – Tuesday, Jan. 24 at 6:00 pm.

Activities for this Week in Our Church

SUNDAY	9:00 am	Sunday School
	9:50 am	Congregational Meeting
	10:20 am	Morning Worship
	4:00 pm	Choir Practice
	5:00 pm	Evening Worship
TUESDAY	7:00 am	Father's Breakfast
	6:00 pm	Inside/Outside Committee Meeting
WEDNESDAY	5:30 pm	Fellowship Supper
	6:00 pm	Adult WNC
		Youth WNC
		Children's Challenge
THURSDAY	6:30 pm	GriefShare
FRIDAY	5:15 pm	Mid-South Men's Rally FPC Jackson
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JANUARY DUTIES:

Elders: Ken Fowler, Hugh Potts, Jr. & Don Smith
Deacons: Culley Newman, Allen Massey & Scott Pickle

First Presbyterian Church Kosciusko Staff

Rev. Phillip J. Palmertree, Senior Minister
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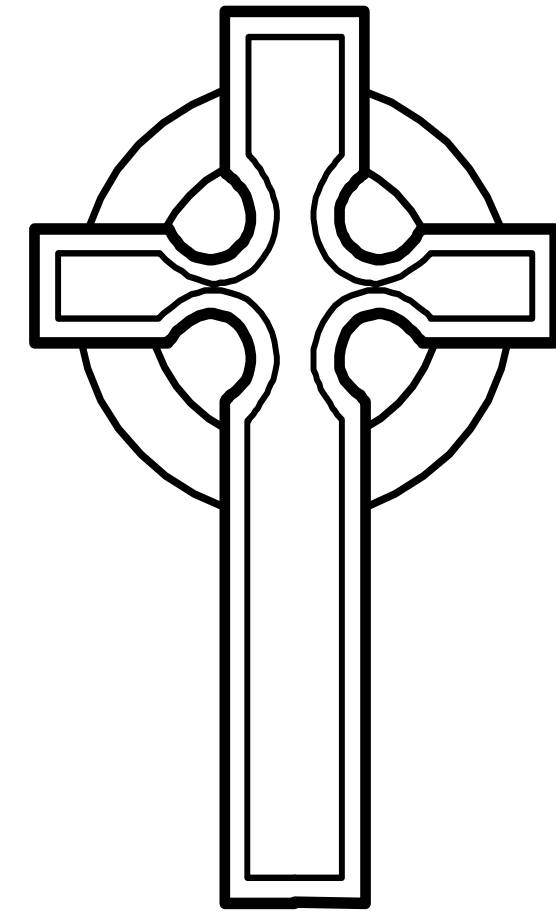
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Sunday Worship Service
January 22, 2012

Worshiping God,
Making disciples,
Loving others
...FOR HIS GLORY!

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