

Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to all who worship with us this morning. If you are seeking a church home, we invite you to become a member of First Presbyterian Church. For more information, please speak to the pastor at the close of the service.

This Week at FPC

- Today
- 8:45 a.m. Worship
 - 9:45 a.m. Church School
 - 11:00 a.m. Worship
- Monday
- Tuesday
- 9:00 a.m. Preschool
- Wednesday
- 6:00 p.m. Brown Bag
 - 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice
- Thursday
- 9:00 p.m. Preschool
 - 6:30 p.m. Praise Team
- Friday
- Saturday

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Wednesday Night Brown Bag

August 24, 6:00 p.m.

Bring your own dinner and drink for a time of fellowship with your church family.

A CALL TO PRAYER FOR LOUISIANA: The Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) deeply grieves the devastation and loss in Louisiana. The denomination is actively responding through Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA.) Donations to PDA's flood response efforts can be made with the designation DR000191.

DISCIPLE CLASS: The Disciple class will meet on Mondays at 6:00 p.m. beginning September 12. For more information about the class, contact Robin Orewiler.

SAVE THE DATE!: The **Annual Church Picnic** will be held on Wednesday, September 21 at 6:00 p.m. at Don Fox Community Park. Wednesday Night Fellowship dinners will resume September 28.



TEAM FPC FOR SHERRY'S RUN: FPC wants to register a team of walkers and runners for the September 10 5K walk/run event. The race begins at 8:00 a.m. at Wilson Bank & Trust on West Main Street.

Aileen Foutch will serve as our team captain.

For more information or to sign up, please contact Kristy in the church office at 615-444-1360 or go to www.sherrysrun.org.

TODAY'S SERMON is part of a year-long series of sermons from the Gospel According to Luke.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LEBANON, TENNESSEE

Service for the Lord's Day

August 21, 2016

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 a.m.

THE GATHERING

To Glorify God and Enjoy God Forever

SILENT MEDITATION

PRELUDE

Madrigal

Vierne

CHIMING THE HOUR

CHORAL INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 118)

Leader: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;

People: His steadfast love endures forever!

Leader: The Lord is my strength and my might;

People: He has become my salvation.

Leader: Open to me the gates of righteousness,

People: That I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.

Leader: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

People: We bless you from the house of the Lord.

*HYMN NO. 476

O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!

LYONS

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of Heaven, we confess that often we do not see you when you are in our presence. We fail to see our sisters and brothers in need.

We ignore injustice working its evil around us.

Where Christ leads, we do not follow.

When the oppressed cry out, we turn a deaf ear.

We are silent when we should shout.

Forgive us, Lord. Shine your face upon us that we might know your kingdom. Amen.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

* Those who are able are invited to stand.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: God does not turn away when we fail to be faithful.
God does not reject us when we do not trust fully.
God continues to love us, to forgive us, to restore us.
People: It is God who helps us; it is God who saves us.
It is all we need or ever will need. Thanks be to God!

*GLORIA PATRI

Hymn No. 579

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, amen.*

*THE PEACE

The Peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (unison)

Living God, help us so to hear your holy Word that we may truly understand;
that, understanding, we may believe,
and, believing, we may follow in all faithfulness and obedience,
seeking your honor and glory in all that we do. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 19:28-48

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM

Ride on in Majesty

Gordon Young

*Ride on, ride on in majesty! Hark all the tribes hosanna cry:
O Savior meek, pursue Thy road with palms and scattered garments strowed.
Ride on! Ride on in majesty! In lowly pomp ride on to die:
O Christ, Thy triumphs now begin o’er captive death and conquered sin.
Ride on, ride on in majesty! In lowly pomp ride on to die;
bow Thy meek head to mortal pain, then take, O God, Thy pow’r and reigh.
Ride on, ride on!*

TIME FOR THE CHILDREN

Children are invited to come forward.

SERMON

Triumphal Entry

Rev. Sherard Edington

RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE

*HYMN NO. 144

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!

HYFRYDOL

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Philippians 2:5-11

Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God,
did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited,
but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave,
being born in human likeness.
And being found in human form he humbled himself
and became obedient to the point of death—
even death on a cross.
Therefore God also highly exalted him
and gave him the name that is above every name,
so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue should confess to the glory of God:
Jesus Christ is Lord! Amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

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If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee

Walcha

*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

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SENDING FORTH

*HYMN NO. 324

Open My Eyes That I May See

OPEN MY EYES

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

Andantino

Fisher