

The Lord’s Day

June 10, 2018
Eleven O'clock

*Welcome to First Presbyterian Church!
We encourage you to complete the black fellowship folder
and to switch all communication devices to silent. Thank you.*

Welcome and Announcements

Pulpit Committee Announcement

+Prelude..... Charles Callahan
“Crown Him with Many Crowns”

Call to Worship.....Isaiah 66:1-2

Thus says the Lord: “Heaven is my throne, and the earth is my footstool;
what is the house that you would build for me, and what is the place of my
rest? All these things my hand has made, and so all these things came to
be, declares the Lord. But this is the one to whom I will look:
he who is humble and contrite in spirit and trembles at my word.

Prayer of Adoration

***Hymn 164** AZMON
“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

Call to Confession..... Mark 2:15-17

And as he reclined at table in his house,
many tax collectors and sinners were reclining with Jesus and his disciples,
for there were many who followed him. And the scribes of the Pharisees,
when they saw that he was eating with sinners and tax collectors,
said to his disciples, “Why does he eat with tax collectors and sinners?”
And when Jesus heard it, he said to them,
“Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick.
I came not to call the righteous, but sinners.”

Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon..... Micah 7:18-20

Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity and passing over transgression for
the remnant of his inheritance? He does not retain his anger forever, because
he delights in steadfast love. He will again have compassion on us; he will
tread our iniquities underfoot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the
sea. You will show faithfulness to Jacob and steadfast love to Abraham,
as you have sworn to our fathers from the days of old.

***Hymn** “In Christ Alone” Getty/Townend

In Christ alone my hope is found;
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This cornerstone, this solid ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My comforter, my all in all—
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, Who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save.
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied;
For ev’ry sin on Him was laid—
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious day,
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory,
Sin’s curse has lost its grip on me;
For I am His and He is mine—
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death—
This is the pow’r of Christ in me;
From life’s first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No pow’r of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home—
Here in the pow’r of Christ I’ll stand.

Prayer of Intercession and The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven; hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;
for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Please complete the black Fellowship Folder and pass down the pew.

Presentation of God’s Tithe and Our Offerings

Offertory “The Ash Grove” Dale Wood

(Four and Five-year olds dismissed to Children’s Church)

+Doxology (Hymn 731)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. Amen.

Choral Anthem John Carter
“O Sing to the Lord!”
(from Psalm 98:1)
Sanctuary Choir

O sing to the Lord a new song!
For He has done marvelous things.

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Scripture ReadingPsalm 15 Pew Bible p. 453

Sermon..... Rev. Ben Griffith
“Not So Fast...”

***Hymn 674**..... NEED
“I Need Thee Every Hour”

***Benediction** Rev. Griffith

*Choral Response

***Postlude** “Postlude on SINE NOMINE”Charles Callahan

*Please stand if you are able.
+The ushers may seat worshipers.

Presiding Minister - Rev. Ben Griffith
Assisting Elder - Ruling Elder Dan Didier

Missionaries of the Week - Christian Services

COMMUNITY LIFE

Sunday Evening Worship Service, tonight, 6 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall, with Dr. David Jussely preaching.

Committees

- **Administrative Committee Meeting**, Wednesday, June 13, 7:30 p.m., Loft.
- **Missions Committee Meeting**, Sunday, June 17, 4:45 p.m., Parlor.

Meetings

- **Fellowship Dominos**, Tuesday, June 19, 10 a.m., F. Hall.
- **Session Meeting**, Wednesday, June 20, 7:30 p.m., CH 205.
- **Diaconate Meeting**, Wednesday, June 27, 7:30 p.m., CH 207.

If you would like a copy of today’s service, visit our website, www.fpcpca.net/sermons. There you will find the entire service in video format as well as the sermon available for download. If you have questions, please call the church office (601-268-0303).

First Presbyterian Church Directory

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2018 CHURCH OFFICERS

The Session

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	Adam Pennebaker	Brian Smith	Charles Wilson
	Keith Reeves	Trey Sutton	
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<i>Church Treasurer</i>	<i>Assistant Treasurer</i>
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Thanks to those serving today:

Duty Deacons for June: Tommy Shook, Bobby Blass, Warren Flynt, Mark Kolvites, Drew McMullan, Joseph Tullos, Robbie Johnson	Nursery Volunteers for Today: Karnes family
Ushers for June: Chris Leonard, Andrew Leonard, Rob Acord, Edward Wallace, Thomas Bellew, Ben Bellew, Mitchell Cox, Stephen Brown, William Cain	Nursery Volunteers for June 17: Talia Null, Julia Null, Jonathan Null



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