

Welcome to First Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Prayer

(from The Book of Praise, #535)

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power
and the glory are yours
now and forever. Amen



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Music Director: Kendall House
Pianist/Organist: Micah Pawluk

Please stand at items marked * if you are able.
Passages in **Bold Print** are to be spoken in Unison

WE GATHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Entry of the Bible

Introit

Call to Worship

Hymn "God of grace and God of glory" #490

Opening Prayer:

Loving God, we gather to offer praises to you. We are grateful that you have fashioned us as people of worship, of love, and of depth. This day we remember the freedom that comes by following you. You release us from forces that bind, from thought patterns that hold us captive and from wounds that bruise our spirit. All we are, all we enjoy, all we need, all we can become is a gift from your hand. As we gather, we confess our sins and ask you to forgive us. We admit that while you are always present, we lose sight of you in the rush of our lives. We forget to place our troubles at your feet, and instead carry on as if we are the ones sustaining our lives by our strength alone. Forgive us for the times we have turned away from you and from others. Strengthen our resolve to make choices that honour you, the people we love and the world which we inhabit. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Choir Anthem

*Children's Time

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Hymn of Preparation: #384 v.3

"O Breath of love, come breathe within us, renewing thought and will and heart: come, Love of Christ, afresh to win us, revive your church in every part."

Bible Readings:

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| Luke 12:15-21 | pg. 74 | NT |
| Psalms 37:1-5 | pg.510 | OT |
| 1 John 2:15-17 | pg.239 | NT |

Gloria Patri: #594

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.

Illustrated Sermon: "Jealousy is a Vacuum" (based on a skit by Judy Barringer)

Hymn "God, whose giving knows no ending" #663

WE RESPOND TO GOD

Tithes and Offerings

* Offertory Response: #625 v.1

"Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you.
Al-le-lu, al-le-lu-ia!"

*Prayer of Dedication:

We give thanks to you, O God. We are thankful for your steadfast love. Worship is a time to offer praise and glory to you. We praise—an intentional opportunity to practice hospitable generosity. We pray that these gifts many help our church fulfill its purpose. Even more, we pray that you invite us to use our talents in humble ways to help our church fulfill its purpose. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer (see back of bulletin)

WE GO OUT TO SERVE

*Hymn: "O Jesus, I have promised" #569

Blessing # 775 v.2

"With praise and thanksgiving to God ever-living the task of our everyday life we will face. Our faith ever sharing, in love ever caring, embracing as neighbours all those of each race. One feast that has fed us, one light that has led us, unite us as one in your life that we share. Then may all the living, with praise and thanksgiving, give honour to Christ and his name that we bear."

Postlude: (Please maintain a reverent silence and stillness during the postlude.)