

The Gathering

Silent Meditation

Prelude *Andante Sostenuto* Jongen

Words of Welcome Mary Ellen Hofstetter

Introit

* Call to Worship *(Psalm 71: 1-6)*

Leader: In you, O LORD, I have taken refuge; let me never be put to shame.

People: Rescue me and deliver me in your righteousness; turn your ear to me and save me.

Leader: Be my rock of refuge, to which I can always go: give the command to save me, for you are my rock and my fortress.

People: Deliver me, O my God, from the hand of the wicked, from the grasp of the evil and cruel men.

Leader: For you, have been my hope, O Sovereign LORD, my confidence since my youth.

People: From birth I have relied on you; you brought me forth from my mother's womb. I will ever praise you.

* Hymn 481

Praise the Lord, God's Glories Show LLANFAIR

* Prayer of Confession (unison) Nick Reed

Gracious God we come here today to worship and praise you, yet we find at times we are focused only on our selves. We get so caught up in what's best for us that we forget that we should strive to do what's best for you. Forgives us of our selfish ways, and neglecting you and the people you call us to serve.

Help us remember that we come to worship and praise you, and that all we say and do should be for you. In your mercy heal our broken ways of greed, power, hate, and selfishness and restore us to live as you intended with love, faithfulness, mercy, and compassion serving you and one another. Give us energy and strength to love and praise you and to go out into the world and show your love to others. Amen

* Silent Confession

* Declaration of Pardon

* Gloria Patri Hymn 579

* The Peace

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

The Word of God

First Lesson Jeremiah 1: 4-10

Second Lesson Hebrews 12: 18-29

One: The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God!

Solo *And I Heard a Great Voice* Dicie

Children's Message Nick Reed

* Gospel Lesson Luke 13: 10-17

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Sermon "New Covenant Worship" Dr. Cheetham

Response of the People

* Affirmation of Faith *from the Westminster Confession*

Of God, and of the Holy Trinity

There is but one only living and true God, who is infinite in being and perfection, a most pure spirit, invisible, without body, parts, or passions, immutable, immense, eternal, incomprehensible, almighty; most wise, most holy, most free, most absolute, working all things according to the counsel of his own immutable and most righteous will, for his own glory; most loving, gracious, merciful, long-suffering, abundant in goodness and truth, forgiving iniquity, transgression, and sin; the rewarder of them that diligently seek him; and withal most just and terrible in his judgments; hating all sin, and who will by no means clear the guilty.

In the unity of the Godhead there be three Persons of one substance, power, and eternity: God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Ghost. The Father is of none, neither begotten nor proceeding; the Son is eternally begotten of the Father; the Holy Ghost eternally proceeding from the Father and the Son.

* Hymn 426

Lord Speak to Me, That I May Speak CANONBURY

* Offertory Prayer

Offertory *Praludium* Rinck

* Doxology Hymn 592

The Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Sending Forth

* Hymn 335

Though I May Speak O WALY WALY

* Charge and Benediction

* Choral Response

Postlude *Kleine Fuge* Forchhammer

Lay Reader: Pat Bone

Guest Soloist: Brooks Crowell

We welcome Linda Hyland as the newest member of our congregation. Linda joined us by profession of faith during the early service today.

Calling all YOUTH (K-12): Come and join us tonight at 5:15 p.m. to kickoff this year's youth ministry programs. We will have food, fun and fellowship. Bring a friend and join us for lots of games and fun activities. See you there.

This Week at First Presbyterian Church

Today	8:45 am	Contemporary Service
	9:45 am	Church School
	11:00 am	Worship Service
Monday	9:30 am	Morning Sewing Group
Tuesday	9:00 am	Preschool
	4:00 pm	Knitting Group

Thursday 9:00 am Preschool
6:30 pm Contemporary Practice

Last Sunday's Record

Contemporary Service	60	Offering	\$ 1,931.00
Sunday School	38	Weekly Need	5,185.00
Sanctuary Service	85	Through July	152,829.08
Cedar Forest	18		

The Church Session

Pat Climer, Clerk of Session

2007

Suanne Bone
Tom Halbert
David Howell
Hugo Sandoval

2008

Charles Bradshaw
Pat Climer
Ken Hawkins
Gwynn Lanius

2009

Richard Hartwell
Richard Pellerin
Mary E. Hofstetter
Roy Wauford

The Board of Deacons

Lesley Jacobson, Moderator

Loyce Bradshaw
James Herren
Lesley Jacobson
Karen Jump

Doug Bone
Jennifer Breland
Faye Brown
Becky Burris

Judy Denney
David Foutch
Judy Leonard
Justin Taylor

The Church Staff

Dr. John T. Cheetham, Pastor
Nicholas Reed, Associate Pastor
Gary Scott, Organist
Kristy Stevens, Administrative Assistant
Branson Clark, Music Director
Betsy White, Nursery Attendant
Tracey Hay, Treasurer
Lee Anne Warren, Preschool Director

Prayer Concerns

Alba Telez	Jane Martin	Keri Fitts
Jerry Gray	Larry Patton	Anne Slagle
Archie McKinnes	Debbie McClure	Maclynn Crawford
Elizah Patterson	Johnny Keel	Al Johnson
Carey Mathis	Sara Thompson	Ricky Lambert
Cecilia White	Sydney Bixby	George Donnell
Virginia Hofstetter	Ronnie Walsworth	Irene Campbell
Charles Cowden Sr.	Debbie Sharp	Lisa Newman
Claudine Prowell	Linda Wills	Debbie York
Deborah Sindorf	Sherry Arnold	Ruth Reeves
Ed Newton	Kathy Eckler	Stan Williams
Ken Fleming	Peggy Williams	Susan Bowman
Mary H. Averitt	Racheal Dugger	Deborah Dugger
Hazel Williams	Fay Hastings	Marcia Williams
Brenda Barnes (NC)	Aubrey Roney	Marjorie Nabbe
Valerie Eblin	Joseph Clemons	Capt. William Jones
Julie Stephens	Lisa Fletcher	Earl Campbell
Max Taylor	Eddie Watters	Phillip Robertson
Mechelle Bass	Nancy Gamble	Sean Barber
Thayer & Alice Smith	Jim Key	Tara Frye

Renate and Jim Robbins Nita Taylor Herstine Brown
Joanne McCanles Jonathan Hamby Bob Pursley
Freddy Bandy Family of Billy Joe Ferrell
David Grandstaff

Military

Chris Bowhannan	Jason Nolley	Lee Smith
Jaymon Bell	David Midgett	Brian Reeve
Kevin Alseys	Noah Evans	Jason Redmon
Luke Baker	Matthew Humes	James Scott
Matthew Ash	Kyle Flanagan	Randy Sandlin
Nancy Boyd	Michael O'Neil	Jeremy Scott
Scott Bass	Kyle Kaker	Jeff Scott
Stewart Beaumont	Mike Matthys	Joseph Marianelli

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