

FIRST



PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LEBANON



November 22, 2020

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

November 22, 2020 *Christ the King Sunday*

10:00 A.M.

THE GATHERING

To Glorify God and Enjoy God Forever

PRELUDE *Prelude and Fugue in C Major*

J.S. Bach

CHIMING THE HOUR

CHORAL INTROIT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 100

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

People: Worship the Lord with gladness;
come into his presence with singing.

Leader: Know that the Lord is God. It is he that made us,
and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of
his pasture.

People: Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise.

Leader: Give thanks to him, bless his name.
For the Lord is good;

People: His steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.

HYMN NO. 151 *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

DIADEMATA

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Righteous God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all.
We confess that we have not bowed before him, and are slow
to acknowledge his rule. We give allegiance to the powers of
this world, and fail to be governed by justice and love.

In your mercy, forgive us. May we always obey the commands
of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Jesus Christ died that we might have life.

People: The one without sin gave himself for us.

Leader: Friends, hear the good news:

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

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.

ANTHEM*Crown of Thorns, Crown of Glory*

Schweizer

THE WORD OF GOD**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (unison)**

Guide us, O God,
by your Word and Spirit,
that in your light we may see light,
in your truth find wisdom,
and in your will discover your peace,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Chronicles 29:10-20

SERMON*God Says Yes*

Michael Schulte

RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by
the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into
heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER**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. 155

Rejoice, the Lord Is King

DARWALL'S 148TH

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

Festive Fanfare

Noel Rawsthorne

1 Chronicles 29:10-20

Then David blessed the Lord in the presence of all the assembly; David said: "Blessed are you, O Lord, the God of our ancestor Israel, forever and ever. Yours, O Lord, are the greatness, the power, the glory, the victory, and the majesty; for all that is in the heavens and on the earth is yours; yours is the kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as head above all. Riches and honor come from you, and you rule over all. In your hand are power and might; and it is in your hand to make great and to give strength to all. And now, our God, we give thanks to you and praise your glorious name. "But who am I, and what is my people, that we should be able to make this freewill offering? For all things come from you, and of your own have we given you. For we are aliens and transients before you, as were all our ancestors; our days on the earth are like a shadow, and there is no hope. O Lord our God, all this abundance that we have provided for building you a house for your holy name comes from your hand and is all your own. I know, my God, that you search the heart, and take pleasure in uprightness; in the uprightness of my heart I have freely offered all these things, and now I have seen your people, who are present here, offering freely and joyously to you. O Lord, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, our ancestors, keep forever such purposes and thoughts in the hearts of your people, and direct their hearts toward you. Grant to my son Solomon that with single mind he may keep your commandments, your decrees, and your statutes, performing all of them, and that he may build the temple for which I have made provision." Then David said to the whole assembly, "Bless the Lord your God." And all the assembly blessed the Lord, the God of their ancestors, and bowed their heads and prostrated themselves before the Lord and the king.

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the life of Gordon Bone given by Pat Bone and Suanne Bone.

THANKSGIVING PRAYER SERVICE will be held online on Thursday at 10:30 a.m. You may participate on Zoom using the worship meeting and on Facebook.

THE FPC ADVENT DEVOTIONAL - FPC will soon publish an Advent Devotional titled *Persistent Hope: From Exile to Emmanuel*. This devotional will include daily scripture with Advent meditations from church members. A copy of the devotional will be mailed to every household this week. If you have any friends or neighbors who would like a copy, please contact Kristy or Michael.

YOUTH

Youth Group (5th -12th grade) – No Youth activities this week.

THIS WEEK AT FPC

Today

10:00 a.m. Worship

11:10 a.m. Fall Book Club

Monday

Tuesday

10:00 a.m. Worship Committee

Wednesday

12:00 p.m. Zoom Bible Study with Sherard

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday

Office Closed

10:30 a.m. Online Thanksgiving Prayer Service

Friday

Office Closed

Saturday

ELDERS

Class of 2020	Class of 2021	Class of 2022
Pat Bone	Suanne Bone	Becky Burris
Robin Orewiler	Don Goodwin	Jessica Fain
Wayne Patton	Adrienne Johnson	Mickey Stueck
Kim Wall	David Howell	

DIACONATE

Class of 2020	Class of 2021	Class of 2022
Sondra Bishop	Becky Harm	Jack Emmert
Marty Bone	Lee Lyle	Marilyn Peyton
Linda Gatlin	Sandra Patton	Laura Simmons
Pat Hatcher	Emily Peyton	Margaret Ann Trail

CHURCH COMMITTEES

Clerk of Session – Barbara Howell
Treasurer – John Foutch
Budget & Finance –
Buildings and Grounds – David Howell
Christian Education – Mickey Stueck
Congregational Care – Adrienne Johnson
Outreach – Robin Orewiler
Personnel – Suanne Bone
Worship – Pat Bone

STAFF

Ministers – All Members of the Congregation
Pastor – Sherard Edington
Director of Music – Branson Clark
Organist – J. D. Plant
Director of Christian Education – Michael Schulte
Office Administrator – Kristy Vincent
Preschool Director – Angela Hankins
Nursery – Sara Brown
Custodians – Stratus Cleaning Service

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Children	Adult
Nursery	Atypical Class
Preschool – 1 st Grade	Cross Roads Class
Elementary Class	Faith Builders Class
Middle School Class	Westminster Class
High School Class	Women's Class

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