



# First Presbyterian Church Pipestone, Minnesota

July 18, 2021 - 10:00 AM

- Prelude** : Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise.  
Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us.
- Ringing of the bell** :
- Welcome** : Stan Menning
- Announcement** : *(When Applicable)*
- Call to worship** : **Based on *Ephesians 2:11-22***
- Leader : We gather together in the name of Jesus  
Christ—
- People** : **members of God's family, and brothers and  
sisters to one another.**
- Leader : There are no outsiders here among us, no  
one has any special standing or bragging  
rights.
- People** : **For we have been brought together by the  
redeeming love of Jesus.**
- All : Let's join together in worship!

**Hymn #341** : Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine!

**Prayer of Confession:**

Leader : The proof of God's amazing love is this: While we were yet sinners Christ died for us. Because we have faith in him, we dare to approach God with confidence. In faith and penitence, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

*(Silence for reflection and self-examination)*

Leader : Holy, triune God,

**All : we confess that we have not lived for your glory. You claim us as beloved children, but we do not honor your name. You call us to paths of righteousness, but we fail to follow your way. Forgive us, God of grace. Break down the walls that divide us from you and from one another, and build us up into a holy temple; through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Leader : Hear the Good News: God did not send Christ into the world to condemn us, but that the violence of the world might be interrupted by the power of God's peace through him. As God so loved the world, and in spite of our failings, God has also loved us. In Jesus Christ, therefore, you and I are forgiven.

**All : Thanks Be To God! Amen**

**Gloria Patri** : *(Please Stand)*

**Scripture Reading** : 2 Samuel 7:1-14a

Ephesians 2:11-22

**Prayer for Illumination:**

**Hymn #327** : O Word of God Incarnate

**Message** : *A New House* Stan Menning

**Affirmation of Faith:** **Apostle's 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.***

**Prayers of the People & 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. 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 and ever. **Amen.***

**Offering** : *(Please place offering in plate by back door)*

**Doxology** : *(Please Stand)*

**Prayer of Dedication** : *(Please Stand)*

**Hymn #417** : Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

**Charge & Benediction** : *(Please Stand)*

**Postlude** : The Lord is My Shepherd.



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## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

**July 18, 2021**

### **A HUGE Thank You**

This past week, we have honored the lives of Gerrit Wabeke and Martha Evans.

The services were held on July 6, 2021 and July 10, 2021 respectively.

Thank you for the work that our volunteers put forth in coming together to make this difficult time as easy and respectful as possible.

Without the love and support of our members and community, we could not have honored these people in death as we have in life.

### **Matthew 5:4**

*"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted."*