

# First Presbyterian Church Pipestone, Minnesota

October 24, 2021 – 10:00 AM

**Prelude** : The Family of God

Ringing of the bell :

Welcome : Donna Flint

**Announcement** : Emily Speer

Call to worship :

Leader: Come away from the rush and worry of the

world to worship God.

All: We come seeking peace and quiet for

our souls.

Leader: Rest your spirits. Quiet your hearts. God is

with us.

All: Praise be to God who calls us.

Opening Hymn #469: Morning Has Broken

**Prayer of Confession:** (Unison)

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear, than we are to pray, always willing to give, more than we either desire or deserve. Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy; forgiving those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ, your son. Amen.

(Silence for reflection and self-examination)

Gloria Patri: (Please Stand)

Children's Sermon

**Prayer for Illumination**: Donna Flint

**Scripture Reading**: Psalm 34: 1-8

Leader: <sup>1</sup>I will bless the LORD at all times;

his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

People: <sup>2</sup>My soul makes its boast in the LORD;

let the humble hear and be glad.

Leader: <sup>3</sup>O magnify the LORD with me,

and let us exalt his name together.

People: <sup>4</sup>I sought the LORD, and he answered

me, and delivered me from all my

fears.

Leader: <sup>5</sup>Look to him, and be radiant;

so your faces shall never be ashamed.

People: <sup>6</sup>This poor soul cried, and was heard by

the LORD, and was saved from every

trouble.

Leader: <sup>7</sup>The angel of the LORD encamps around

those who fear him, and delivers them.

People: <sup>8</sup>O taste and see that the LORD is good;

happy are those who take refuge in him.

**Gospel:** Mark 10: 46-52

Message: Happenstance

**Robby Flint** 

**Hymn #324**: Open My Eyes That I May See

#### 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

**Special Music:** In the Garden

## **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)

Special Music : Haven of Rest

**Doxology** : (Please Stand)

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

Hymn #540 : God Be With You Till We Meet Again

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

Postlude : Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Following worship, everyone is invited to Westminster Hall for a time of fellowship and refreshments. Today's Fellowship volunteers are the wonderful Marge & Gary Vande Voort. If you would like to sign up for fellowship, please do so in the Westminster Hall.

Thank you to our ushers/greeters this week: Marge & Gary Vande Voort. If you'd like to sign up to be an usher/greeter, please contact the office to volunteer.



# ANNOUCEMENT October 24, 2021

## 1. Pastoral Nominating Committee

The PNC has met to begin work to find a pastor. They are in the beginning stages of their work and need your prayers at this time.

#### 2. Fellowship Sign-Ups

Please sign up for the fellowship. Fellowship Sign-ups are in the Fellowship Hall.

#### 3. Annual Trunk or Treat

If you would like to donate, please add "Trunk or Treat" to your memo. Trunk or Treat 2021 is this Thursday, October 28<sup>th</sup>.

#### 4. JAM Needs Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to serve and help with the kids. They will not need to teach a class, just help where needed. All ages!

# 5. Congregational Meeting November 7th

We will have a Congregational Meeting on November 7<sup>th</sup>.

Attendance on October 17

33 In-Person 124 Online