

# First Presbyterian Church Pipestone, Minnesota

August 15, 2021 - 10:00 AM

Prelude	:	
Three Organ Chime	:	
Ringing of the bell	:	
Welcome	:	Elizabeth Fox
Announcement	:	(When Applicable)
<b>Special Music</b>	:	
Call to worship	:	
Leader	:	God is the source of wisdom,
People	:	the fount of life eternal.
Leader	:	Let us listen for the wisdom of God
People	:	and worship the One whose words shape the world.

## **Prayer of Confession:**

It is only by the power of God that we Leader

are able to stand against evil. Trusting in

God's grace, let us confess our sin.

**People** O Lord, the voice of your wisdom

rings out in the world, guiding us to place our trust in you. The voice of your wisdom rings out in the world, challenging us to seek the things that matter. Too often, O Lord, we refuse to listen. We place our trust in things that are fleeting. We seek the things that make us comfortable, rather than

seeking the way of your peace.

Forgive us, God of grace, and teach us to walk in the path lined by your

wisdom.

Gloria Patri (Please Stand)

**Scripture Reading** Proverbs 9:1–6

Psalm 34:9-14

Ephesians 5:15-20

John 6:51-58

# **Prayer for Illumination:**

God of the new covenant, without your grace, our ability to receive and understand your Word is non-existent. Without your mercy, we are unable to apply that which can change our lives this day. To that end, we plead for the opening of our minds and

hearts to the truth of your Word, through the power of your Spirit. Amen.

**Message** : Elizabeth Fox

**Hymn #510** : Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

# **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.

## **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*)

We give you thanks and praise, O God, for you have chosen the poverty of the world to make your people rich in faith. Help us to put our faith into practice through the offering of our lives—giving food to the hungry, clothes to the naked, and shelter to the poor; all for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord, your Word made flesh. **Amen.** 

#### Communion

Leader : The Lord Be with you.

All : And also with you.

Leader : Lift up your hearts.

All : We lift them to the Lord.

Leader : Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All : It is right to give our thanks & praise.

Leader : Blessed are you, O Lord our God: You

invite us into the house of your wisdom, giving us bread to eat and wine to drink, and teaching us to walk in your way of truth. Therefore we praise you, joining the song of the universal church and the

heavenly choir:

Sanctus : Holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts,

Heaven and earth are full of Thy

glory: Glory be to Thee, O Lord Most

High. Amen

## **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, and 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. **Amen**.

# Words of Institution & Breaking of the Bread

Hymn #513 : Let Us Break Bread Together

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

The blessing of the one God—Spirit, Son, and Father—be with you now and always. **Alleluia!** *Ephesians 4:4–6* 

Lead a life worthy of your calling, giving glory to God in all things. **Amen.** *Ephesians 4:1* 

Postlude :



### **ANNOUCEMENT**

# August 15, 2021

#### 1. JAM Instructors Needed

We need both teachers and helpers. You will be put into a role that you feel more comfortable with. Those interested in teaching or helping, please contact Emily Speer and attend the Christian Ed Meeting August 16th at 6:00PM.

#### 2. 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.

#### 3. Organ/Piano Duet Concert for the Senior Citizens Postponed

The Organ/Piano Duet Concert for the Senior Citizens has been postponed to September 30, 2021 at 1:30PM. This is a change from what was printed in the August Newsletter.

### 4. Fellowship Sign-Ups

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

#### 5. Christian Ed Meeting August 16, 2021

If you are interested in becoming a JAM instructor or want to participate, our next Christian Education meeting is **Monday**, **August 16**<sup>th</sup> **at 6:00PM**.

# 6. Worship on Monday, August 23rd, 2021 at 5:45PM