

First Presbyterian Church Pipestone, Minnesota

February 13, 2022 - 10:00 AM

Prelude

Ringing of the bell

Welcome : Dave Hollis

Announcement : Emily Speer

Call to worship

Leader : Happy are those who take delight in the

Law of the Lord.

People : They are like trees planted by streams of

water. In all that they do they prosper.

Leader : For the Lord watches over the way of the

righteous.

People : May God number us with the righteous

as we worship the Lord.

All : Let us worship God

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

Opening Hymn #466: O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Prayer of Confession:

Leader: If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the

truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God is

faithful and just to forgive our sins and to cleans us of all unrighteousness.

(Silence for reflection and self-examination)

Leader: Please join in our prayer of Confession

All: Forgive our vain repetitions, O God of mercy, for our deeds do not match our words of belief. We mouth pious slogans but fail to correct injustice. We claim to be righteous, while practicing bigotry and rejecting others. We glory in your gifts that bring success and comfort, yet we deny neighbors their right to prosper. Help us confess Christ risen for all people, and forgive our failure to translate faith into action.

Leader: Paul writes, "If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins.... But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead...so I will be made alive in Christ." For I assure you, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven. So live in Christ that all may see your good works and glorify God who is in heaven.

All: Amen

Gloria Patri : (Please Stand)

Passing of the Peace :

Leader : May the peace of Christ be with you all.

People : And also with you.

Leader : Please share the peace of Christ with all.

Children's Sermon

Prayer for Illumination

Gospel : Luke 6:17-26

(Page #88 New Testament NRSV XL Ed)

Message : The Upside Down World

Dave Hollis

Hymn #379 : My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

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*)

Hymn (See Insert) : It Is Well With My Soul

Charge & Benediction : (*Please Stand*)

Postlude

Following worship, everyone is invited to Westminster Hall for a time of fellowship and refreshments. This week's volunteer is the wonderful Speer Family. If you would like to sign up for fellowship, please do so in the Westminster Hall.

Thank you to our usher/greeter this week: Jim & Jan Biever. If you'd like to sign up to be an usher/greeter, please contact the office to volunteer.

This Week's Opportunities

Today, February 13, 2022

10:00 AM ~ Worship

9:00 AM ~ Book Club Meeting

February Congregational Meeting

Monday, February 14

Happy Valentine's Day

Wednesday, February 16

6:00-7:00 PM ~ JAM at Peace UMC

Sunday, February 20

10:00 AM ~ Worship

11:00 AM ~ Deacon Meeting



ANNOUCEMENT February 13, 2022

Church Library Discontinued

The books formerly in the church library will be on a table in Westminster Hall. You are invited to go through these and take any you would like. Any books left will either be donated or brought to the paper truck.

Confirmation Kids Food Drive

The confirmation students will be holding a Food Drive from today through February 20th. Food will be donated to our local food shelf! There will be a collection box in the Narthex.

February Congregational Meeting Today

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.

Fellowship Sign-Ups

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



WORDS: Horatio G. Spafford, 1873 MUSIC: Philip P. Bliss, 1876