



First Presbyterian Church
Bucyrus, Ohio

August 9, 2020
Rev. Jeremy McNeill
Worship Service 10:30 AM
Adult Education 9:00 AM
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Exalting Christ. Denying Ourselves.
Loving Our Neighbors.

Service of the Word and Sacrament

Sunday, August 9, 2020 10:30AM

Please use time before the service for prayer and reflection.

Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.

Please turn off all cell phones.

Prelude

“Glorify Thy Name”

arr Hamilton

Welcome

Announcements and Concerns

***Call to Worship** (Responsive)

O Lord, open my lips,

and my mouth will declare your praise.

The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit;

a humble and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

***Prayer of Invocation**

***Hymn of Praise**

“O Lord, Be Our Refuge”

#428

***Prayer of Confession** (Unison)

Mighty and merciful God, hear our prayers and be gracious to us. For the lives we live are not worthy of our calling. Too often we heed other voices and obey other powers than your own. We have wavered in our faith and wandered from your path. We forget who we are because we forget who you are. By your grace, O God, forgive us. Restore us to the fullness of life in the Spirit of Jesus Christ. Make us your grateful servants whose greatest joy is to praise you, we ask in Jesus' name.

***Assurance of Pardon**

***Gloria Patri**

#961

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 with-out end. Amen, Amen

***Sharing of the Peace**

***Praise Hymn**

“Like a Child Rests”

#335

Old Testament

Psalm 25:4-11

Pg. 542

Psalm 40:7-10

Pg. 553

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (Debt/debtors)

Commitment through Giving

Offertory

“As the Deer”

arr Hayes

***Response**

“Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow”

#965

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.

***Prayer of Dedication** (Unison)

God of wonder, we offer you these humble gifts, signs of your goodness and mercy. Receive them with our gratitude, that through us all people may know the riches of your love in the Word-made-flesh. Amen.

New Testament

Colossians 1:1-9

Pg. 1168

Message

“Doing the Will of God”

Guest Speaker Al Fulton

***Closing Hymn**

“Lord, I Gladly Trust”

#354

***Benediction**

Postlude

“Lord, I Lift Your Name on High”

arr Wagner

Announcements

Worship folders are presented to the glory of God by Tami Robinson.

Chancel flowers today are presented to the Glory of God by Lori Rager in honor of her son, Joe's 16th birthday.

Ladies Discipleship will resume September 8th. The new book the Men & Women's groups will be using is *The Gospel Comes with a House Key* by Rosaria Champagne Butterfield

This Week

Sun., August 9

Tues., August 11

Wed., August 12

Fri., July 17

10:30 AM Worship Service – and on-line

7:00 PM Men's Discipleship at the church

5:00 PM Deacon's meeting

7:00 AM Men's Prayer group @ The Pelican

Guest Speaker: Al Fulton

Liturgist: Joe Collene

Deacon for the month: Sue Irwin

Elder for the month: Joe Collene

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Jeremy McNeill 256-652-7823

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In Our Prayers

Surgery, Injury, and/or Recuperating:

Don Reed, Norm Campbell, Brenda Mutchler, Duane Watts, Joyce Hahn, Marv Hauenstein, Judy Eichhorn,

Shut-Ins:

Mary Lou Hastings, Sue Headley, Glenn Gibson, Grace Kearns, Mary Kiess, Marcia Dobbins Rodger and Jenni Murphy

Cancer

Maddie & Britney Hubble, Jan Fulton's niece & her mom
Annette Cheney, a friend of Kathy Bardon
Jay Owen, Barb Price's Son
Crosby Hieber, 5 years old, great grandson of Mary Kiess
Steve Hoover
Bruce Betz, Kelli Patterson's stepdad
Ann Pokopac, Kathy Bardon's sister
Ellen Andrews, Kathy Bardon's cousin
Bruce Price, Dan's brother
Ruthie Robinson, friend of Gennie Rios

Members, Family and Friends of Members:

Joe Kilgore's Grandmother, Sue
Bill Irwin, Gary Irwin's brother
Jim Hunt, Music Director at St. Pauls
Jamie Carver, Bucyrus Police Officer
Sylvia Lane, Kelli Patterson's grandmother
Jo Anne Johns, Donna Watts's mom
Florence Cooper, Vickie Ahlefeld's mother
Sandy Will, Carrie Diebler's mother
Bob Downing

Military:

John T. Ballinger III, Cody Gibson, Keagan Rios, Levi Diebler, Daron Watts, Zach Wilson, Brydan Lohr

Prayer Requests

Prayers are needed for: _____ Member ___ Family___ Friend ___

Remove Prayer request: _____

Requested by: _____

Sermon Notes





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