

SERVICE OF WORSHIP FOR JUNE 12, 2022

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE Handbells

THERE IS A REDEEMER

INTROIT 402

How Lovely, Lord

Psalm 84

Gathering Around The World

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Ascribe to the Lord all glory and honor.

All: Lord, our God, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

One: Come and worship the Lord in holy splendor.

All: Lord, our God, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

One: To the Father, to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,

All: be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

*HYMN 1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

NICAEA

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Holy God, you call us
to change our hearts and lives,
to return to you.

Yet so often we like the way things are,
and we aren't sure what changing
and following you would mean.

You promise new life for all,
but often we have already decided
who is good and who is bad,
closing off your love for others and ourselves.

You call us to seek your heart,
to allow ourselves to be born anew in your Spirit.
But too often we live in the literal meaning of your words,
rather than letting the spirit of your word live in us.

Come and dwell within us, O God,
and transform us from the inside out.
In the name of Jesus Christ, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

God is ready to forgive us, for God is gracious and compassionate,
slow to anger and abounding in mercy. Be at peace with God, with
yourself, and with one another. Know that we have God's mercy, the
comfort of the Holy Spirit, and the promise of this wonderful Good
News:

All: Through the grace of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!
Thanks be to God!

*PASSING THE PEACE

We invite you to share the peace of Christ with others,
using a smile or a wave.

*RESPONSE 581

GLORIA PATRI

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 without end. Amen, amen.

Listening To the Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION OF GOD'S WORD

FIRST READING

Psalm 8

(The scripture readings can be found on the side panel of the bulletin)

SHARING FAITH WITH THE YOUNGER CHURCH

ANTHEM 372

O for a World

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SECOND READING

John 16:12-15

SERMON

"And the Best of the Three Is..." Linda Crawford

Responding to the Word

*HYMN 691

Lord, When I Came into This Life

LAND OF REST

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Apostles' Creed

page 35 in hymnal

SHARING OUR PRAYERS

See prayer concerns list, back page

PRAYERS ON THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

page 35 in hymnal

GIVING BACK TO GOD'S KINGDOM

Let us offer God our gifts this day with grateful hearts
and the generosity revealed in Christ himself.

*for portions marked with an asterisk,
you're invited to rise in body or spirit

*THE DOXOLOGY 606

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, you heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

God Sends Us Forth

*HYMN 353

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

SOLID ROCK

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

*BLESSING

HYMN

Irish Blessing

POSTLUDE

Visiting today? Welcome!

Please tell us a little about yourself!
You can scan this QR code with your
smartphone to fill out our online form.
We would love to contact you and get to
know you better!



This Week

Wed., June 15 @ 5:00pm - Fellowship Committee Meeting

Wed., June 15 @ 7:00pm - Deacon Meeting

Sun., June 19 @ 11:00am - Worship

Sun., June 19 @ 12:00pm - Congregational Meeting

Worship Assistants Next Week

Liturgist.....Marshall Judy

Ushers.....John & Cathy Wright,
Kim King, Brad Schoolcraft

Sound.....Sue Guffey

First Reading—Psalm 8

- ¹ O Lord, our Sovereign,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!
You have set your glory above the heavens.
- ² Out of the mouths of babes and infants
you have founded a bulwark because of your foes,
to silence the enemy and the avenger.
- ³ When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars that you have established;
- ⁴ what are humans that you are mindful of them,
mortals that you care for them?
- ⁵ Yet you have made them a little lower than God
and crowned them with glory and honor.
- ⁶ You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;
you have put all things under their feet,
- ⁷ all sheep and oxen,
and also the beasts of the field,
- ⁸ the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea,
whatever passes along the paths of the seas.
- ⁹ O Lord, our Sovereign,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Second Reading—John 16:12-15

¹² "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. ¹³ When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. ¹⁴ He will glorify me because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. ¹⁵ All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

*Scripture verses taken from
the New Revised Standard Version*



Prayers for Comfort, Concern, and Healing

Synda Heikkinen; Richard Wright's sister, Peggy; Mary Jane Lackey; Linda Bonardel's brother, David; Terry Hatfield; Ed Mick & family; Jon Burlew's brother, Eddie; Barb & Gordon Germain's daughter, Janet Piercy; Ed Cook; Steve Vaught; Angie Butler; Jon Burlew; Sherry Woodall's sister, Ardenia; Karen Dikeman; Jack Reynolds' children; Leslie Phillips; JB Pitman's mom, Ada; Becky Pitman's sister, Rhonda Roark

Current Giving

	Rec'd Wk of 5/29/22	Needed Weekly	Received YTD	Needed YTD
Pledged Offering	\$2,402	\$3,682	\$68,408	\$81,004
Non- Pledged	\$426	\$728	\$22,746	\$16,016

Assisting In Worship

Ministers.....Every Member
Liturgist.....Laura Wright
Ushers.....John & Lynn Cain,
 Marshall Judy, Zack Vaught
Sound.....Jon Burlew
Director of Music.....Theresa Jean Kibby
Piano & Organ.....Debby McDonald
Preacher.....Linda Crawford

Elders:

<i>Class of 2022</i>	<i>Class of 2023</i>	<i>Class of 2024</i>
Forrest Brock	Bill Fountain	Charlie Leveridge
Chris Phillips	Kimberly King	Zack Vaught
Erin Stephens	Perry Waller	John Wright

Deacons:

Brenda Wesley	Cheri Gomez	Marty Whitson
Carol Ann Wade	Nina Wilhelm	Katie Jones
Cathy Wright	Susie Lackey	George Joplin
	Stephanie Ousley	

First Presbyterian Church

June 12th, 2022
Trinity Sunday



Watts, Mary S. Watts Chapel - Spirit of Truth. 1895. Relief Sculpture. Clay. Compton, United Kingdom. <http://diglib.library.vanderbilt.edu/act-imagelink.pl?RC=58915>

People of God, Welcome Home!

May Christ's peace and presence fill your heart as you worship this day, and may you go forth with the light and love of God shining within you.

We welcome you to worship, and ask that any electronic devices be placed on silent so that all may hear what God has to say.

Due to the personal boundaries and preferences of others, please ask before offering a hug or handshake.

Our sanctuary is equipped with a T-coil system for people with hearing difficulty.