

First Presbyterian Church
May 11, 2014, 11:00 a.m. ~ Morning Worship
Matt Schultz - Pastor
Jan Gruhn - Organist

Prelude: *"I Sing the Mighty Power of God"* Arr., Gustafson
Jan Gruhn, Organist-Janet Stiles, Pianist

Greetings and Opening Prayer
Please sign an attendance card and pass it down the row.

Introit Chancel Choir

Call to Worship:

Leader: We are called as partners in Christ's service.

**All: Called to ministries of grace; called to deep commitment;
called to fulfill god's chosen end.**

Leader: Let us follow Christ's example, seeking reconciliation for all people on earth;

All: Men and women, richer, poorer, All God's people, young and old.

Leader: Let us answer God's call.

All: Let us worship God!

✠ Hymn *"Called as Partners in Christ's Service"* (Insert)

Time of Reconciliation

Leader: Gracious Lord, you have called us to be your community.

All: But we sometimes choose exclusion over grace

Leader: You send us to be reflections of your image

All: But we sometimes choose comfort over mission.,

Leader: We come to you with humble hearts,

All We confess our sins to the Lord..

Leader: We will offer our confessions to God silence.

Moment of Silent Confession

Sisters and Brothers, believe the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

All: Thanks be to God!

✠ Response *Gloria Patri* #805

All: 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.

✠ Passing of the Peace
Primary Choir *"The Butterfly Song"* Brian Howard

The Word

Word with Children

Choral Anthem *"A Shepherd's Psalm"* Martin Chancel Choir

Scripture 1 Genesis 1:26-31 (Pg. 2)
Scripture 2 Acts 9:36-43 (Pg.1088)

Sermon Pastor Matt Schultz

The Response

✠ Hymn *"Spirit Song"*

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *"Morning Has Broken"* Traditional
Janet Stiles, Piano- Jan Gruhn, Organ

✠ Response *Doxology* #809

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

✠ Prayer of Dedication

✝ Hymn

“Lord I Lift Your Name on High”

Pastoral Prayer and the 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.

✝ Hymn

“Prince of Peace”

The Sending and ✝ Benediction

Postlude

“Tocatta Brevis”

Joseph

✝ = Congregation Standing

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