

# ***First Presbyterian Church***

**July 5, 2015, 10:00 a.m. - Morning Worship**

**Matt Schultz – Pastor**

**Jan Gruhn – Organist**

Prelude: “Battle Hymn of the Republic” Arr., Ore

## **Welcome and Announcements**

### **Call to Worship**

Liturgist: Bill Hazelton

Leader: Let us worship God with words drawn from Psalm 5, a Psalm of David, Lord, hear our Prayer:

**All: Give ear to our words, O Lord; give heed to our sighing.**

Leader: Listen to the sound of our cry, our King and our God,

**All: O Lord, in the morning you hear our voices;**

Leader: Through the abundance of your steadfast love, we enter your house for worship.

**All: Let all who take refuge in you rejoice; let them ever sing for joy.**

Leader: Let us sing praises to the Lord..

**All: Let us worship God!**

†Hymn “My Country, ‘Tis of Thee” #417

### **Time of Reconciliation**

Leader: We confess to God with words drawn from Psalm 51, a Psalm of David. Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love.

**All: According to your abundant mercy, blot out our transgressions**

Leader: Wash us thoroughly from iniquity, and cleanse us from sin.

**All: For we know our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us.**

Leader: We have sinned against you, and done what is evil in your sight.

**All: Therefore teach us wisdom in our secret hearts. Let us hear joy and gladness.**

Leader: Create in us clean hearts, O God, and put new and right spirits within us.

**All: Do not cast us away from your presence, and do not take your holy spirit from us.**

Leader: Restore to us the joy of your salvation,

**All: And sustain willing spirits in us.**

Leader: We confess our sin to God in a moment of silent prayer.

### **(Moment for silent confession)**

Leader: Sisters and Brothers, hear and 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**

### **The Word**

### **Time for Children**

**Special Music** “God Bless America” *Irving Berlin*  
*Soloist- Pat Peacock*

**Scripture 1:** Psalm 30 Page 547-548  
**Scripture 2:** 2 Samuel 6:12-22 Page 301

**Sermon** Pastor Matt Schultz

### **The Response**

†Hymn “God is My Great Desire ” #336

## Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

(You now may make your contributions on line, for details go to our website)

Offertory      “That’s America to Me”      *Allan/Robinson*  
                         *Soloist: Pat Peacock*  
                         *Accompanist-Janet Stiles*

✠Response              *Doxology*                              #809

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

✠*Song of Preparation:*      “*What Wondrous Love Is This*”              #212

*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.*

## Words of Institution Distribution of the Elements

✠Hymn              “My Hope Is in the Lord”                              #482

## The Sending and Benediction

Postlude              “*America*”                              *Arr., Johnson*

WELCOME TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
SUNDAY, July 5, 2015  
WORSHIP SERVICE

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WE DO NOT DRAW PEOPLE TO CHRIST  
BY LOUDLY DISCREDITING WHAT THEY  
BELIEVE, BY TELLING THEM HOW  
WRONG THEY ARE AND HOW RIGHT WE  
ARE, BUT BY SHOWING THEM A LIGHT  
THAT IS SO LOVELY THAT THEY WANT  
WITH ALL THEIR HEARTS TO KNOW THE  
SOURCE OF IT. -L'ENGLE

