

First Presbyterian Church
February 25th, 11:00 am – Morning Worship
Matthew Schultz – Pastor
David Hagen – Music Director
Marie Matetich – Organist

Prelude: “Prelude on a Theme of Thomas Tallis” Near

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Matthew Schultz

Introit Chancel
Choir

✠ **Hymn:** “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” #60

Time for Reconciliation Liturgist Dennis Berry

Leader: You speak, Lord, but we are not always listening.

All: Sometimes other voices are louder or more persuasive.

Leader: You show us your way, lord, but we are not always looking.

All: Sometimes other ways mislead us with their ease or power.

Leader: You give us choices, now help us to learn your will.

All: Lead us, Lord, to walk your way on any road we travel.

Leader: We pause now for a moment of silent confession.

Leader: Sisters and brothers in Christ, hear and believe the good news of the Gospel: In Jesus Christ, all 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 the Peace

Kid’s Time

Moment for Presbyterian Black History

Choral Anthem “When Love is Found” Roxanne Berry – flute
Garrett Burtner – clarinet

Welcome New Members

Scripture John 11:43-54 Page 1064

Scripture Luke 23:50-56 Page 1047

Sermon Rev. Matthew Schultz

Installation of Elders and Deacons

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✠ **Hymn** “Jesus Calls Us o’er the Tumult” #580

Presentation of Tithes and Offering (Gifts can also be offered via our website)

Offertory “God So Loved the World” Stainer

Response

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

Pastor Prayer / 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** “I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light” #539

Benediction

Postlude: “Prelude in Fugue in e Minor” Bach

**WELCOME TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SUNDAY WORSHIP
February 25, 2018**

“When Love is Found”

When love is found and hope comes home,
Sing and be glad that two are one
When love explodes and fills the sky,
Praise God and share our Maker's joy.

When love has flowered in trust and care,
Build both each day that love may dare
To reach beyond home's warmth and light,
To serve and strive for truth and right.

When love is tried as loved ones change,
Hold still to hope, though all seems strange,
Till ease returns and love grows wise
Through listening ears and opened eyes.

When love is torn and trust betrayed,
Pray strength to love till torments fade,
Till lovers keep no score of wrong
But hear through pain love's Easter song.

Praise God for love, praise God for life,
In age or youth in husband, wife.
Lift up your hearts, let love be fed
Through death and life in broken bread.



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