

First Presbyterian Church  
November 12<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 am – Morning Worship  
Matthew Schultz – Pastor  
David Hagen – Music Director  
Jan Gruhn – Organist

**Prelude** “Lord Jesus Christ, Thou Fount of Grace” J.S. Bach

**Welcome and Announcements** Rev. Matthew Schultz

**Introit** Chancel Choir

✠ **Hymn** “I Will Sing of My Redeemer” #492

**Prayer of Reconciliation** Liturgist Dennis Berry  
Adapted from prayers written by Martin Luther

Leader: Let us Pray: Lord, you are the Good Shepherd, and we are lost and straying sheep.

**All: We would gladly belong to your flock, and be with you, and have peace in our hearts.**

Leader: We have fear and anxiety. We feel the weight of our sins; They bite and gnaw and terrify us. Where shall we go?

**All: We will look to you, Lord Jesus, and believe in you.**

**Although our faith is weak, we look to you and find assurance,**

**For you have promised that those who believe in you**

**Shall have everlasting life.**

Leader: Our conscience is burdened and our sins make us tremble, but you have said: “Be of good cheer, your sins are forgiven and I will raise you up on the last day and you shall have eternal life.”

**All: We cannot do any of this for ourselves. We come to you for help.**

Leader: We pause now to offer our confessions silently to God.

**Moment for Silent Prayer**

Leader: Sisters and brothers, hear 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 the Peace**

**Kid’s Time**

**Ordaining and Installing New Officers**

**Choral Anthem** “Good News Celebration” Chancel Choir

**Scripture** Hebrews 10:1-24 Page 1190

**Sermon** Rev. Matthew Schultz

**Special Music** “In Christ Alone”

✠ **Hymn** “My Faith Has Found a Resting Place” #495

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

**Offertory** “Praise to Thee, Lord Jesus Christ” Buxtehude

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** “Search Me, O God” #458

*Benediction*

**Postlude**

*“Trumpet Tune”*

Stanley

**WELCOME TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
SUNDAY WORSHIP  
NOVEMBER 12, 2017**

***“Good News Celebration!”***

Share the Good News Celebration! Sing His praises joyfully.  
Share with every tribe and nation, Christ has come and sets us free.

*Chorus:*

*Sing and praise Him! Worthy of our praise is He.  
Alleluia! Sing and praise Him joyfully!*

Witness now with expectation, share the gospel far and near;  
Tell of Christ and His salvation, spread the news that all may hear.

*Chorus*

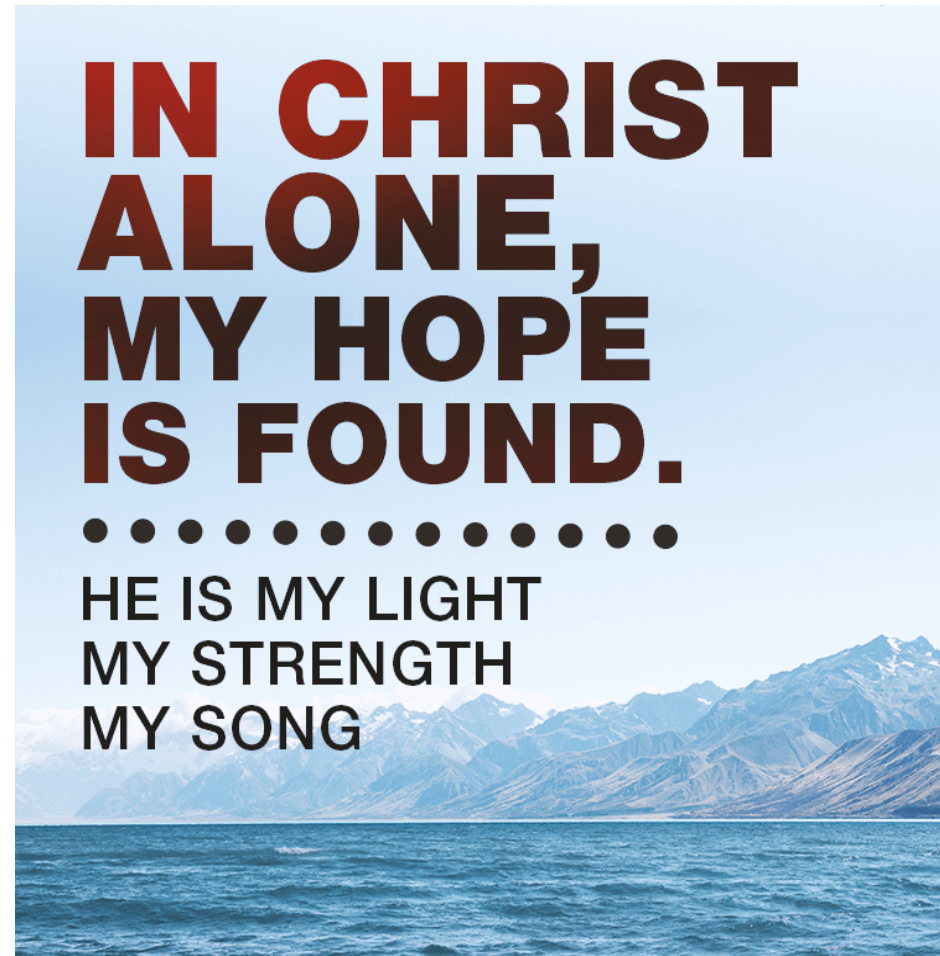
Share the Good News Celebration! Share the news of God’s design;  
Let us sing with jubilation. We are branches, He’s the vine.

*Chorus*

**IN CHRIST  
ALONE,  
MY HOPE  
IS FOUND.**



**HE IS MY LIGHT  
MY STRENGTH  
MY SONG**



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