



The People of First Presbyterian Church

OUR GATHERING

The Chiming of the Hour
 Prelude "Angels Serenade" Gaetano Braga
 Welcome and Announcements
 Choral Call to Worship "The Summons" arr. John L. Bell
 Prayer of Praise and Adoration

Call to Worship from Psalm 130
 The Lord be with you;
And also with you.
 People of God, hope in the Lord,
For with the Lord there is steadfast love.
 Let us worship God.

+Opening Hymn # 829 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" OLIVET

Prayer of Confession
God of grace, love, and communion, we confess that we have failed to love you with all our heart, soul, and mind; and to love our neighbor as ourselves. We ignore your commandments, stray from your way, and follow other gods. Have mercy on us. Forgive our sin and raises us to new life that we may serve you faithfully and give honor to your holy name. Amen. *Moment for Silent Meditation.*

Congregational Prayer Response: **Bless all who trust in God and walk within God's ways; Bless every soul whose happiness springs from the Lord's own praise! from Hymn # 47**

Assurance of Pardon
 Passing of the Peace
 Anthem "They Cast Their Nets" Michael McCabe

THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination
 The Word of God Hebrew Scriptures: **1 Samuel 8:4-20; 11:14-15 (p. 239)**
 Psalter: **Psalm 138 (p. 545)**
 New Testament: **2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 (p. 170)**
 Gospel: **Mark 3:20-35 (p. 35)**

Children's Message
 Sermon "Chosen Family" Reverend B.J. Chain

+Affirmation of Faith
I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

+The Gloria Patri, 581 *Glory Be to the Father*
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.

OUR RESPONSE

Prayer of the People
 Call for the Offering
 Offertory "Offertorio in G" J. Leybach

+Doxology, 606
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below: Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Communion Hymn # 727 "The Servant Song" THE SERVANT SONG

Invitation to the Lord's Table
 Great Thanksgiving
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

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.

Breaking of the Bread
 Communion of the People
 Communion Meditation
 Prayer after Communion

SENDING

Sending Hymn # 361 "Oh Christ, the Great Foundation" AURELIA
 +Charge and Blessing
 +Postlude

Prayer Concerns

Sandra Mims
 Health Concerns

Jon & Dorothy Fortman
 Health Concerns

Toni Oakes
 (Ed Oakes' Sister)
 Health Concerns

Ginny Oakes
 (Ed Oakes' Mother)
 Health Concerns

Bonnie Boyd
 Health Concerns

Allison L. Jones
 (Scott Jones' Mother)
 Health Concerns

Sherri Musgrove
 (Friend of Anna Jones)
 Breast Cancer

Genie Hutchison
 Continued Prayers

Amy Sullivan
 (Pam Sullivan's Daughter-In-Law)
 Health Concerns

Lyla Fulton (2 Years Old)
 (Holly Longton's Great Niece)
 Cancer Diagnosis

Collene Albright & Family
 Health Concerns

Chris Geuder
 (Son of Rod & Maridith Geuder)
 Health Concerns

Darlene Walrod
 Recovery from broken hip-surgery

Desiree Krieger
 Recovery from Back Surgery

Eric Krieger
 Recovery from Knee Fracture

Pat Goodman
 Recovery from Knee Replacement Surgery

The Segrest Family
 On the Loss of
 Mr. Tom and Mrs. Linda Segrest

The Gavin Family
 On the Loss of Mr. Bill Gavin
 Prayer requests should be communicated
 through the Church Office.

+ Indicates a time to stand as you are comfortable in doing so
Please join in unison reading of the bold print

THE CHURCH AT WORK

We welcome you to
First Presbyterian Church!

A **Nursery** is available in the Education Building for the youngest worshipers (birth through five years old). **Restrooms** are located on both floors in the Education Building. Follow the signs or ask a friendly face who will be happy to help you find anything you need.

Today 3rd Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal

9:45 a.m.
Sunday School

11:00 a.m.
Communion Worship

3:00 p.m.
PW Gathering

Tuesday
PCDP Summer Program
Begins

Wednesday
12:30 p.m.
Bible Study

5:00 p.m.
Worship & Music Meeting

Thursday
5:30 p.m. Al-Anon

Next Sunday
4th Sunday
after Pentecost

Happy Father's Day!

9:00 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal

9:45 a.m.
Sunday School

11:00 a.m.
Worship

Helping Hands
Boxed Cereal
Canned Spaghetti Sauce
Flavored Rice or Pasta

Session

B.J. Chain, Moderator Cathy Young, Clerk

<u>Class of 2024</u>	<u>Class of 2025</u>	<u>Class of 2026</u>
Fran Brown -1	Collene Albright-3	Maridith Geuder-1
Dennis Harmon -1	Hope Devenney-4	Tori Pumphrey-4
Susan Smith -2	Taylor Richardson-2	Lezli Waits-4
Cathy Young -4	Tom Richardson-3	Steve Wilkes-2

Numbers beside names indicate Shepherding Group

Diaconate

<u>Class of 2024</u>	<u>Class of 2025</u>	<u>Class of 2026</u>
Angela Gardner -2	Dorothy Fortman-1	Hope Oakes-3
Marthalie Porter -1	Hillary Richardson-3	Eric Waits-4
Emma Richardson-3	Anna Jones -4	

Numbers beside names indicate Shepherding Group

Helping Hands Needs:

Boxed Cereal, Canned Spaghetti Sauce, Flavored Rice or Pasta (ex. Knorr Sides)

IT'S HOT!!!!

Helping Hands has started its Annual Fan Drive.

New fans and monetary donations are being accepted throughout the summer.

If you are making a monetary donation, please drop it in the offering plate referencing HH Fan Drive. Fans can be dropped off in the education building.

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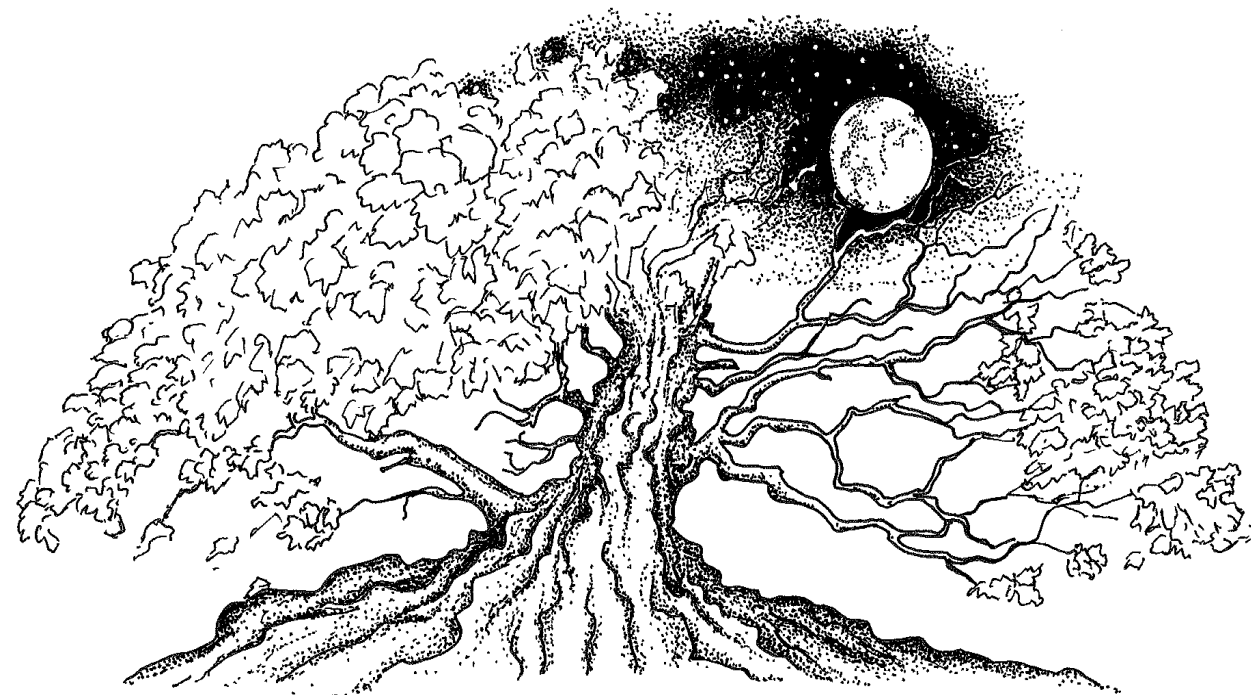
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In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with
God, and the Word was God. John 1:1

“Chosen Family”

Reverend B.J. Chain

June 9, 2024

