



FIRST
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CHATTANOOGA

The Lord's Day
SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2019

Prelude

Reformation Bell Choir
"Festive Praise" by Susan Geschke

Elder Presentation

Preparing Our Hearts and Minds for Worship

Laurie Eismeier
"Come, Thou Almighty King" arr. by Jordan Eismeier
*Adult Choir
"Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal" arr. by Alice Parker

Elder Prayer

†Sung Call to Worship

No. 173 (vv. 1-3)
"Praise Him! Praise Him!"

†Hymn

No. 170 (vv. 1-4)
"Fairest Lord Jesus"

†Affirmation of Faith *(To be read in unison)* Elder Steve Dunn
My Father, I could never have sought my happiness in Thy love, unless Thou had'st first loved me. Thy Spirit has encouraged me by grace to seek Thee, has made known to me Thy reconciliation in Jesus, has taught me to believe it, has helped me to take Thee for my God and portion. May He grant me to grow in the knowledge and experience of Thy love, and walk in it all the way to glory. Blessed forever be Thy fatherly affection, which chose me to be one of Thy children by faith in Jesus: I thank Thee for giving me the desire to live as such. In Jesus, my brother, I have my new birth, every restraining power, every renewing grace.

Confession of Sin *(To be read in unison)* Elder Steve Dunn
Take me to the cross to seek glory from its infamy; strip me of every pleasing pretence of righteousness by my own doings. O gracious Redeemer, I have neglected Thee too long, often crucified Thee, crucified Thee afresh by my impenitence, put Thee to open shame. I thank Thee for the patience that has borne with me so long, and for the grace that now makes me willing to be Thine. O unite me to Thyself with inseparable bonds, that nothing may ever draw me back from Thee, my Lord, my Saviour.

Private Confession

Prayer of Assurance & for God's People Elder Steve Dunn

Offertory Reformation Bell Choir
"Contemplation on Beautiful Savior" arr. by Matthew Compton

†Greeting of Peace & Dismissal of Children
*Children's church for 4 years old through 1st grade is available. Parents, please walk your children to the PreK-K room. (*Leaders will meet children at the left front doors of the Sanctuary during the late service only.)*

†Doxology No. 731

†Scripture Reading Rev. Chris Ehlers
John 20:30-31 (pg. 907 in pew Bible)

Sermon Rev. Chris Ehlers
"That You May Believe!"

†Closing Hymn Bulletin (vv. 1,4)
"In Christ Alone"

†Benediction Rev. Chris Ehlers

Postlude Judy Glass, Organ
"Psalm 119" by Marcello

†The Congregation will please stand.
*10:55 service

³⁰"Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; ³¹but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His name."

– John 20:30-31

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Robert and Virginia Talley and Humphrey B. and Rosina Heywood, parents of Joan and Barry Heywood, M.D. (Flowers will be arranged by the Young Marrieds Sunday Class following the late worship service. All volunteers are welcome.)

Announcements are available at the entrances or 1stPresbyterian.com.

In Christ Alone

Words and Music by
Keith Getty and Stuart Townend

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VERSE

A^b E^b A^b B^b E^b/G A^b E^b/G Fm⁷ A^b/B^b



1. In Christ a-lone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, — my
2. In Christ a-lone, who took on flesh, ful-ness of God in help-less
3. There in the ground His bod-y lay, Light of the world by dark-ness
4. No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the pow'r of Christ — in

4 E^b A^b E^b A^b B^b E^b/G A^b E^b/G Fm⁷ A^b/B^b



song; This Cor-ner-stone, this sol-id Ground, firm through the fierc-est drought — and
babe! This gift of love and right-eous-ness, scorned by the ones He came — to
slain; Then, burst-ing forth in glo-ri-ous Day, up from the grave He rose — a-
me; From life's first cry to fi-nal breath, Je-sus com-mands my des-ti-

8 E^b E^b/G A^b E^b/G B^b^{SUS} B^b E^b/G A^b Cm⁷



storm. What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when striv-ings
save. Till on that cross as Je-sus died, the wrath of God was sat-is-
-gain! And as He stands in vic-to-ry, sin's curse has lost its grip on
-ny. No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man, can ev-er pluck me from His

12 B^b^{SUS} B^b A^b E^b A^b B^b E^b/G A^b E^b/G Fm⁷ A^b/B^b



cease. My Com-fort-er, my All in All, here in the love of Christ — I
-fied. For ev-ry sin on Him was laid; Here in the death of Christ — I
me; For I am His and He is mine, bought with the pre-cious blood — of
hand; Till He re- turns or calls me home, here in the pow'r of Christ — I'll

16 E^b B^bm⁷ Fm⁷ E^b E^b^{SUS} E^b



stand.
live.
Christ.
stand!

Sermon Notes:

This Week at FPCC

Sunday, May 5

8:30 AM Early Worship Service (*Ehlers*) Sanctuary
Early Fellowship Worship (*Haberkorn*) Fellowship Hall
9:45 AM Sunday School
10:55 AM Late Worship Service (*Ehlers*) Sanctuary
Late Fellowship Worship (*Haberkorn*) Fellowship Hall
12:15 PM Coffee/Coke Fellowship Coffee Lounge
12:30 PM Children's Ministry Intern Appreciation

Monday, May 6

10:00 AM Women's Prayer Time Session Room
5:00 PM Children's Ministry Teachers' Dinner
6:30 PM Children's Ministry Team Leaders Meeting

Tuesday, May 7

12:00 PM Beatitude Living Tower 404

Wednesday, May 8

4:30 PM Deacon-on-Call Appts. Deacon Office
World Missions Prayer Time Tower 404
6:15 PM Rapha Classes Tower 3rd Floor
Men's Choir Rehearsal Choir Room

Thursday, May 9

11:00 PM It's a Wonderful Life! Vesper Point

Friday, May 10

8:30 AM Salvation Army Ministry
12:00 PM Card-E-Ology Tower 10th Floor

Saturday, May 11

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