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*The Vision of First Presbyterian Church is to be a city-center church compelled by Christ's love to make disciples in our homes, city, and the world.*

**The Lord's Day**  
SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2020

**Prelude**

“Largo” by Zipoli

Judy Glass, Organ

**Preparing Our Hearts and Minds for Worship**

Laura Ayres  
\*Adult Choir

“Lord, Listen to Your Children” by Ken Medema, arr. by Jack Schrader

**†Call to Worship** *(To be read responsively)*

Dr. Tim Kirk

*Psalm 27:14, Psalm 28:6-9*

Leader: Wait for the LORD; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the LORD.

**People: Blessed be the LORD! For He has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy. The LORD is my strength and my shield; in Him my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to Him.**

Leader: The LORD is the strength of His people; He is the saving refuge of His anointed. Oh, save Your people and bless Your heritage! Be their Shepherd and carry them forever.

**†Hymn**

No. 676 (vv. 1-3)

“Day by Day and with Each Passing Moment”

**†Prayer of Adoration**

Rev. Mike Haberkorn

**†Hymn**

No. 679 (vv. 1-4)

“ ‘Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus”

**†Affirmation of Faith** *(To be read responsively)* Rev. Mike Haberkorn

*Heidelberg Catechism, #1*

Leader: What is your only comfort in life and in death?

**ALL: That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death— to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with His precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to Him, Christ, by His Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.**

**†Hymn**

No. 164 (vv. 1-3)

“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

**Confession of Sin** *(To be read in unison)*

Rev. Mike Haberkorn

from *Book of Common Prayer*

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of Your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in Your will, and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your Name.**

**Private Confession of Sin**

**Hymn of Assurance**

No. 164 (vv. 4-6)

“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

**Elder Prayer for God's People**

**Choral Worship & Receiving of Tithes & Offerings**

Laura Ayres  
\*Adult Choir

“Come to the Water” by Dan Foley, arr. by Lynda Hasseler

O let all who thirst, let them come to the water. And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord, without money, without price. Why should you pay the price, except for the Lord?

And let all who seek, let them come to the water. And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord, without money, without strife. Why should you spend your life, except for the Lord?

And let all who toil, let them come to the water. And let all who are weary, let them come to the Lord, all who labor without rest. How can your soul find rest, except for the Lord?

And let all the poor, let them come to the water. Bring the ones who are laden, bring them all to the Lord. Bring the children without might, easy the load and light. Come to the Lord.

**†Greeting of Peace & Dismissal of Children**

*Children's church for 4 years old through 1<sup>st</sup> 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**

James 5:12-20 (pg. 1013 in pew Bible)

Dr. Tim Kirk

**Sermon**

“That You May be Healed”

Dr. Tim Kirk

**†Closing Hymn**

“Blessed Assurance”

No. 693 (vv. 1,3)

**†Benediction**

Dr. Tim Kirk

**Postlude**

“Toccata” by Zipoli

Judy Glass, Organ

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

*The flowers today are given for the glory of God by Linda and Pete Austin. (Flowers will be arranged and delivered following the late worship service by Redeemed by the Word Sunday School Class. All volunteers are welcome.)*

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**Sermon Notes:**

<sup>12</sup>But above all, my brothers, do not swear, either by heaven or by earth or by any other oath, but let your “yes” be yes and your “no” be no, so that you may not fall under condemnation.

<sup>13</sup>Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise. <sup>14</sup>Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. <sup>15</sup>And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. <sup>16</sup>Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working. <sup>17</sup>Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and heaven gave rain, and the earth bore its fruit.

<sup>19</sup>My brothers, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and someone brings him back, <sup>20</sup>let him know that whoever brings back a sinner from his wandering will save his soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

– James 5:13-20

**This Week at FPCC****Sunday, March 8**

8:30 AM	Early Worship Service ( <i>Kirk</i> )	Sanctuary
	Early Fellowship Worship ( <i>Hutchinson</i> )	Fellowship Hall
9:45 AM	Sunday School	
10:55 AM	Late Worship Service ( <i>Kirk</i> )	Sanctuary
	Late Fellowship Worship ( <i>Hutchinson</i> )	Fellowship Hall
12:15 PM	Coffee/Coke Fellowship	Coffee Lounge
	Flower Arranging/Delivery	Nell Davis
6:00 PM	High School Small Group	Student Center

**Monday, March 9**

10:00 AM	Women’s Prayer Time	Session Room
	Women’s Ministry Board Mtg	Poindexter Classroom
3:15 PM	English Conversation Class	Student Center
4:30 PM	Adult Enrichment Ministry Team	Tower 403
6:00 PM	Instrumental Ensemble	Choir Room
7:00 PM	Handbell Rehearsal	SS 208

**Tuesday, March 10**

9:30 AM	Precept Bible Study	Nell Davis
	Women of the Covenant	Tower 404
9:45 AM	GAP Bible Study	Tower 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor
12:00 PM	Beatitude Living	Tower 404
6:00 PM	VBS Meeting	Junior Department
6:30 PM	ONE Bible Study	Tower 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor

**Wednesday, March 11**

3:15 PM	English Conversation Class	Student Center
4:30 PM	Deacon-on-Call Appts.	Deacon Office
	World Missions Prayer Time	Tower 404
5:15 PM	Fellowship Meal	Fellowship Hall
6:15 PM	Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
	Children’s Ministry	SS Wing
	High School Fellowship	Tower 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor
	Middle School Small Group	Student Center
	Midweek	Various
	Rapha Classes	Tower 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor

**Thursday, March 12**

10:30 AM	It’s a Wonderful Life	Fellowship Hall
12:00 PM	Lunch Bunch	Tower 10 <sup>th</sup> Floor

**Friday, March 13**

12:00 PM	Card-E-Ology	Tower 8 <sup>th</sup> Floor
6:00 PM	Children’s Ministry Movie Night	Junior Department

**Saturday, March 14**

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