



# First Presbyterian Church

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*Our response to God's Amazing Love is WORSHIP*

*We do so Celebrating Christ with joy,  
reverence, and praise.*

June 24, 2007

12<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

10:30 a.m.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOYS AND CONCERNS

## WE GATHER TOGETHER IN GOD'S NAME

*Worship is the core of the Christian life. It is something we do, as family.*

PRELUDE

Majesty

Jack Hayford

arr. Jack Schrader

The Memorial Handbell Choir

Linda Potter, Director

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: O God, open us to the powerful winds of your Spirit.

People: **Open our eyes to the wonder of your creation.**

Leader: Open our ears to the call to justice and truth

People: **Open our mouths to the words of compassion and mercy.**

Leader: Open our arms to the touch of our sisters and brothers.

People: **Open our hearts to Christ's grace and love.**

\*HYMN

Open My Eyes That I May See

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\*OPENING PRAYER

## **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Comforter of the poor and affliker of the proud, you are sometimes very hard to understand. Your Christ said, “Blessed are the poor,” but we can find no blessing in poverty, and we surely would not stand in line to embrace it. Instead, we are afraid of the poor; we invent reasons to justify our fear; and we, like the priest and the Levite of old, cross the street to avoid our fear. Often our fetters are as heavy as the fetters of want. Free us from our fear, free us to befriend all people, like Jesus Christ. Amen.**

*(silent confession)*

## **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**Leader:**    Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:

**People:**    **In Jesus Christ, we are freed to love one another.**

## **\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

**Father, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you.**

**Jesus, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you.**

**Spirit, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you.**

## **\*PASSING THE PEACE**

**Leader:**    The peace of Christ be with you.

**People:**    **And also with you.**

*(Please pass the peace of Christ to your neighbors.)*

## **WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD**

*Gathered together in God's name we now open our senses to  
God's life-giving Word, which comes to us through Scripture.*

## **PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

### **CHILDREN'S TIME**

After the Children's Time, children up to grade 6 may take a children's bulletin or a worship bag and return to their seats. Children ages preschool through kindergarten may go to child care in Room 2.

**WEST VIRGINIA REFLECTIONS**     *Christopher Goss, Adrian Hepfer, & Ted Creek*

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON**     Micah 6:6-8     (O.T., p. 757)

Leader:     The Word of the Lord.

People:     **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 121**

**Refrain (to be sung by all):**

Choir: I look to the hills, from where shall come my help?

My help comes only from the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth. **(R)**

Choir: God will not let you fall; the guardian of your life never sleeps.

No, never sleeps, not slumbers, the guardian of Israel true. **(R)**

Choir: God is your help and shade, ever near to protect and guide you.

The sun shall not strike you by day; the moon shall not harm you by night. **(R)**

Choir: God protects your life, yes, guards your body and soul;

Your going out and your coming in, both now and forevermore. **(R)**

**NEW TESTAMENT LESSON**     Philippians 2:1-11 (from the Message Bible, see insert)

Leader:     The Word of the Lord.

People:     **Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON**

“West Virginia-isms”

Mary E. Jensen

**SILENT REFLECTION**

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*We celebrate God's Word with glad responses,  
prayerful thanks, and expressions of commitment.*

\*HYMN Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore 377

OFFERTORY Blest Be the Tie That Binds Douglas Wagner  
The Handbell Choir

### \*DOXOLOGY

**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.**

\*or God

### PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING, INTERCESSION, AND DEDICATION

Leader: The Lord be with you.  
People: **And also with you.**  
Leader: Lift up your hearts.  
People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**  
Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
People: **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

### WEST VIRGINIA REFLECTION

*A slide presentation by Dick Darling*

## WE GO OUT IN GOD'S NAME

*The God who calls us together now sends us out **Serving Community.***

\*HYMN They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love (see insert)

### \*BENEDICTION

### \*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE (sung twice)

**Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.  
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.**

### \*POSTLUDE

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*Celebrating Christ and Serving Community*

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We welcome all those who have come to worship with us this day.

The “\*” indicates when you are to stand if you can do so comfortably.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:**

Dave Coppedge	Alice Weikart	Eric and Stephanie Ivie (Morton)
Shirley Smith	Bob Baird	Paul Shipman (Wingard)
Richard Nazzari	Annie Hanson	

**ON GOING PRAYER CONCERNS:**

Mickey Klein	Peggy Klein	Jane Grossman
Alex Ackerman	Jeanne Potter	Louise Carroll (Artmeier)
Faith Hippensteel	Lou Miller	Marilyn Ryan (Willison)
Bob Hart	Ruth Carlson	Clark Hartzell (Farris)
Cora Sudbury	Rick Crawley (Farris)	David Purvis (Jon and Carol’s son)
Wilda Kemp	Kim Marshall	Jill Becker (Nancy Barlow’s sister)
Tom Black	Amy Veatch	Alice Scheleen
Augusta Massey	Quendy Veatch	Simon & Haejung Park
Fran Nelson (Barlow)	Susan Koch	June Williams (Peterson-Veatch)
Anne Hernandez	Lilly Freed	Marie Sayler (Dearborn)
Steve Creech	Adam James (Smith)	Ralph Hunnicutt (Gardner)
Jane Dorr Banks	Don Dorr	Travis Ashcraft (Heckard)
Kim Donovan	Lou & Berniece Conkle	Louis Tompkins (Sharon Nejfelt’s brother)
Floyd Riggins	Ruth Fleming	Marjorie and Frank Woodall (Melton)
Jon Purvis	Emma Winck (Conkle)	Bill & Dorothy Adam (Davis Deckard)
Barbara Roberts		

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**LITURGISTS** for today are West Virginia mission trip participants.

**HEAD USHER** for today is Denny Moir.

**AMBASSADORS** for today are Sherry Middleton and Yvonne Reinier.

**FLOWERS** for today are given by the Howard Holsinger family.

**SOCIAL HOUR HOSTS** for today are Carol Darling and Gerry Morrison. Everyone is invited to Lyman Hall after worship to share doughnuts/ cookies, coffee, and punch.

**2007 FILMS AND FAITH SERIES:** Summer is here and it's time once again for our summer film class! Come join us on Sunday mornings this summer for a different kind of conversation - one centered on our faith and how it is informed, expanded, and challenged on the "silver screen." Discussion leaders are listed with the films they will present. Participants (youth and adults) are encouraged to view the entire film (see below) before the class meets.

Date	Film	Leader
7/1	<i>Paths of Glory</i> (1957), NR	Christopher Goss
7/8	<i>The Chosen</i> (1981), PG	Mary McClellan
7/15	<i>Jesus Camp</i> (2006), PG-13	Nancy Goss
7/22	<i>Pan's Labyrinth</i> (2006), R (violence, language)	Jamie Prenkert

**SUMMER MOVIE SCREENINGS:** *Want to see eleven great movies... for free? Parents... want to get out of the house for a while... maybe have a date night... with free childcare? You're in luck!*

This summer at First Presbyterian Church, Wednesday night is **Movie Night!** Screenings begin at 6:30pm in Lyman Hall. Popcorn and drinks provided. Feel free to bring a meal to eat while you watch the film. *Paths of Glory* will be shown on June 27<sup>th</sup>. At the same time, there will be kids' movies in the cinema room in Walker Hall, so bring the kids! We'll also have child care available for children who are too young for movies. Please join us!

**GET READY! GET SET! WORSHIP!** *A summer of lessons on Worship for 4 and 5 year olds following Children's Time each Sunday (room #3) will prepare preschoolers when they move up to the sanctuary full-time in the fall.*

July 1	Lesson 5: Doxology/Psalm 100 – learn about praising God	Deb Prenkert
July 8	Lesson 6: Prayers – learn types of prayers	Nancy Voskuil

**A WISH LIST FOR THE POSOLTEGA MISSION TRIP:** If you can provide any of the items listed below for our trip to Posoltega, please drop them off in the MCUM box in the main narthex. If you have questions, contact Mary Jensen.

school supplies (new or used in good condition)	jump ropes, jacks, cards, games, etc.
spiral notebooks (new or slightly used)	recorders (new or used in good condition)
children's clothing	children's coloring books/crayons
bubbles and stickers for the children	backpacks or canvas totes (new or used)

**NEW CHURCH DIRECTORIES ARE AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEXES.**

**SUMMER OF SONGS AND STORIES:** Children of all ages, but especially in grades 1-6, are in for a wonderful treat this Summer during church school (9:30 – 10:20am). Each Sunday, they will gather for a time of singing fun, silly, and great songs. Afterwards, they will join the Storyteller of the Day in the Storyteller’s Garden (room #10, Upper Level Walker Hall). *Come and gather each Sunday morning for lively singing and wonderful stories!*

<i>DATE</i>	<i>SONGLEADER</i>	<i>STORYTELLER</i>	<i>STORY</i>
<i>Jul 1</i>	Mary Jensen	Mary Jensen	<u>The Middle Man</u> by Dorothy & Sara E. Davis
<i>Jul 8</i>	Laura Prins	Sue Talbot	<u>The Quilt Maker’s Gift</u> by Jeff Brumbeau
<i>Jul 15</i>	TBA	Carol Darling	<u>The Secret of Giving Thanks</u> by Douglas Wood
<i>Jul 22</i>	Joy Main	Dick Darling	<u>Old Turtle</u> by Douglas Wood
<i>Jul 29</i>	TBA	TBA	TBA
<i>Aug 5</i>	Karen Hahn	Karen Hahn	<u>You Are Special</u> by <a href="#">Max Lucado</a>
<i>Aug 12</i>	Mary Jensen	Deb Prenkert	TBA
<i>Aug 19</i>	Buff Brown	Barbara Burkhead	A Native American Story

**PRIZES NEEDED FOR BINGO** at the Monroe County Jail are new or gently used playing cards; body lotions (in plastic containers with no plungers or alcohol in content). Please leave them in the office or give to Julie Farris.

**HEALING HEARTS** is a support group sponsored by Bloomington Hospital Home Health and Hospice for kids ages 6-16. It helps them put the pieces back together after the death of someone special. Play, art, creative projects, laughter, and snacks are all part of the weekly activities which begin June 25th and run the next six consecutive Mondays from noon to 1:30 p.m. There is no fee and the group is facilitated by trained Hospice staff and volunteers. For more information or to register, call 353-9818.

**IF YOU WISH TO INQUIRE ABOUT THE L.C. AND ELLEN RUDOLPH MATCHING FUND**, contact Bill McGregor at [mcgregor@indiana.edu](mailto:mcgregor@indiana.edu) or 332-6896. Bill is the chairperson of our Second Century Fund Drive.

**NEW FALL SCHEDULE**

Starting on Sept. 9, 2007, we will have the following schedule for Sunday mornings:

9:00 a.m. - First Worship Service

10:00 a.m. - Church School for all ages

11:00 a.m. - Second Worship Service

## JUNE 2007 CALENDAR

Date	Day	Time	Event
24	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Church School
		10:30 a.m.	Worship
		11:30 a.m.	Social Hour
		7:00 p.m.	Baranko Baby Shower – church parlor
25	Monday	7:00 p.m.	Bible Study - room 5
26	Tuesday	8:20 p.m.	FPC ball game at Twin Lakes Field 2
27	Wednesday	12:00 p.m.	Area 10 Grocery Bagging-Girls Inc.
		6:30 p.m.	Summer Movie Screening – Lyman Hall – Paths of Glory
28	Thursday	8am-1:00 p.m.	Area 10 Grocery Delivery- Girls Inc.
		4:00 p.m.	Second Service Implementation Team Meeting

## July 2007 CALENDAR

Date	Day	Time	Event
1	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Church School
		10:30 a.m.	Worship --Communion
		11:30 a.m.	Social Hour
		6:00 p.m.	Session
2	Monday	7:00 p.m.	Bible Study - room 5
4	Wednesday	-----	Church Office Closed – 4 <sup>th</sup> July Holiday
6-18		-----	Mission Trip to Posoltega
8	Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Church School
		10:30 a.m.	Worship
		11:30 a.m.	Social Hour

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Next week's lectionary readings:

OT: 2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14 8-15a; Ps. 77:1-2, 11-20

NT: Gal. 5:1, 13-25; Luke 9:51-62

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