

## THE PEOPLE GATHER

### BELL CALL & GATHERING MUSIC

### WE WELCOME YOU!

### GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS

### ANNOUNCEMENTS & NEWS OF THE COMMUNITY OF FAITH

### PREPARING OURSELVES FOR WORSHIP - INSTRUMENTAL INTROIT

#### \* CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)

*One:* Looking for prestige? Status? Position?

You are cordially invited to attend a wedding banquet.

*Many:* Please dress modestly and sit in an inconspicuous place.

Leave home what is haughty or arrogant.

*All:* Come with humble expectations for yourself  
for you will be among those  
of meager financial and social means.

#### \* PRAYER OF INVOCATION FOR THE INDWELLING OF THE SPIRIT

#### \* SACRED MUSIC #804 NPH "Rejoice, Ye Pure In Heart"

#### \* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

God, so often we have not defended the poor or fed the hungry, instead we have focused on making our lives more comfortable. We have even allowed ourselves to think that if we are doing well the world is "just fine." Forgive us, God, and call us again to do battle against the inequities and injustices in the world today. In Christ we pray.  
Amen.

#### \* ASSURANCE OF GRACE

#### \* PROFESSION OF FAITH (Unison) **Apostles' Creed** (Inside Cover of the Hymnal)

#### \* GLORIA PATRI (Unison)

#### \* THE PEACE (Response: "And also with you.")

## PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 14:1, 7-10 NT pg. 77

### INSTRUMENTAL ANTHEM

SERMON "The Tug On The Line"  
Rev. Michael Catanzaro

## RESPONSE TO THE WORD

### RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

(Wave to your neighbors, and those joining via the live-stream.)

### OFFERING

(Offerings may be placed in the collection basket at the top of the stairs as you exit the sanctuary following the worship.)

### SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER, PRAYER OF DEDICATION & LORD'S PRAYER  
(Debts & Debtors; Inside Cover of the Hymnal)

DOXOLOGY (Unison, Inside Cover of the Hymnal)

#### \* SACRED MUSIC #504 NPH "We Come as Guests Invited"

### CHARGE & BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE

Jarrett Larson

\* **Congregation standing; as each person desires.**

At the end of the service, please follow the one-way flow to exit via the side doors (in through the back doors, out through the side doors).

We have resumed the fellowship gathering after the service, but all are encouraged to mask and keep a distance as they are comfortable. Virtual fellowship via Zoom will take place at 11:30 a.m.

<https://zoom.us/j/6360764407>

**Masks are welcome but not required.**



## PRAYER REMEMBRANCES

We remember in prayer Karen Parker (and Bill), Jim Durham, Jerry Findley, Allen Janack, Lew Shepard, the Boswell family, Kenny Gibson, Kristin McKie, Colleen Grant, Mitzi VonSchiller (friend of Beth Hayes), Paul Catanzaro, the Basford/Rodee family, Christa Lyon and family, Nick Scelzi, Glenn Erickson, Jody Upton, and all who are ill in hospitals, nursing homes or at home; and those serving our nation and their families who support them.

Organist & Choir Director: Jarrett Larson  
Church School Director: Andrea Montgomery  
Assistant Director: Bob Duda

**The password for our church wifi network is: Lakew00d4331a**  
**Password for the Zoom fellowship call at 11:30 a.m. is 3862570**

## AT OUR CHURCH THIS WEEK

Today	08/28/22	- In-Person Worship (9 a.m.) - Live-Stream of Worship (9 a.m.) - Virtual Fellowship via Zoom (10:30 a.m.) - Name Tag Sunday - Noisy Can Offering
Monday	08/29/22	- Session Meeting (7 p.m.)
Sunday	09/04/22	- Worship Returns to 10 a.m. Start Time

**Birthdays:** Grace Franklin, Beatrice McManus (Today)  
Carolyn O'Connor (Tuesday)  
Larry Compeau, Paul Miller, Donna Doig,  
Jorge Nsundidi (Wednesday)  
Heather Cole, Matthew Compeau (Thursday)  
Mary Garwood (Friday)

# The First Presbyterian Church on the Park

The Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)



All who  
**EXALT** themselves  
will be **HUMBLED**,  
and all who  
**HUMBLE** themselves  
will be **EXALTED**.

Matthew 23:12

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## **THE APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;  
he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge the quick & the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church;  
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

## **DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessing flow.  
Praise Him (God) all creatures here below.  
Praise Him (God) above ye heavenly hosts.  
Praise Father (Creator), Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## **THE 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.