FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcome

October 25, 2026 9:30 a.m. Rev. Dr. Pat Hammond
Heritage Sunday

Ushers: Pam Ephgrave, Con Schliinz, Ken and Rebecca Schliinz

Bold indicates Congregation response
* Indicates points of the service where the Congregation stands in body or spirit.
Please complete the "Connection" insert and place it in the offering plate.

GOD'S PEOPLE GATHERING

Prelude "Highland Cathedral" Wyatt Bordewyk, Bagpipes
Dan Graber, Organ

Welcome and Announcements Jo Erickson

*** Call to Worship** Rev. Dr. Pat Hammond

L: How are we to live as God's beloved children?

P: **We are to have attitudes and actions of compassion and justice.**

L: How are we to live as neighbors with one another?

P: **We are to put on the garments of love and peace.**

L: Let us come before the Lord in gratitude for all we have been given.

P: **Lord, thank you for all you continue to do in our lives.**

*** Processional** "Amazing Grace" Wyatt Bordewyk, Bagpipes

***Opening Hymn** #463 "How Firm a Foundation" FOUNDATION

PREPARING FOR THE WORD OF GOD

*** Prayer of Confession**

Leader: You are God's people, God's saints, God's beloved community. Clothe yourselves, therefore, with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience with one another.

All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to love others as generously as you love us.

Leader: Be tolerant of one another. Be forgiving when someone offends you or treats you wrongly. Just as Christ has forgiven you, so you must forgive one another.

All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to forgive others as freely as you have forgiven us.

Leader: Clothe yourselves, above all, with love, which will join you together in perfect unity. You have been called to be one body; therefore, let Christ's peace govern your hearts.

All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to live in perfect unity with all whom you have called into your church.

Leader: Gratefully make room for Christ's Word to live in your heart. Challenge one another to live up to Christ's teachings and learn wisdom from one another.

All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to live a truly Christlike life. Help us to be teachable.

Leader: Sing to God with grateful hearts! Give thanks to God in the name of Jesus. Whatever you say or do, do it in the name of the Lord Jesus.

All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to live in a spirit of grateful abundance. Help us to live in a way that is worthy of your name. Amen.

*** Assurance of Forgiveness**

*** Sharing the Peace of Christ**

*** Response to Forgiveness** #581 – "Glory Be to the Father" GLORIA PATRI

Anthem arr. Dan Forrest, "A Mighty Fortress" Sanctuary Choir
Karl Graber, Piano

RECEIVING GOD'S WORD ANEW

Scripture Reading Colossians 3:12-17 Candace Ulmer
Time with Children Kathie Douma

Sermon We Do Not Speak Great Things, But We Live Them

Thoughts for the Future Paul Gillaspey

Celebration of Longstanding Members

50 Years	55 Years	78 Years
Ellen Hamilton	Kristine Egger	Judy Hamilton
Paul Newby	Stephen Egger	
Bill Roberts	Anja Hoekman	
Gay Roberts	Mary Jane Howard	
Melinda Schut Tibbetts		
Carol Woltjer		

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Call for the Offering

Offertory "Cannons" Praise Band

Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral and Lord's Prayers

***Closing Song** "You Are My Vision" Praise Band

***** Benediction**

Postlude arr. Jason Payne "A Mighty Fortress" Dan Graber, Organ

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember these people in prayer

Prayers for **Gary Kulm** recovering from surgery on October 19.

Kym Christiansen asks for prayers for the friends and family of the Minnehaha County Sheriff's Department **Deputy Frank** whose funeral was October 19.

Anita Braunschmidt would like prayers for her son, **Jarrod Vink**, that his procedure may go well.

Greg and Kaye LaFollette ask for prayers for healing and reconciliation of families, of cultures, of nations and the world.

Lisa Tunge requests prayers of comfort and healing for our new member, **Barbara Chamness**. Barbara's son, **John**, passed away one year ago and Barbara is experiencing health issues.

Please also continue to keep these people in your prayers

Shirley & Mike Mcalllum's friends and family **Marge, Rodney, Sheresa Hampton and Shirley's sister, Eva**

Elliot Fifer

Please remember to check the Connection/Welcome Room for the Sign-Ups Board to sign up for FPC Events

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First Presbyterian Church Calendar
10/25/26 – 11/1/26

Sunday—10/25
FPC Sunday Worship – 9:30 (Sanctuary)
FPC Congregational Meeting -10:30 (Sanctuary)
FPC Fellowship Coffee – 10:30 (Chapel)
FPC Children Sunday School – 10:30 (Rm 108,109,110,111,112)
FPC Youth Sunday School – 10:30 (Rm 201)
FPC Trunk and Treat – 2:00 (North Parking Lot)
Monday—10/26
FPC SHINE Medicare Part D Consulting – 9:00 (Rm 208A)
(An appointment is required)
FPC Women's Study Group – 11:00 (Rm 204)
FPC SHINE Medicare Part D Consulting – 1:00 (Rm 208A)
(An appointment is required)
FPC Men's Bible Study – 6:00 (Welcome Rm)
Tuesday—10/27
FPC Kingdom Kids – 8:30 (Covenant Center/Gym, 115)
FPC Staff Meeting – 8:45 (Rm 204)
FPC Bell Chorale Rehearsal – 9:45 (Bell Rm, Sanctuary)
FPC Organ Practice – 11:00 (Sanctuary)
FPC Peaceworks – 12:00 (Rm 212)
FPC Worship Planning Meeting—1:30 (Rm 204)
FPC Finance Meeting – 5:00 (Rm 204)
FPC Pickleball – 7:00 (Covenant Center/Gym)
Wednesday—10/28
FPC Organ Practice – 3:00 (Sanctuary)
FPC Presbyouth – 5:30 (Covenant Center/Gym, Rm 101, Main Kitchen, Rms 201, 202, 203, 205)
FPC Praise Band Rehearsal—6:00 (Sanctuary)
FPC Kids Club – 6:30 (Kid Min Rm)
FPC Choir Rehearsal – 7:30 (Choir Rm)
FPC Mom's – 8:00 (Welcome Rm)
Thursday—10/29
FPC Kingdom Kids – 8:30 (Covenant Center/Gym, 115)
FPC Peaceworks – 12:00 (Rm 212)
FPC PMT – 5:15 (Rm 204)

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