

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
GRAPEVINE
EASTER SUNDAY**

April 5, 2026

8:30 AM & 11:00 AM



Everybody is welcome here.

Whoever and wherever you are on your life's journey, we see God in you. Come! This is a place for everyone* who desires to hear and embrace the word of God. Because God

welcomes all, we, too, welcome everyone into the whole of our community. We respect each individual's identity and contributions. We affirm and nurture the worth of every person's journey.

*"Everyone" and related pronouns = persons of every age, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, economic or family status, mental or physical abilities.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

8:30 *"That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright"* Puer Nobis,
setting Wayne L. Wold

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Fred Mills, Soprano Saxophone; Gia Choi, Organ

11:00 *"Lift High The Cross"*
arr. Cynthia Dobrinski

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Handbell Choir

The nursery is available for infants through pre-K. All children are invited, during worship, to the Pray Ground in the sanctuary and/or to use the activity bags available in the Narthex. We ask that parents sit in the area near the Pray Ground.

VISITORS: We are delighted that you have joined us today in worship and we encourage you to register your attendance by using your phone to scan the QR code on the back of the bulletin (under the Attendance heading) or to complete a Visitor's Card located on the back of the pew in front of you and place it in the offering plate. Thank you and we hope to see you again.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Jesus Christ is risen today.

ALL: He is risen indeed!

One: Jesus Christ is risen today.

ALL: He is risen indeed!

One: Jesus Christ is risen today.

ALL: He is risen indeed! Let us worship our Risen Lord.

*HYMN 232

“Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”

EASTER HYMN

CALL TO CONFESSION

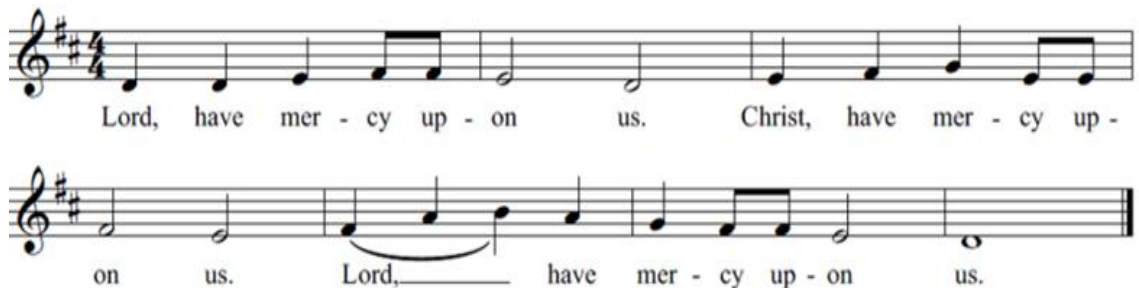
PRAYER OF CONFESSION

You, O God, whose imagination is beyond our comprehension, can envision anything. Yet we

often have difficulty seeing our way out of the pit we find ourselves in. We want to do good, but sometimes we fail, and other times we don't really try. Often we can't even see the good in ourselves that you can see. In your infinite mercy and kindness, pull us out; lift us up, that we may again know the joy of life in your love.

(silent prayer)

KYRIE ELEISON



Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

The image shows two staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The first staff contains the lyrics 'Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -'. The second staff contains the lyrics 'on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.' The melody is simple and hymn-like, with a long note on 'Lord,' in the second staff.

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ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*THE PEACE

*GLORIA PATRI (Hymn #581)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.

Amen. Amen.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Excerpts from *A Brief Statement of Faith*

We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father.

We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition, Jesus was crucified, suffering the depths of human pain and giving his life for the sins of the world. God raised this Jesus from the dead, vindicating his sinless life, breaking the power of sin and evil, delivering us from death to life eternal. We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life.

With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

MOMENT WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Bob Mitchell

WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY *“When I Survey the Wondrous
Cross” arr. Gilbert Martin*

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Sanctuary Choir

When I survey the wondrous cross
on which the Prince of glory died,
my richest gain I count but loss,
and pour contempt on all my pride.

Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast
save in the death of Christ, my God!
All the vain things that charm me most,
I sacrifice them through his blood.

See, from his head, his hands, his feet,
sorrow and love flow mingled down.
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
or thorns compose so rich a crown?

Were the whole realm of nature mine,
that were a present far too small.
Love so amazing, so divine,
demands my soul, my life, my all.

HYMN 240 *“Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks”* ALLELUIA
NO. 1

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

One: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

ALL: We lift them up to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**ALL: For it is right to give the Almighty both our
thanks and praise.**

One: Let us pray:

SANCTUS

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,____
 Heav'n and earth are full of thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.____
 Ho - san - na in the high - est!

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.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND POURING OF THE WINE

God is present in this sacrament in ways that remain a mystery to us. In this sacrament God connects us

to one another beyond our understanding, location and time.

*Communion of the People: **For in-person worshippers:** The outer ring is wine (red). All the inner rings are white grape juice (gluten free). Inside the pouch marked “Gluten Free” are gluten free crackers.*

***For remote worshippers:** Use your own cup and bread.*

Take and eat the bread as it is passed, symbolizing your personal need for God’s mercy. Hold the cup until all have received it, and then drink together, symbolizing our unity in the body of Christ.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE “Agnus Dei”

John Merbecke (1523–1585?)

O Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.

O Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.

O Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sins of the world, grant us Thy peace.

PRAYER OF CHRISTIAN UNITY

Gracious God, through your presence we have been fed at your Son's table. Having revealed his face to us in this sacrament, send us out from this congregation's home in the power of your Spirit. May we look for Jesus' face in everyone we meet, and may our desire be to do your will, to your praise and glory. Amen.

WE GO OUT TO SERVE GOD

*HYMN 269

"Lead On, O King Eternal!"

LANCASHIRE

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE *"Hallelujah" from*

Messiah G. F. HANDEL

The congregation is invited to join in singing, using the insert at the back of the hymnal.

POSTLUDE

Congregation rises in body or in spirit.

Thanks to Don Trost (8:30) and Ken Rigoulot (11:00)
for serving as liturgists.

VISITORS

We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us
today! We encourage you to register your
attendance by using your phone to scan the QR code
below and provide your email, phone number,
and/or home address so that we might begin to be in
a Christian relationship with you.



STAYING CONNECTED

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The Web - fpcgv.org

Instagram - @FPCGV

X (Twitter) - @FPCGV

WIFI: FPGV-GUEST

Password – godslove

WAYS TO GIVE

In Christ, God has

ATTENDANCE

showered us with grace upon grace. In gratitude, we now give back to God through our tithes and offerings. Monetary offerings may be given electronically or in the offering plate. To make a contribution electronically, please scan the QR code below.



- (1) Check in with a push of a button on your membership app
- (2) Sign the friendship pad in the pew.
- (3) Scan the QR code below using your mobile device which will take you to a simple form.



Upcoming Worship and Events Calendar

- Monday, April 6, Church Office Closed
- Monday, April 6, 6:00 pm LGBTQIA & Ally Group
- Tuesday, April 7, 10:00 am Tuesday Study Group
- Tuesday, April 7, 7:00 pm Admin/Personnel (Zoom)

- Wednesday, April 8, 11:30 am All Ladies Lunch (Olive Garden)
- Wednesday, April 8, 7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
- Thursday, April 9, 1:00 pm Pastor Bob's Bible Class
- Thursday, April 9, 7:00 pm Prayer Group (Zoom)

Link to these and more by scanning the QR code using the camera on your mobile device or by checking your "Narthex News."



Presbyterian Children's
Homes and ServicesSM

Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services is inviting everyone to lunch on Wednesday, May 6th at Ridglea Country Club in Fort Worth, where you will be

able to learn more about PCHAS's programs and outreach. If you are able to attend, please email Alison Brooks at alisonwheelock@juno.com. While there is no charge for lunch, a headcount is needed.

If you ordered a lily, please take it home after the service.



**EASTER LILIES GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD
IN MEMORY OF:**

Susan Green
Family of Rachel Allen
& David Capps

Lucia Kremzar
Brianna Riley
Katherine Longo
(parents)

(inlaws)
Carol Slack

Grace Peacock
Victoria Butler
Mom & Dad
Catherine Stephenson
Amy Smith
Shelly Woodcox-Unruh
Leah & Tom Schafer
Sandra Joliff & Elena Rodriguez
Dicken

Charlene & Harry Bremer
Bev & Jay Cochran
Suzanne Rowntree
Chadwick
Dee & Rick Walsh
and Mr & Mrs. T. N
beloved parents

Glenn Fisher
Connie Allen-Bacon, Patsy

Larry Allen
Matthew McCoy
Jo "Gan Gan" Uhlhorn
Patricia & Donald Reed (my

Joseph & Rosemary Longo (my

Ernest & Betty Jean Smith
Rex & Martha Slack, Karen Slack
Donna Erio Matteson
In loving memory of my

My husband, Dude
Carolyn & Tom Brown
Jodi Haun
Our parents
Katie Joliff & Elena

Our parents
Our parents
My parents, Nell & Bill

Mr & Mrs. L. R. Newman
Walsh, our

Lisa Lucky
Jamison family
The Murimi Family
Kim Jones
Judy Helenberger Family
Carolyn Hinton
Marlene Fink
Helen Smith
Joseph Czyz
Tom & Cyndy Aschenbrenner
Mary Lou & James Dove
& Marge Dove
Debbie Wilhelm
Satterfield
Sarah & Dan Wheeler
Wheeler
Alison Brooks
and my Brother, Jeff

Mom "B"
Our parents
Thomas Machado
Donald Jones
Dick Helenberger
Edie, Tom & Aubrey
David Fink
Dick Smith
Julia Ann Czyz
Our Parents
Our moms, Nell Baker
Rick Wilhelm, Alice
Durwood & Maxine
My father, Willard Brooks
Brooks

IN HONOR OF:

Laura Howe
Church and its blessings to
many
Debby Patton
Matthew, Mason,
and Colby and my sisters, Dawna and
DeAnn

Thanksgiving for this
Honor of my grandsons
Conner

JoAnn Koch
Judy Jacobs
Alison Brooks
children, and
 grandchildren
Leslie & Ken Rigoulot
Judy Crilley
Pamela Wheelock
Robert Wheelock
Tom & Cyndy Aschenbrenner
grandchildren
Ken & Kathy Price

Celebration of Family
Jane & Mike Thompson
My mother, Joan Brooks,

Our Grandchildren
Gia Jiha Choi, Crilley Family
Grandchildren
Grandchildren
 Children,

In Thanksgiving