

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH GRAPEVINE

9th SUNDAY after PENTECOST

July 26, 2026

10:30 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

“The Lord's Prayer”

Albert Hay Malotte
Transcribed by Carl Deis

WELCOME & GREETING

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 chosen to worship with us today! So that we might begin to be in a Christian relationship with you, we encourage you to register your attendance (1) by using your phone to scan the QR code below and provide your email, phone number, and/or home address, or (2) by completing a Visitor's Card located on the back of the pew in front of you and placing it in the offering plate. Thank you - we look forward to seeing you again soon!



QR Code for visitors

Also, prayer cards will be collected during the first hymn.

ASSISTED HEARING: Assisted hearing devices are available in the Sanctuary so that you can receive a live feed from the sound board right from your smartphone. Simply download the “ListenWifi” app from the App Store or the Google Play Store (for iPhones and Android phones, respectively). For assistance, Evan Hinton will be at the sound board at the rear of the Sanctuary.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: As we gather in this place, where all are welcome,

ALL: We give thanks for the many blessings that the Lord has bestowed upon us.

One: Just as these doors are open to all,

ALL: Let us open our doors to those who knock and open our hearts to receive those in need.

One: As we lift our voices in prayer and in song,

ALL: Help us to pray without ceasing, make a joyful noise, and be filled to overflowing with the Holy Spirit so that we, in turn, can share the Good News with others.

One: Let us prepare our hearts to worship the Lord our God.

*HYMN 175

"Seek Ye First"

LAFFERTY

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Good and gracious God, we know that all good things come from You.

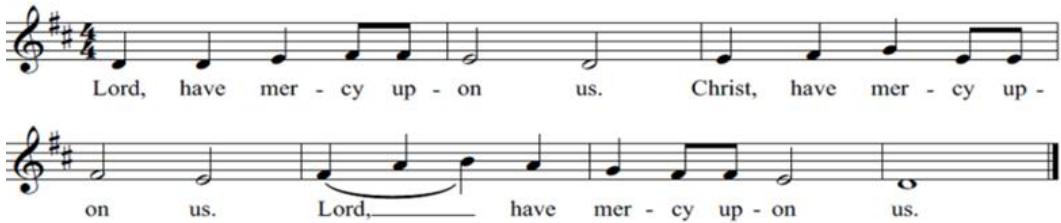
As we go about our busy lives, it is hard to set aside time to do Your work in the world, yet so easy to make a show of it when we do so. Forgive us, we pray, and equip us to share our time, our gifts, and our hearts without thinking about how we look or how we sound to those around us.

Help us to remember that we are Your hands at work in the world, and that we need to do Your good works as Your servants.

Now, in these moments of silence, let each one of us confess those of our shortcomings known only by You.

(Silent Prayer)

KYRIE ELEISON



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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

(A Declaration of Faith, 10.1)

In the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus God kept his promises. All that we can ever hope for was present in Christ. But the work of God in Christ is not over. God calls us to hope for more than we have yet seen. The hope God gives us is ultimate confidence that supports us when lesser hopes fail us. In Christ God gives hope for a new heaven and earth, certainty of victory over death, assurance of mercy and judgment beyond death. This hope gives us courage for the present struggle.

MOMENT WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Ash Warren

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.

WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY “The Swan” from *The Carnival of the Animals* Saint-Saëns
Barb Carroll, Cello

*DOXOLOGY

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

FIRST READING Matthew 6:1-14

SECOND READING Luke 11:1-13

SERMON “Prayer” Dr. Leslie Miner

WE GO OUT TO SERVE GOD

*HYMN 708

"We Give Thee but Thine Own"

SCHUMANN

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus" Charles C. Converse
arr. Steven K. Telescope

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*Congregation rises in body or in spirit.

Thanks to Ken Rigoulot for serving as liturgist.

STAYING CONNECTED

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The Web – fpcgv.org

X (Twitter) – @FPCGV

WIFI: FPGV-GUEST

Password – godslope

WAYS TO GIVE

In Christ, God has showered us with grace upon grace. In gratitude, we now give back to God through our tithes and offerings. Monetary offerings may be given in the offering plate or electronically by scanning the QR code below.



ATTENDANCE

- (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 (on your mobile device) which will take you to a simple form.



Upcoming Worship and Events Calendar

- Most of the Ministry Meetings are cancelled for the month of July. Check with your chairperson for confirmation.
- Thursday, July 30, 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 Night Shelter urgently needs bottled water and financial support to keep their guests hydrated, safe, and out of the extreme heat. The extreme heat places additional strain on their resources, making our support more critical than ever. We can make a difference by donating bottled water which can be dropped off or ordered for delivery to 2400 Cypress St, Fort Worth 76102. Their Amazon Wish List has bottled water on it along with other needed items.

Find the list here:

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/VA5B31P7I3F1/ref=nav_wishlist_lists_1

Monetary donations are also welcome. To give online:

<https://giving.journeyhome.org/give/180277#!/donation/checkout>

GRACE Pantry Needs

Summer is here, and GRACE Pantry has asked for some help with some shortages.

Laundry soap

Health care items: shampoo, conditioner, body wash, bar soap, toothpaste and toothbrushes, diapers (size 4 and larger) and wipes.

Paper towels and toilet paper

Cooking oil (small bottles)

Pasta and jar pasta sauce, tomato paste

Salad dressing (ranch is the most popular)

Mayonnaise (VERY popular), ketchup

Dried beans – pinto, soup beans, etc.

Canned meats – chicken, spam, chili, tuna

Canned corn, potatoes, any canned vegetables (except green beans – they have plenty)

Canned mixed fruit, canned peaches, cherries, etc.

Thank you!!!!

Please place your donations in the GRACE cabinet in the lobby.