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"Blessed Assurance"
Stephen Hock, Director
ORGAN PRAISE
"Introduction to the Hymn of Praise"
Frank Shelton
INTROIT
"I Will Praise You, O Lord"
Sanctuary Choir, Steve Williams
CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 138) John Goodale
Leader: We praise You, Lord, with all our hearts!  People: We praise Your name for Your unfailing love and faithfulness!  Leader: We sing of Your ways, for Your glory is great!  People: We proclaim, "How great is our God!
HYMN OF PRAISE, No. 51
"How Great Thou Art" (vs. 1, 3, 4) Mark Israel, Stephen Hock, Jim Crosbie, Trumpet
DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS
PRAYER OF ADORATION
*WELCOME AND GREETINGS
SONG OF PRAISE "How Great Is Our God"
Marj Killick, Piano; James Bristow, Guitar;

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#### COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION

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# PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

\* RESPONSE, No. 427

"You Are My All in All"

# \* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed Lydia Lockhart

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 Spirit, 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 sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

## **CHILDREN'S SERMON**

Danny Shaw

## LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION

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#### **OFFERING OUR GIFTS**

Middle School Choir

Bethany Hanson, Director; Robby Dale Nelson, Piano

#### **SERMON**

#### KINGDOM COME

"How Long?" Habakkuk 1:1-5 Tim McConnell

#### MINISTRY OF MUSIC

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER

#### \* HYMN OF RESPONSE

# "The Glory of Salvation"

The glory of salvation, in spite of worldly sin,
Reveals the hope that Christ brings, when all seems at an end.

Our help is in the Maker of Heaven and of Earth, Our strength and our salvation, our hope and our rebirth!

No loss or devastation, escapes His knowing eyes.

With love He comes renewing, with hope, rebuilding lives.

In all things God is working, for good in those He calls,

And we are more than conquerors, through Him who conquers all.

Triumphant and victorious, the Lamb in whom we trust; Christ Jesus reigns forever, and Satan's pow'r is crushed. The Alpha and Omega, Beginning and the End, Says, "I am making ev'rything new!" Praise God! Amen!

Words: Jim DeJarnette; Tune: Lancashire

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#### **POSTLUDE**

"Paraphrase of the Hymn of Response"......Biery

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\* HYMN OF PREPARATION, No. 27

"God of Creation, All Powerful" (vs. 1, 2, 3)

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**GATHERING MUSIC** 

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**SERMON** 

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# **BENEDICTION**

\* Children 3 – Kindergarten can join us for **Bible Break** during the 11:00 a.m. service. Check your potty-trained children in at a check-in station if you'd like them to head upstairs during the second half of the service. Pick up children in Room 236 promptly after the service concludes. Children are always welcome in worship.

Our Prayer Team is available to pray for you up front following the service.

# HAPPENINGS

#### **New to First Pres?**

We're so glad you're here! Join us after each worship service at Guest Central, just east of the Sanctuary. Greeters are also available to answer questions near the Weber Street doors in the Plaza.

#### **Curious About Jesus?**

Ministers are available after each service and would love to listen and answer your questions.

## **Giving Commitments for 2018**

Thank you for your faithful support of the Lord's work here at First Pres. If you plan to make a giving commitment but have not done so, your participation would assist us as we prepare our 2018 budget. Commitment cards are available in pew pockets and at the reception desk. May the Lord be glorified through your gifts.

# For the Whole Church Family

Christian Life Conference, A Place to Belong, November 10 and 11. Rev. Dr. Eric Jacobsen, Senior Pastor at First Pres Tacoma, will teach on creating spaces for community and relationship. Sign up in the Plaza today or register at www. first-pres.org/clc.

Christmas Joy Concert, Sunday, December 10 at 2 and 4:30 p.m. Tickets are \$15, \$20 and \$25 and are on sale through the Pikes Peak Center box office and website. Plan to attend this spectacular Christmas event—it's a wonderful opportunity to invite friends and neighbors!

## Missions | 884-6233 | first-pres.org/missions

A team will travel to Cuba, February 21-28, 2018, to encourage and work alongside our partner church in Havana. An informational meeting will be held Wednesday, November 8, at 6:30 p.m. in Room 205. Click "Cuba Trip" on the Global Engagement page to download an application; they are due by November 17.

Donations to benefit those affected by the California fires are now being accepted. Choose "Fire Relief" next to the amount when you give online, text an amount and the words "Fire Relief" to 719-297-2232, or write "CA fires" in the memo line when you give by check. Help will be given through ECO churches in the affected area.

First Pres hosts families experiencing homelessness as part of Family Promise four times a year. Our last host week of 2017 is November 26 to December 3. You can serve by bringing part of a meal, planning an activity, or hosting an evening. Sign up in the Plaza today and on November 19 or visit first-pres.org/servefamilypromise.

# Men | 884-6119 | first-pres.org/men

Men's Christmas Brunch, Saturday, December 16, 9:30 a.m., in the Worship Center. Our speaker will be Newt Crenshaw, President of Young Life. Cost is \$10. Tickets on sale beginning November 12.

Save the Date! Men's Winter Retreat, February 16-18, 2018, at Sky Ranch Horn Creek, Westcliffe, CO. Jim Singleton, speaker. Cost: \$155. Registration starts soon.

## Women | 884-6119 | first-pres.org/women

Women's Christmas Celebration, Thursday, December 7, at 6 p.m. or Friday, December 8, at 11:30 a.m. Pam Moore, speaker. Cost is \$20. Tickets go on sale today in the Plaza. If you would like to provide a scholarship for a woman attending, please contact Ina Meyer at imeyer@first-pres.org.

## Students | 884-6220 | first-pres.org/students

High School meets Sunday morning and Sunday night. 5th-8th graders meet Sunday morning.

## Children | 884-6126 | first-pres.org/children

On Sundays, preschoolers meet on the  $2^{nd}$  floor at 10 a.m.; K- $4^{th}$  graders meet on the  $3^{rd}$  floor at 10 a.m.

### Nursery | 884-6139 | first-pres.org/nursery

Nursery is available during all worship services and many midweek events.

## WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS

**Mission Emphasis:** As Pakistan Bible Correspondence Institute continues to provide training for young pastors and other Christian leaders, pray that writers will be guided by the Holy Spirit to produce the changing needs of Pakistan churches. Pray also for physical protection and spiritual understanding for those who study.

Local Church: Chadbourn Community Church

# Pray for those in hospitals or short-term rehab:

Penrose Hospital Mrs. Mary Ann Gorham Mr. Larry Entwistle Health Care Resort Mrs. Dora Ann Thomas Ms. Sandy Winje

Center at Cordera Mrs. Marlene Hawley

#### Caring Ministries | 884-6145 | first-pres.org/care

Help for the Holiday Blues, Monday, November 13, 6:30 p.m. For those experiencing life's trials and losses, the holidays may bring an unwelcome visitor – despair. Join counselor Dee Martz and learn ways to bring the joy back into these special times. Cost: \$5.

Flu Shot Clinic - today from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Staff Canteen, lower level of Hansen Hall.

Work at First Pres | 884-6190 | first-pres.org/jobs Get-Set Van Driver, part-time.

# Gifts to Sanctuary Flower Fund

In Memory of:

Lloyd Burger by wife Cherry and his children Dan, Craig, and Tara Donald Dyck by Joyce, Jon, Jerome,

Donald Dyck by Joyce, Jon, Jeromo Jeff, and families

My parents Alice and Irvin Clair by Nancy C. Bauman

Elouise E. Young by Toni Miller, Steve Young, Andy Soares, and their families

Bill Flinkow by Carolyn DeKok & Family

Helen Kennedy by Jamieson Kennedy and Mary Kay Kennedy

Dr. Vergil R. Johnson by the Berwick Family

#### IN MEMORIAM

Information on those who have gone to be with the Lord may be found at www.first-pres.org/memorials.