

SERVICE OF WORSHIP (8:30 OCTOBER 21)

"You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor."

Exodus 20:16

GATHERING MUSIC

"We Pray to Live Your Purpose, Lord" DeJarnette

ORGAN PRAISE

"Speak, O Lord" Gorby/Getty/Townend
Roderick Gorby

INTROIT

"Surely the Lord Is in This Place" DeJarnette
The Sanctuary Choir; Jim DeJarnette

* CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Genesis 28) Tom Pipkin

Leader: Surely the Lord is in this place!

People: How awesome is this place!

Leader: This is none other than the house of God!

People: Our souls sing, Savior God to Thee: how great Thou art!

* HYMN OF PRAISE, No. 51, vs. 1, 3, 4

"How Great Thou Art"

Chris Lawson, Stephen Hock, Doug Moden, Trumpets

* DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**WELCOME AND GREETING

* SONG OF PRAISE

"Speak, O Lord" Getty/Townend

Marj Killick, Piano; James Bristow, Guitar; Jason Crowe, Bass; Scott Barbier, Percussion

* Congregation standing.

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CALL TO CONFESSION

COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, in Your gracious presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse Your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and have turned them into bonds of oppression. Lord, have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve You in the world as agents of Your reconciling love in Jesus Christ.

PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

*** SONG OF RESPONSE**

"Change My Heart, O God" Espinosa

*** AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed Greg Hartnett**

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 at 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

LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

"I Sing the Mighty Power of God" arr. Compton
Vivace Ringers; Jan Weiser, Director

SERMON

LORD: A Focus on the Ten Commandments

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MINISTRY OF MUSIC

“The Lord Bless You and Keep You” Rutter

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD’S PRAYER

*** HYMN OF RESPONSE, No. 464, vs. 1, 3, 4**

“May the Mind of Christ, My Savior”

*** CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

“Fête”. Langlais

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SONGS OF PRAISE AND PRAYER Chris Cullins

CHILDREN'S SERMON (11:00 a.m.) Matt Holtzman

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RESPONSE AND SENDING

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HAPPENINGS

Commitment Sunday, October 28

Please prayerfully consider what you will give to help First Pres worship well, share the Good News of Jesus and meet local and global needs in 2019. We will return giving commitment cards as part of our worship services next Sunday. If you're unable to join us, you can return cards by mail or visit www.first-pres.org/commitment.

Next Sunday – “Lord of My Shopping,” Pastor Tim McConnell will preach from Exodus 20:17.

For the Whole Church Family

Growing Together Wednesdays classes meet at 3:45 and 6:15 p.m., dinner at 4:45 p.m. This week's caterer: Mission Catering. GTW Kids will share a concert during dinner.

Christmas Joy! Concert Sunday, December 9, 2 and 4:30 p.m. Tickets will be available Monday, October 22 and Tuesday, October 23 from 9 a.m.–5 p.m. in the Plaza. Ticket prices: \$16, \$21, \$26. Weber Street doors will open at 7:45 a.m., Monday.

Award winning songwriter Jeremiah Jones – Free concert Thursday, Oct. 25, 7 p.m., Cafe 225.

Ready to Serve?

Alpha Leadership Team is forming to facilitate the Alpha Course (alphausa.org) for those outside the church with questions about God, life and faith. To volunteer, contact Pastor Katie Fowler at kfowler@first-pres.org or 884-6147.

The First Pres Nominating Committee is accepting nominations for Elder and Deacon. Please pick up a nomination form at any First Pres reception desk or complete your nomination online at www.first-pres.org/nomination. Nominations must be submitted no later than October 26, 2018.

First Pres Life Safety is looking for volunteers! Information meeting is this Tuesday, October 23, 5:30–7 p.m. in Room 431.

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

Preschool meets on the 2nd floor; K–5th grades meet on the 3rd floor at 10 a.m. Sundays and 6:15 p.m. Wednesdays.

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

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

Men's Life | 884-6119 | first-pres.org/men

Jose Muldoon's Monthly Lunch – Tuesday, October 30, 11:45–1 p.m., 222 N Tejon. Pastor Pat Hartssock, speaker.

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

Middle School (6–8) meets Sundays at 10 a.m. and Wednesdays at 6:15 p.m. High School (9–12) meets Sundays at 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Winter Camp: High School Feb. 1–3; Middle School Feb. 15–17. Sign up today at www.first-pres.org/students to get the early bird rate!

College | 719-237-1522 | first-pres.org/college

Young Life College club meets each Tuesday night at 7:46 p.m. at UCCS in Breck 5101.

College Community Group meets each Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. at 428 Cragmor Road, 80907.

College Worship Night, October 25, 7:30–9 p.m., in the Cedar Room of Weber Street Center. Come enjoy a night of worship and hearing God's Word.

Mission Engagement | 884-6233 | first-pres.org/missions

Cuba Mission – We're forming a team to go to Cuba February 19–28, 2019. Information meeting October 30, 6:30 pm. in Room 205.

First Pres friend Pastor Nate Stratman and his congregation at Hope Community in Wilmington, NC, were directly affected by Hurricane Florence. A work team is forming to assist in relief efforts, tentative dates, November 9–19. Call Mission Engagement to sign up.

Gifts to Sanctuary Flower Fund *In Memory of:*

Our moms, Agnes Bibler and Kay Ewing,
by Bill and Trish Bibler

Marcia Genrich by John, Karen, Toby, Allison,
Peter and Jay Genrich

Sally and Steve Yates by John, David, Lisa and Family

Odetta Jean by James McCoy Family

Dallas Dickinson, on his birthday,
by his wife Joanne Dickinson

Margaret Parr, for her 112th birthday,
by Nancy Parr Merrick and Megan Merrick

IN MEMORIAM

Mr. Stanley Miedich 10/14/18

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

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

Are you in need of hope and encouragement? Join us for our Service of Hope & Restoration on Monday, October 29, 6:30 p.m., in the Cathedral Room, Matt Holtzman preaching.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 12 p.m. Tuesdays and Fridays in Room 218.

Work at First Pres | 884-6190 | first-pres.org/jobs

Manager of Environment and First Impressions, full-time; Program Coordinator for Family Ministries, full-time; Custodian, full-time.

If you would like to volunteer at First Pres, please visit www.first-pres.org/serve to view all of our opportunities and join one of our teams.

WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS

Mission Emphasis: Evangelical Theological Seminary in Cairo, Egypt, exists to prepare, equip and train pastors and leaders in Egypt, the Arab world and Arab communities abroad. Pray that God would give the professors wisdom and insight as they teach the next generation of spiritual leaders. Pray that God would give the students discernment and the ability to absorb and process what they are learning, and that they would know how to apply it in their ministries.

Local Church: Solid Rock Christian Church

Pray for those in hospitals or short-term rehab:

Center at Centennial

Mr. Minor Nelson

Mrs. Pam Cogdon

Mrs. Phyllis Battcher

Mrs. Renee Bellingham

Center at Cordera

Mrs. Sarah Ogden