

SERVICE OF WORSHIP (8:30 • Feb. 18, 2018)

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Hebrews 1:10

GATHERING MUSIC

"Revelation Song" Riddle

ORGAN PRAISE

*"Introduction to the Hymn of Praise" Phillips
Frank Shelton*

INTROIT

*"Hallelujah! He Shall Reign Forever!" DeJarnette
The Sanctuary Choir, Jim DeJarnette*

* CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Revelation 4) Jennifer Holz

Leader: Hallelujah! Lord God, You will reign forever!

People: You are worthy to receive glory and honor and power, for You created all things,

Leader: And by Your will they were created and have their being.

People: Our souls sing of Your greatness!

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

"How Great Thou Art"

Chris Lawson, Jim Crosbie, Doug Moden, Trumpets

* DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**WELCOME AND GREETING

* SONG OF PRAISE

*"How Great Is Our God" Tomlin, Reeves, Cash
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

Eternal God, in Whom we live and move and have our being, Whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and Whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to You, confessing our faults, confiding in Your grace and finding in You our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ Your Son.

PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

* RESPONSE

"How Great Thou Art"

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH **The Apostles' Creed** Chuck Fowler

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

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

"Who Is the One"..... Courtney

SERMON

REALLY? Untruths Uncovered

"We Made God" Hebrews 1:1-12 Tim McConnell

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"The Majesty and Glory of Your Name" Fettke

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD’S PRAYER

*** HYMN OF RESPONSE**

"Almighty and Omniscient God"

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Who sees throughout the years,
Creator of the universe,
And Heaven’s glorious spheres,
We give our lives to You alone –
In grace and mercy draw near.

A thousand years within Your sight
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Our dwelling place, our heav’nly grace,
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Your liberating love, dear Lord,
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Words: James DeJarnette; tune: Coronation

*** CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

"Toccatà on the Hymn of Response"Fields

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*** HYMN OF PREPARATION, No. 31, vs. 1, 2, 3**

"I Sing the Mighty Power of God"

SERMON

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Katie Fowler

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONGS OF WORSHIP Matt Holtzman and Zoe Anderson

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

DECLARATION OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER

*SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (11:00)

Amelia Herman, daughter of David and Kelsey Herman
Liv McMillen and Rhys McMillen, daughters of Lane and Anna McMillen

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SERMON

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BENEDICTION

Our **Prayer Team** is available to pray for you in the front of the Worship Center following the service.

* Children 3–Kindergarten are invited to **Bible Break** after the Sacrament of Baptism during the 11 a.m. service. Check your potty-trained children in at a check-in station if you'd like them to attend.

Pick up children in Room 236 promptly after the service concludes. Children are always welcome in worship.

HAPPENINGS

Curious About Jesus?

He's the reason we're here! Ministers are available after each service and would love to listen and answer your questions.

New to First Pres?

We're so glad you're with us. Greeters have a welcome gift for you and can help you find your way into the life of the church. Meet them at Guest Central, just east of the Sanctuary, and near the Weber Street doors in the Plaza.

For the Whole Church Family

Art Exhibit Opening – An art exhibit accompanying our Lenten sermon series opens today. Visit with the artists at a reception in the Narthex from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.

Presidents Day is Monday, February 19. First Pres will be closed.

Growing Together Wednesdays classes meet at 3:45 and 6:15, with dinner and a celebration of Black History Month at 4:45. February 21 caterer: Bourbon Brothers. View courses and register today at first-pres.org/gtw.

Farewell Reception for Scott Boss, Associate for High School Ministry – February 25, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Weber Street Center lobby. Come bless Scott and his family as we send them out on their next adventure.

Adults | 884-6117

Life Groups – Ready to find your smaller circle of people at First Pres? A new wave of Life Groups is just beginning and will run through March. New groups include offerings for men, women, mixed and young adult groups. Sign up in the Plaza today, or at www.first-pres.org/lifegroups.

Is your existing small group looking for resources to use during Lent? Study guides are available at www.first-pres.org/lifegroups.

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

Tuesday Morning Bible Study – Tuesdays, 6:15 to 7:30 a.m. Led by Pat Hartsock. Register at www.first-pres.org/men.

Women | 884-6117 | first-pres.org/women

WOW Bible Study – Tuesdays, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. We're studying Kirkie Morrissey's book, *Where Are You, God? Questions of the Heart*. Cost is \$30. Register at www.first-pres.org/women.

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

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

Senior Sundays - High school seniors are invited to this six-week course answering big questions about life and faith. Meets at Cafe 225 from 6 to 8 p.m., Sundays, February 11 through March 18.

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

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

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

Nursery is available during all worship services and many midweek events. Volunteers needed for Thursday mornings! (Contact Beth Morrison: bmorrison@first-pres.org.)

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

We Pray for You! Did you know that we have a group that meets each Monday morning to pray for concerns of the congregation? If you would like

them to pray for you or for any concern you have, please complete a prayer card, available in the pew racks, then place it in the offering plate.

Al-Anon Meeting – Tuesdays, 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., room 219: If you have family members or friends who struggle with alcohol abuse, you are invited to attend.

Work at First Pres | 884-6190 | first-pres.org/jobs Custodian, full-time.

Gifts to
Sanctuary Flower Fund
In Memory of:

Norman and Eileen Entwistle by Larry Entwistle and family

Tyler Morales by Grandma Evelyne Jean
and brothers Robert and Paul Jean

Our son, Aaron Rossin, on his birthday
by Mark and Diane Rossin

IN MEMORIAM

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

WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS

Mission Emphasis: The Outreach Foundation builds partnerships between U.S. churches and international missions. In Harare, Zimbabwe, Joan Trevelyan and her team provide work and living essentials for street mothers and children. Praise God for their faithful witness.

Local Church: Mountain Springs Church

Pray for those in hospitals or short-term rehab:

Penrose Main

Mr. Larry Matejcek

Mr. John Holz

Mrs. Ruth Tepley Quinlan

Mrs. Toni Miller

Mr. Gene Jinings

Mr. Kirk Nelson

Center at Centennial

Mrs. Dorean Arneson

Memorial Central

Mr. Kenneth Baird

Health Care Resort

Ms. Ann Thomas