

SERVICE OF WORSHIP (July 2 - 8:30)

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GATHERING MUSIC

"An American Hymn" Effinger

ORGAN PRAISE

*"Introduction to the Hymn of Praise" Schack
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INTROIT

*"God's Son Has Made Me Free" Grieg
Sanctuary Choir, Jim DeJarnette*

* CALL TO WORSHIP (Based on John 8 and 14) John Goodale

Leader: Almighty Father, we praise You!

People: We praise You for Your Son, who has set us free!

Leader: We praise You for Your Spirit. We are no longer slaves to sin and fear.

People: We praise You for the Spirit of Truth within us. We are free!

* HYMN OF PRAISE, No. 728

"God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand" (vs. 1, 4)

Chris Lawson, Mark Israel, Stephen Hock, Trumpet

* DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**WELCOME AND GREETINGS

* SONG OF PRAISE

"My Country 'Tis of Thee"

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Sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing;

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From every mountain-side, let freedom ring.

* Congregation standing.

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Words: vs. 1, Samuel F. Smith and William E. Hickson; vs. 3, William E. Hickson; Public Domain; Tune: America

Marj Killick, Piano; Jim Christian, Guitar; Jay Hahn, Bass; Scott Barbier, Percussion

CALL TO CONFESSION

COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, You have promised, "If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land." We are Your people, and we seek Your face. Forgive us our sins as we humbly confess, and have mercy on us in the name and for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

*** RESPONSE**

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*** AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed** Pat Hartsock

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 *Please write your name and address in the friendship folder.*

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

*"When the Saints Go Marchin' In"arr. Rutter
Phil Perry, Clarinet; Mike Mazingo, Trombone*

SERMON

WHAT A SOUL NEEDS

"Purpose" Matthew 10:32-39 Katie Fowler

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"Lord, Here Am I"Beck

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/THE LORD'S PRAYER

*** HYMN OF RESPONSE, No. 580**

"We Are Called to Be God's People" (vs. 1, 2)

*** CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

"Fantasy on a Spiritual" Simpson

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*** HYMN OF PREPARATION, No. 466**

"Take My Life and Let It Be" (vs. 1, 2, 4)

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GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Jennifer Holz

CALL TO WORSHIP AND PRAYER

SONGS OF WORSHIP

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS Scott Nilsen (9:00); Jennifer Holz (11:00)

Holy and Loving God, You pardon all who truly repent and turn to You. Have mercy on us in Your loving-kindness. In Your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew our souls within us. Restore to us the joy of Your salvation and sustain us with Your Spirit. In Jesus' name. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S SERMON (*11:00) Candice Barry

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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.

Stephen Ministers are available to pray for you up front following the service.

HAPPENINGS

New to First Pres?

We're so glad you're here! Please join us after the morning worship services at Guest Central, just to the east of the Sanctuary.

Our annual **Of Thee I Sing Concert** will take place in the Sanctuary today at 4:00 p.m. Tickets are sold out.

35-Year Milestone Reception

A drop-in reception in honor of Jim and Barb DeJarnette's 35-year ministry milestone at First Pres will be held in the Plaza and Narthex from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Sunday, July 9. Bring a note of appreciation for the DeJarnettes to the reception or drop one off at the Plaza reception desk anytime this week.

Summer Camps and VBS

Visit www.first-pres.org/summer to sign up for camps, trips and other summer fun! VBS, mini-camp for toddlers, overnight camps for middle school and high school, Handbell Camp, Fine Arts Workshop and String Camp are all available.

Missions - 884-6233

IHN/Family Promise sign-ups will be in the Narthex today. Families who would otherwise be homeless will stay at First Pres from July 16-23. For more information: www.first-pres.org/familypromise.

Men's Life – 884-6119

Fellowship Friday Workday – Friday, July 21, 9 a.m.–12 p.m. The men of First Pres are invited to join together to help with various clean-up jobs around our church. Call 884-6119 to r.s.v.p.

College Students

We want to get to know you and help you grow! Join us Tuesday evenings for College Summer Nights at the Neuder's house, 1604 Culebra Place, 80907, for dinner together and hands-on studies that directly impact our day-to-day lives. Questions? Contact college@first-pres.org.

Launchpoint (Young Adults and College)

Looking for community? Want to connect with other college students and young adults? Trying to figure out your next step at First Pres? Join us for our next Launchpoint night of worship and prayer at 6 p.m. at Café 225 (225 N. Weber St.) on Sunday, July 16. Questions? Email youngadults@first-pres.org.

Caring Ministries – 884-6145

Diabetes Support Group, 2nd Saturday every month, 10-11 a.m., Spruce Room, Weber Street Center. Meetings offer education, information, and prayer in support of people with diabetes, their families and friends. Interested adults are welcome. Call Caring Ministries at 884-6145.

Willow Creek's Global Leadership Summit

First Pres will be the downtown Colorado Springs host site August 10–11. Info at www.first-pres.org/gls. To register at the host site price of \$89, use the code PHS17TEAM and choose First Pres as your organization. Childcare is available for children (birth – K) with preregistration. If you're interested in volunteering at the Summit, please contact Matt Fox at mfox@first-pres.org.

Job Openings – 884-6190

Preschool Teacher, part-time;

Preschool Teacher Aide, part-time;

Media Support Technician, part-time;

Worship Leader, full-time;

Worship Media Technician, part-time.

Contact jtandy@first-pres.org or

www.first-pres.org/jobs.

Get-Set Van Driver, split shift.

For for more information,
contact Delma at 884-6130.

Worship Center Financial Update

Budget for the Worship Center \$ 1,430,595

Total Funds Raised through June 25 \$ 1,175,159

Remaining Balance for
the Worship Center \$ 255,436

*Thank you for your gifts and prayers
as we invest in worship together
and call on the Lord to fill the Worship Center
with His presence!*

WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS

Mission Emphasis: Darrell and Annette Dooyema (The Navigators) work with international students at Colorado College. Pray that they will be encouraged by seeing fruit from their labors. Pray also that their family life will be strengthened over the summer months as they minister together in Norway.

Local Church: Grace Community Church

Pray for those in hospitals or short-term rehab:

Penrose Hospital

Miss Alice Banzhof

Mrs. Patty Jo Bruggeman

Mrs. Janet Ewing

Mr. William Bellingham

St. Francis Medical

Mr. Justin Robbins

Mrs. Lois Byler-Morauski

Brookdale Village/

Skyline Rehab

Mr. Milt Koets

Mrs. Carol Speirs

Mr. John Bass

Center at Centennial

Mr. Kenneth Moon

Mr. Robert Roulier

Mr. John Thomas

Memorial Central

Mr. John Timberlake

Center at Cordera

Mr. Bob Ray

Health Care Resort

Mr. Larry McDermed

Union Printer's Home

Mr. Len Froisland

Gifts to Sanctuary Flower Fund

In loving memory of:

Maj. Mark Thomas Todd
by Steve & Jean Bodman & family

Ralph Johnson by wife Jean & family

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Shirley (wid. Nathan) Boals - 6/25/17

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