

SERVICE OF WORSHIP (8:30 SEPTEMBER 30)

"You shall not commit adultery."

Exodus 20:14

GATHERING MUSIC

"Refiner's Fire" Doerksen

ORGAN PRAISE

"Refiner's Fire" Gorby/Doerksen
Roderick Gorby

INTROIT

"Come, Let Us Sing for Joy to the Lord" DeJarnette
The Sanctuary Choir; Steve Williams

* CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 95) Tom Pipkin

Leader: Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord!

People: Let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation!

Leader: For the Lord is the great God!

People: O Lord, our God, how great Thou art!

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

"How Great Thou Art"

Mark Israel, Stephen Hock, Janae Israel, Trumpets

* DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**WELCOME AND GREETING

* SONG OF PRAISE

"How Deep the Father's Love for Us" 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

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in Your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.

PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

* **HYMN OF RESPONSE, No. 51, vs. 3**

"How Great Thou Art"

* **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed** Katie 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 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

"Jesus, My Jesus" Cymbala

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MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"I Surrender All" Hayes

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER

*** HYMN OF RESPONSE,**

"King of My Heart, and Lord of My Desires"

King of my heart, and Lord of my desires,
Rule over every passion of my life.
Lead me to walk in ways Your love requires:
All glory and honor, to God the Father!

No other gods obscuring what is right;
Rule over every passion of my life.
Humbly content within Your guiding light:
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How great the myst'ry; covenant divine:
Ruling o'er every passion of my life.
Claimed by Your love, You call out, "you are mine!"
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Words: James DeJarnette; tune: Sine Nomine

*** CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Sinfonietta on "Sine Nomine"Gorby

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- * **HYMN OF PREPARATION, No. 358, vs. 1, 2, 4**

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

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**FIRST
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Exodus 20:14

SONGS OF PRAISE AND PRAYER Matt Holtzman, Raina Edwards

CHILDREN'S SERMON (11:00 a.m.) Jennifer Holz

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RESPONSE AND SENDING

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HAPPENINGS

CityServe Weekend 2018 October 5-7

Friday: Citywide Worship, Discovery Church, 4304 Austin Bluffs, 6:30 p.m.

Saturday: Be a part of a no-strings-attached day of service for our city. Anyone can serve! We are also collecting donations for the Family Intergenerational Projects hosted at First Pres. Sign up or donate items: www.first-pres.org/cityserve.

Sunday: World Communion and Compassion Child Sponsorship Sunday. Look for the Compassion tables in the Plaza and Narthex to learn more about Compassion International and begin to sponsor a child. Volunteers are needed to help at the packet tables from 8:30 a.m.–12:15 p.m. To sign, up go to ww.first-pres.org/compassionsunday.

Student Ministries will make a weekend of it, with CityServe overnight retreats for middle school and high school students.

Next Sunday – “Lord of All Nations” Pastor Tim McConnell will preach from Psalm 67:1-5.

Curious About Jesus? He’s the reason we’re here! Ministers are available after each service 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, or near the Weber Street doors in the Plaza.

Doorways New Members Class: Sundays, October 14–November 4. Led by pastoral staff in an environment of community. For information contact Ina Meyer at imeyer@first-pres.org or register online at www.first-pres.org/membership.

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: Hunan Springs. View class descriptions and register at first-pres.org/gtw.

Flu shots are available October 3 from 4:30–6:30 p.m. and October 7 and November 4 from 9:30–11:30 a.m., in the Staff Canteen on the lower level of Hansen Hall. Bring your insurance card. Cost is \$33 if not covered by insurance.

Engaged Couples Weekend – Friday evening, October 19, and Saturday, October 20. Cost is \$80 per couple. Register at www.first-pres.org/ecw.

Worship Ministry – We need people to help with music, lighting, slides and camera, as well as welcoming people. If you are interested in serving, contact Brandin Stroy at bstroy@first-pres.org.

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

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

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.

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. Join us in the Weber Street Center!

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

Golf Classic – Saturday, October 13, Kissing Camels Golf Course, 12 p.m. \$95. www.first-pres.org/golf.

Women | 884-6168 | first-pres.org/women

WOW Bible Study – Tuesdays, 9:30–11:30 a.m. Cost is \$30. Register at www.first-pres.org/women.

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

First Pres is accepting donations for those affected by Hurricane Florence. Designate “Hurricane Relief” when you give online at www.first-pres.org/

Gifts to
Sanctuary Flower Fund

In Memory of:

Blanche Neifert, by Steve and Lou Ann Neifert

IN MEMORIAM

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

give or write it on your check or offering envelope. All donations will be given through Hope for Wilmington, World Renew and the Red Cross.

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

FaithNet, a free, peer-led support group meets Mondays, 6:30–8 p.m., in the Weber Street Center Student Ministry Library. The group supports family, caregivers and friends of individuals living with mental illness.

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

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

Volunteers needed to serve as Nursery Caregivers and Receptionists. Contact: Nancy Bass, nbass@first-pres.org.

WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS

Mission Emphasis: Ecumenical Social Ministries has received support from First Pres for over 36 years. ESM provides 800 hot showers, 300 loads of laundry and 3,200 food items monthly to those who request assistance. First Pres helps stock the ESM pantry monthly. The next ESM Sunday is October 7.

Local Church: Passion City Church

Pray for those in hospitals or short-term rehab:

Center at Cordera

Mrs. Sarah Ogden

Center at Centennial

Mr. Lee Gilbert

Mr. Minor Nelson

Penrose Main

Dr. John Newcomer