

SERVICE OF WORSHIP (8:30 a.m., July 14)

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Luke 8:25

GATHERING MUSIC

“God of Wonders” Byrd/Hindalong

ORGAN PRAISE

Fugue on Clydesdale Gorby/Clydesdale
Roderick Gorby

INTROIT

“I Will Praise You, O Lord” Clydesdale
The Sanctuary Choir; Jim DeJarnette

* CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 138) Jennifer Holz

Leader: We praise You, O Lord, with all our hearts!

People: We tell of Your wonders!

Leader: We sing of Your love and faithfulness!

People: We praise You, almighty Lord!

* HYMN OF PRAISE, No. 71, vs. 1, 2, 4

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

Chris Lawson, Tim Baird, Jim Crosbie, Trumpets

* DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**WELCOME AND GREETING

* SONG OF PRAISE

“Be the Center” Frye
Marj Killick, Piano; James Bristow, Guitar; Jason Crowe, Bass; Scott Barbier, Percussion

* Congregation standing.

**Ushers will seat worshipers who are delayed here and during hymns. Ministers leaving the service have other teaching responsibilities.

CALL TO CONFESSION

COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Righteous Father, we seek Your salvation, then act like we save ourselves. We beg Your forgiveness, then repeat our errors. We experience Your grace, then act defeated. We rely on Your power, but only in hard times. We have become confused and misguided. Forgive our every defection. Bring us to an unbroken commitment and a steady trust, through Jesus Christ, who is the way of hope, and the truth of God, and the life of love, now and always.

PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF GOD’S FORGIVENESS

*** RESPONSE**

“As the Deer” Nystrom

*** AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles’ Creed** Matt Holtzman

NEW MEMBER RECOGNITION Heather Bauman, Assisting Elder

LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

“Total Praise”Smallwood

SERMON

GREAT QUESTION: “Where Is Your Faith?”
Luke 8:22–25 Tim McConnell

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

“Still I Will Trust You” Lopez
Vonda Barnhart, Soloist

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD’S PRAYER

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

"Faith Steers Our Journey"

Faith steers our journey when Christ is Lord and guide;

Calming our worry through storm and rising tide.

We keep His light within our sight,

Though endless waves surround.

In God we trust, He cares for us –

He guides us to safe and solid ground.

Hope marks our journey, for God is in command;

No mounting fury can match His mighty hand.

The God we trust created us;

He guards our very soul.

On God, we wait; He won't forsake

The heart that, in faith, gives Him control.

Love claims our journey; the faithful love of Christ.

Fear not, nor worry – at journey's end is life:

Christ's blood was spent, in covenant,

To save and set us free.

The God we trust loves us this much!

Praise God now, and through eternity!

Words: James DeJarnette; Tune: Symphony

* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Fantasy on "Assurance" Gorby/Knapp

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*** HYMN OF PREPARATION, No. 426, vs. 1–3**

“Blessed Assurance”

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Luke 8:25

SONGS OF PRAISE AND PRAYER Chris Cullins, David Kearns

CHILDREN'S SERMON (11 a.m.) Scott Nilsen

OFFERING

NEW MEMBER RECOGNITION

Assisting Elders Shelley McBride (9 a.m.) and Anthony Manzanares (11 a.m.)

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RESPONSE AND SENDING

Need someone to pray for you today? Our Prayer Team is available immediately following today's service at the front of the Worship Center. You can also email your prayer requests to prayer@firstprescos.org.

NEW TO FIRST PRES?

We're so glad you're here! Our joyful hope is that you experience the Light and Life of Christ while you're with us. The best way to connect with others who are new and to have your questions answered is to meet at the Welcome Center at 10:10 a.m. for **Coffee with a Pastor**. See you there!

Find us at firstprescos.org. Call us at 719-884-6100. Manage your communication preferences at my.firstprescos.org.    **firstprescos**

Connect@First Pres – A brand new path for finding your place at First Pres starts this fall. Three short workshops will be offered in regular rotation beginning in August. The first workshop, **CONNECT**, (August 28, September 22) will introduce you to ministries, small communities and service opportunities at First Pres. **WHAT WE BELIEVE** (September 4 and 29) will introduce First Pres core values and beliefs. **MEMBERSHIP** (September 4, 11 and 18; October 13, 20 and 27 and November

3) completes the process of becoming a First Pres member. Register at firstprescos.org/membership to attend any or all of these workshops.

Prayer – Need prayer? Look for a Prayer Team member at the end of worship, fill out a prayer card in the pew pocket or friendship folder, or email prayer@firstprescos.org.

Connect with First Pres Ministries

Nursery | firstprescos.org/nursery | 884-6139

Children | firstprescos.org/children | 884-6126

Students | firstprescos.org/students | 884-6126

College | firstprescos.org/college | 237-1522

Young Adults | 884-6189

firstprescos.org/youngadults

Adults, Men, Women | 884-6117

Caring Ministries | firstprescos.org/care | 884-6145

Mission Engagement | 884-6233

firstprescos.org/missionengagement

GIFTS TO SANCTUARY FLOWER FUND

In Memory of:

Parke L. Kanop by Carolyn Kanop and family

John and Doug Engelson by Nedra Engelson

Dan Silbaugh and Charles Belt by Cindy, Jason, Casey and Danny Silbaugh and Carey and Andy Pi

IN MEMORIUM

Mr. Donald M. McGilchrist – 7/2/19

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

WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS

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

Local Church: Trinity Baptist Church

Pray for those in hospitals or short-term rehab:

Memorial North

Ms. Jacklyn Prentiss

Mrs. Diane Sampson

Memorial Central

Ms. Pat Honaker

A Robin's Nest

Mr. Minor Nelson

Sunny Vista

Mrs. Barbara DiFiore

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

Next Sunday: "Where Is Your Faith?" Pastor Tim McConnell will preach from Luke 8:22–25 as our *Great Question* series continues.

Stephen Ministry Training: If you have felt called to be a more effective Christian caregiver, please join us for a brief meeting today at 9:30 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary Board Room, room S104.

Fine Arts Workshop, for middle and high school students, July 15 to 19, 9 a.m. to noon. Cost of \$85 includes art supplies. For more information, call 719-884-6113 or email musicoffice@firstprescos.org.

Men's Life: See the Rockies–Giants game on Friday, August 2, at 6:40 p.m. Tickets are \$26. Register for the trip at firstprescos.org/men. **The 19th annual Men's Golf Classic** is Friday, September 27, at the Eisenhower Blue Golf Course at the Air Force Academy. Register at my.firstprescos.org/golf2019.

The Myth of the Dying Church is the subject of a book reading and discussion with the author, Glenn

Stanton, who is Director of Global Family Formation Studies at Focus on the Family. Join us, on Monday, July 22, at 6:30 p.m. at Café 225. Bring a friend!

Young Adult Camping Trip: Are you 22-35-ish? Do you love the outdoors? You're invited to join us for our inaugural camping trip August 2 to 4 at Cottonwood, near Mt. Princeton. Register or learn more at firstprescos.org/youngadults.

Fall Life Groups: New Life Groups start this fall and signup begins Sunday, August 4. Be part of a smaller community pursuing Jesus together by finding your circle here at First Pres. Have a question about Life Groups? Contact Ina at imeyer@firstprescos.org.

Global Leadership Summit: Tickets are still available as First Pres will host two days of world-class leadership training Aug. 8 and 9 from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. in the Worship Center. Cost is \$119 if First Pres is your home church. Email Elizabeth Roth at eroth@firstprescos.org for the priority code. Register at firstprescos.org/gls.

READY TO SERVE?

July City Engagement Focus – Family Promise

Did you know that one third of people experiencing homelessness in our city are families with children? Four times a year, First Pres hosts families in our building through the IHN ministry of Family Promise. Serve with us and make a difference July 21-August 4! Opportunities include bringing meals, set-up/tear down, evening hosting and overnight hosting. **To sign up or learn more, go to the Welcome Center today** or visit firstprescos.org/ihn.

Sunday Morning Hosts, Ushers, Parking and Mobility Ministry Volunteers help those who are

new to First Pres feel welcome and find their way on Sundays. If interested in being trained, contact Dianne at dreitan@firstprescos.org.

Guatemala Trip – Interested in a partner trip to Guatemala in October? Join us for an interest meeting today at 9:30 or 10:30 a.m. in room 210. Learn more at firstprescos.org/guatemala.

Express your interest in serving at my.firstprescos.org/serve.

Work at First Pres | firstprescos.org/jobs

Open Positions: Custodian, full-time; Early Childhood Teacher, part-time; Preschool Teacher's Aide, part-time; Nursery Coordinator, part-time.