

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

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Jeremiah 18:3

GATHERING MUSIC

"How Great Is Our God" Tomlin/Reeves/Cash

Matt Holtzman, Worship Leader

ORGAN PRAISE

Prelude to "Laudes Domini" Gorby/Barnby

Roderick Gorby

INTROIT

"When Morning Gilds the Skies" arr. Bird

The Sanctuary Choir; Jim DeJarnette

* CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Genesis 1) John Goodale

Leader: Jesus Christ be praised!

People: Praise to the God of all creation!

Leader: Praise with elation, praise every morning:

People: God's recreation of the new day!

* HYMN OF PRAISE, No. 35, vs. 1–3

"Morning Has Broken"

Mark Israel, Jim Crosbie, Janae Israel, Trumpets

* DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

**WELCOME AND GREETING

* Congregation standing.

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

*** SONGS OF PRAISE**

"The Potter's Hand" Zschech
Marj Killick, Piano; James Bristow, Guitar; Jason Crowe, Bass; Scott Barbier, Percussion

CALL TO CONFESSION

COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Wondrous God, who sets suns and moons above us, mountains and valleys beneath us, and friends and strangers among us; how often have we tried to hide from Your presence, how seldom have we looked for Your creating face and fashioning hand. You, who took upon Yourself flesh of our flesh in Jesus, Your Son, how seldom we have really loved and followed You. Have mercy upon us.

PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

*** RESPONSE**

"Spirit of the Living God"
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Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

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

LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

"Look at the World" Rutter

SERMON

HUMANIZE ME: "Made to Make"
Jeremiah 18:1-11 Lydia Lockhart

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"Idyll of Praise"..... Courtney

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER

- * **HYMN OF RESPONSE, No. 23, vs. 1, 5**
"All Creatures of Our God and King"

* **CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Toccata on "Lasst uns Erfreuen" Gorby/Assisi

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"I Sing the Almighty Power of God"

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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**

Discover, Engage, Activate – This is your path to find your place at First Pres. Three short workshops are offered in regular rotation. **Connect** on September 22 will help you discover your next step. Come and learn at **What We Believe** on September 29. The **Membership** workshop on September 11, 18 and 25 and October 13, 20, 27 and November 3 completes the process of becoming a First Pres member. Register for any or all

of the workshops and learn more about connecting at firstprescos.org/discoverfirstpres.

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

Families with Children 0–18 | firstprescos.org/family
719-884-6126

College and Adults | firstprescos.org/discipleship
719-884-6117

Caring Ministries | firstprescos.org/care
719-884-6145

Mission Engagement | 719-884-6233
firstprescos.org/missionengagement

Worship and Music | firstprescos.org/worship
719-884-6113

GIFTS TO SANCTUARY FLOWER FUND

In Celebration of:

Claire and Russell Williams' 52nd wedding anniversary

In Memory of:

Sandy Brown by Jim and Kang Lee Brown

Eugene Z. and Harriet C. Ballenger
by Pegi Ballenger and Ray Parry

IN MEMORIAM

Ms. Barbara J. Bennett – 8/31/2019

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

WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS

Mission Emphasis: Our Cuban partners recently hosted a nationwide Presbyterian young adult retreat earlier in August. They also hosted a Vacation Bible School for their community with a record number of neighborhood kids in attendance. Pray for them as they continue to develop their children and youth ministries as an expression of them being Christ's light to their neighborhood.

Local Church: Faith Presbyterian Church

Pray for those in hospitals or short-term rehab:

Brookdale at Skyline
Mr. Dave Collier

Advanced Health Rehab
Mrs. Lynn Pattee

Life Care Center
Mrs. Joyce Dyck

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

Today: "Made to Make" Pastor Lydia Lockhart will preach from Jeremiah 18:1-11 as our sermon series, *Humanize Me*, continues.

GTW: Growing Together Wednesdays runs through October 30. Thanks to our partner, Marco's Pizza, for providing dinner on September 11. Register at firstprescos.org/gtw.

Mission Prayer: Join us at 5:15 p.m. on Monday, September 9 in room 302 as we pray for our local, national and global partners and outreach efforts.

Financial Peace University is Sundays from 9:30 to 11 a.m. through October 20. Register and get more information at firstprescos.org/gtw. **FPU for women** is Tuesdays from 9 to 10:30 a.m. through October 29. Register at firstprescos.org/women.

Library Fall Book Fair is September 8 to 15. Monetary donations will support the First Pres Library.

Grief Workshop: For those who have experienced the death of a loved one. This workshop runs seven Monday nights starting September 9. Register or learn more at my.firstprescos.org/griefworkshop.

Women's Bible Study: WOW! meets Tuesdays,

starting September 10. Learn Over Lunch Bible Study meets Thursdays, starting September 12. Register at firstprescos.org/women. Precept Bible Study meets Tuesdays, starting September 11. Register at joanksawyer@yahoo.com or by calling 719-963-4146.

Alpha starts September 11 and meets for eight Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. at Café 225. Learn more or register at firstprescos.org/alpha.

Blood Drive is September 11, from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Blood Mobile in the Weber Street parking lot. Make your appointment at vitalant.org, code 00665.

MOPS, for moms of preschoolers, starts Sept. 12. MOMSnext, for moms of schoolkids; starts Sept. 11. Childcare for MOPS. Register at firstprescos.org/mops.

First Pres Missionaries Ted and Brandy Cox have served with Greater Europe Mission (GEM) in Germany. Hear about their ministry on September 15 between 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. in room 210.

Student Ministries will celebrate CityServe with a high school retreat Oct. 4-6 and an overnight lock-in for middle schoolers October 5-6. Register or get more information at firstprescos.org/students.

READY TO SERVE?

September City Engagement Focus – CityServe, an event coordinated by nonprofit COSILoveYou, aims to ignite and unite the churches of Colorado Springs to show our city love and support through a no-strings-attached day of service. First Pres hopes to send out 800 people to serve as catalysts to love our city and neighbors on Saturday, October 5. **Sign up to join us or learn more at the Welcome Center and at firstprescos.org/cityserve.**

Interested in serving? | my.firstprescos.org/serve

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 serving, contact Dianne at dreitan@firstprescos.org.

Work at First Pres | firstprescos.org/jobs
Open Positions: Director of Communication, full-time; Family Ministries Program Coordinator, full-time.