

**SUNDAY, JUNE 03, 2018 · 10:00 AM**

*(\*) Those who are able, please stand. Large print hymnals, Sunday Worship hymn sheets & Bulletins & wireless hearing aids available. Ask an usher. Members, please wear your name tag.*

**WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE** Voluntary on “Kingsfold” arr Biery

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader... We do not proclaim ourselves;  
we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord  
and ourselves as servants for Jesus’ sake.

**People.. For God has shone in our hearts to give  
knowledge of the glory of God.**

Leader... Sisters and brothers, praise the Lord!

**All ..... The Lord’s name be praised!**

\*HYMN “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” # 276

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION Leader: Don Hanson

Invitation

Unison Prayer

**God who formed our inward parts and  
knows our hearts, forgive us.**

**Instead of acknowledging you as our God,  
we make our own idols.**

**Instead of proclaiming Jesus Christ as our Lord,  
we proclaim ourselves.**

**Instead of turning to the Holy Spirit,  
we turn to our own understanding.**

**Redirect us, and lead us to the ways  
that make Jesus visible in our lives.**

Silent Confession

Declaration of Pardon

Sharing God's Peace

Response “Glory Be to the Father” # 579

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, World without end. Amen. Amen

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

NEW TESTAMENT READING 2 Corinthians 4:5-12

“The Word of the Lord / **Thanks be to God!**” NT Page 138

**ANTHEM** “Here I Am, Lord” Schutte, arr. Mayfield

GOSPEL READING Mark 2:23 – 3:6

“The Word of the Lord / **Thanks be to God!**” NT Page 28

CHILDREN’S TALK Julie Denton

*(4yr to Gr1 invited upstairs to Activity Period in 203. Children leave through front exits)*

**SERMON**

\*HYMN “Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ” # 514

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Apostles’ Creed  
*(Ecumenical pg 14 in front of Hymnal)*

**OFFERING**

Invitation

**Offertory Music** “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” arr Barr

Song of Praise “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” # 592

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God all creatures here below;**

**Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen**

\*Prayer of Dedication

**SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

*Each communion tray has a dish of rice cake pieces for those who avoid wheat products*

Invitation to the Table

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Senior Recognition

Radford Award Presentation

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

The Lord be with you / **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts / **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*...Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with choirs of angels and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

*The prayer continues and concludes with The Lord's Prayer  
...using “forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors”*

Communion of the People

\*HYMN “Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples” # 434

\*BENEDICTION – concluding with

Pastor: ... God is good **People: .....All the time!**

\*SUNG RESPONSE *(Choir starts followed by Congregation)*

**Go with us, Lord, and guide the way Through this and every coming day,  
That in Your Spirit strong and true Our lives may be our gift to You.**

**POSTLUDE** “Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ” arr Behnke

**Welcome Visitors.** Please leave your contact info on the pink card that you find in the pew rack. Pick up a Visitor's brochure from the back or ask an Usher! Be sure share a cup of coffee with us today during our fellowship time immediately after Worship

**Mission Statement:** First Presbyterian Church exists to improve our understanding of Christ; to spread His word and teachings; and to reach out to our church family, our community, and the world through acts of compassion, kindness, and love

**A Staffed Nursery & Toddler Care Room** is located on the 1st floor behind the sanctuary. We also offer an optional Quiet Room for parents with small children located in the sanctuary back

**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS**

**Ushers** are led by Carl Longley. Jun 10: Jim Henderson

**Layreader** is Don Hanson. Jun 10: Dave Nolan

**Worship Recorder** is Katrina Schell. Jun 10: John Nethaway

**Deacon Ramp Duty** is Gail Tucker. Jun 10: Bruce Warcup

**Coffee Break** is in the Dining Hall immediately after worship to celebrate our graduating seniors Maegan & Maddie

**Weekly Congregation & Presbytery Prayer List:** Paul Barry, Harold Barry, Taylor, Tanna & Amelia Sreca; John & Kim Nethaway; Tim & Diane Burns& Niccolls Memorial Presbyterian Church, Old Forge

**SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL CLASS LOCATION**

*(Nursery Available on the First Floor – Room 107)*

Multi-Age Group..... Room 206

Grades 7 - 12 ..... Room 201

**EVENTS THIS WEEK**

Today.....10:00 am ..... Worship followed by Coffee Break & Fair Trade

11:15am ..... Church School

Mon..... Church Offices closed for vacation

Tues.....10:00 am ..... Prayer Shawl Ministry/Crafty Ladies

5:00 pm ..... Serenity Circle carpools to Root Glen

Wed..... 7:00 pm ..... Nursery School Board meets

Thurs ..... 3:00 pm ..... Bible Study in Library

BIB Packing at Trinity UCC

**NEXT SUNDAY** .....1 Samuel 8:4-11, 16-20; 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Church Picnic at Lee Town Park