

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 07, 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 "Let Us Break Bread Together" arr Callahan

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader... Long ago,
God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets,

People.. but in the last days God spoke to us through Jesus.

Leader... Jesus is the reflection of God's glory,
and sustains all things by his Word.

We rejoice that God, for whom and through whom
all things exist, should come in flesh and bone
to suffering for our salvation.

**All Therefore we praise God's name and
join our voices together to tell of God's goodness.**

*HYMN "O God of Every Nation" # 289

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION Leader: Carrie Scaccia

Invitation

Unison Prayer

**You gave us commandments, God of love,
because you know the hardness of our hearts.**

You created us to live in community, and we create division.

**Jesus loved the children,
but there are children who live in hunger and fear.**

Forgive your people. Heal our failings.

Call us to faithfulness.

**Bind us together that we might share
what we have been given, and receive your kingdom
with the wonder and gratitude of children.**

In Jesus' name we pray.

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

OLD TESTAMENT READING Job 1:1, 2:1-10
"The Word of the Lord / **Thanks be to God!**" OT Page 353

ANTHEM "In This Moment of Remembrance" Dale Wood

NEW TESTAMENT READING Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12
"The Word of the Lord / **Thanks be to God!**" NT Page 170

CHILDREN'S TALK Pastor Sam

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 "Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ" arr Sedio

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

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 "Lead On, O King Eternal" # 447

*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 "March" Handel

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 Don Hanson. Oct 14: Dave Scaccia

Layreader is Carrie Scaccia. Oct 14: Julie Denton

Worship Recorder is Sue Davidson. Oct 14: Jay Fish

Deacon Ramp Duty is Amy Garcia. Oct 14: Bonnie Herter

Coffee Break is in the parlor immediately after Worship

Weekly Congregation & Presbytery Prayer List: Allan & Kathie Lawrence, Libba Pendergrast, Larry & Liz Reyes, Three Voices: Cochran Memorial, Oneida Castle; Mount Vernon Presbyterian Church, Vernon; and First Presbyterian Church, Verona

Signup Sheets for "**It's the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown!**" available in the narthex, on the bulletin board near the parlor, and near the church office...or complete the slip below and place in the offering plate. Worship begins on 10/14 at 10:30, with lunch and program in the basement immediately following. For those wishing to preview the video, it will be shown after church today for youth and adults.

Name	# Attending