

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2018 · 10:30 AM

(* Those who are able, please stand. Large print hymnals, bulletins & wireless hearing aids are available. Ask an usher. Members, please wear your name tag.

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "Salvation Now Has Come to Us" anon.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader Grace to you and peace from the one who is and who was and who is to come,

People.... and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

Leader Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts.

All The whole earth is full of God's glory.

*HYMN "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" # 150

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION Leader: Dave Nolan

Invitation

Unison Prayer

Holy God, hear our confession.

Too often we trust in the promises of earthly rulers instead of the power of your love; help us to turn our hearts toward you.

Restore us in your love, and set us free to forgive as we have been forgiven, by the grace and mercy of Christ.

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

"The Word of the Lord / Thanks be to God!" NT Page 193

ANTHEM "O Worship the King" arr Robert Lau
See Sheet for Congregation Participation

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John 18:33-37
NT Page 86

CHILDREN'S TALK

Carrie Scaccia

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

SERMON

We Are All Kings

*HYMN "God of Our Life" # 275

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

OFFERING

Invitation

Offertory Music "And Can It Be?" Dan Forrest
Tom McGibbon, Vocalist

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

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sharing Joys & Concerns

Choral Prayer "Bless the Lord" Berthier

Silent Prayer

Prayers of Intercession and The Lord's Prayer
...using "forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors"

*HYMN "God of the Ages" # 262

*BENEDICTION – concluding with

Leader: . Remember that 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 "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" arr Powell

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!

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

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Today....10:00 am Worship followed by Coffee Break in parlor
11:15 Church School
Noon Youth Choir

Tues.....**REAL** Poinsettia order from Twigs Deadline
10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry/Crafty Ladies
Noon Thank You Lunch for Anthony Ross
7:00 pm Worship & Music Committee meets
Trustees meet

Wed.....9:00 am Wed AM Club in Music Room
9:30 am Mom's Club in Dining Hall
4:20 pm Rescue Mission Serve
6:30 pm Bell Choir
7:30 pm Senior Choir

Thurs 3:00 pm Bible Study in Library
BIB Packing

Sat9:00 am Hanging of the Greens – Please Come to Help
Salvation Army Bell Ringing at Price Chopper

NEXT SUNDAY ...Jeremiah 33:14-16; Luke 21:25-36
8:30 & **10:30 am** Worship / Communion & Fair Trade
Intergenerational Celebration "Timmy's Gift"
PW Mini Bazaar after 10:30 Service

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Ushers are led by Jim Henderson. Dec 02: Don Hanson

Advent Wreath Lighters: Dec 02: The Yates Family

Layreader is Dave Nolan; Dec 02: Don Hanson

Worship Recorder is Tom McGibbon. Dec 02: Valerie Wood

Deacon Ramp Duty is Bruce Warcup. Dec 02: Carol Drumluk

Weekly Congregation & Presbytery Prayer List: Matt, Jennifer, Aiden & Kira Proper; Larry Beasley & Family and 1st Pres Whitesboro

Project Angel Tree is up!! Please take a tag as we help the Rome Salvation Army spread Christmas joy to local youth

Thank You Potluck Lunch for Anthony Ross on Tuesday / Gathering at Noon; Eating at Noon thirty – All Welcome – Bring a Dish to Share