FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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THE ORDER OF WORSHIP | THE LORD'S DAY | AUGUST 7, 2022 | 10:45 A.M.

The Announcements

Please submit your prayer requests and/or record your attendance at worship with us:

*The Call to Worship

~ God's People Respond to His Call to Worship ~

*The Hymn of Praise No. 660"O God Beyond All Praising"

*The Prayer of Adoration and Lord's Prayer

God, and there is no other."

Our Father which art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom Come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory forever. Amen.

*The Confession of Faith.....The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic* church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

~ God Calls Us to Confess Our Sins ~

Declare and present your case; let them take counsel together! Who told this long ago? Who declared it of old? Was it not I, the LORD? And there is no other god besides me, a righteous God and a Savior; there is none besides me. "Turn to me and be saved, all the ends of the earth! For I am

O God beyond All Praising

I will praise you, O LORD, with all my heart. Ps. 138:1



The Confession of Sin

Almighty God, we confess we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed. And yet, we need your help to truly grieve, regret, and mourn our rebellion.

Please fill us with holy fear, give us your grace to amend our lives according to your Word, and restore our souls through Jesus Christ.

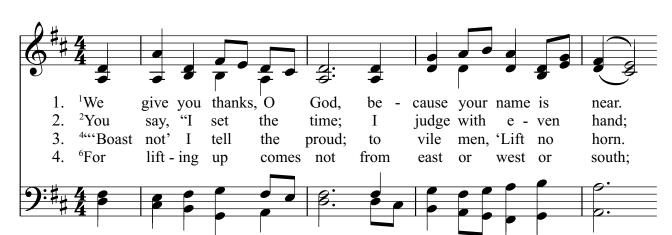
Make us as kind and merciful as you are. Let your forgiveness make us willing to forgive every wrong we have suffered, and to seek forgiveness for every wrong that we have done.

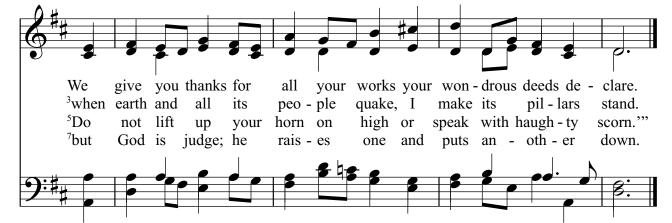
Let our love, humility, and generosity be as abundant as our joy. And so firmly root us in the glory and mystery of the Son of God being made flesh for us, that we are empowered by your Spirit to overcome alluring seduction of the world through our Lord Jesus Christ.

The Assurance of Pardon Isaiah 53:4-

Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his

own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.





- 5. 8The LORD's hand holds a cup with foaming wine, well-mixed; he pours it out, and wicked ones must drink it to the dregs.
- But I fore'er proclaim, and Jacob's God I'll praise.
 The wicked's horns I will cut off,
- ¹⁰The wicked's horns I will cut of the righteous I will raise.

The Great Prayer

But as you excel in everything—in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in all earnestness, and in our love for you—see that you excel in this act of grace also. I say this not as a command, but to prove by the earnestness of others that your love also is genuine.

*The Psalm No. 11"The LORD Is My Refuge (page 4)



A. One Outrage (v. 21) 1. Which Work: With what is the Saviour confronting the Jewish leaders? a. To which work did they particularly object? b. How was that work of Jesus intentionally provocative? 2. Response: What was the initial objection of the Jewish leaders (5:10)?

"What's Your Problem?" | John 7:21-24 | Light in the Darkness No. 34 | Page 839 **SERMON NOTES**

B. One Day (v. 22) 1. Source of Circumcision: What words are left untranslated by the ESV?

I. Introduction

II. Main Argument

2. Priority of Circumcision: How does Jesus show the Jewish leaders

b. Application: The danger of devotion to tradition.

a. Does the Law related to circumcision require violating the Law related to the Sabbath day?

already accept a priority or hierarchy of precedence within the Law?

a. Why does Jesus ignore their initial objection and focus on Himself?

- b. Application: Beware creating exemptions regarding the Sabbath.
- c. Application: The Sabbath is both an obligation and a blessing.

C. One Wholeness (v. 23) 1. Principle: Lesser to Greater

- - a. Why is it important to recognize the Saviour is not arguing the Jews violate the Fourth Commandment with circumcision?

2. Purpose of the Sabbath a. What are the dual purposes of the Sabbath (cf. Deut. 5, Exod. 20)? b. How are both circumcision and Jesus' work consistent with the purpose of the sabbath? c. Application: Jesus came to undo the effects of the curse. D. One Standard (v. 24) 1. Missed It: Why did the Jewish leaders miss what Jesus revealed? 2. Cease and Start a. Stop Judging

c. In what sense was circumcision considered to be a perfecting rite?

b. What are the Saviour's two points in bringing this up?

- **III.Conclusion**
- ~ God's People Respond to His Word ~ *The Hymn of Approach No. 420......"At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing"

~ God Shows His Commitment to Us ~ The Communion of Christ and His People at His Table

The Words of Institution

b. Start Judging

The Prayer of Consecration The Distribution of the Elements

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

~ God's People Respond to His Grace Displayed ~

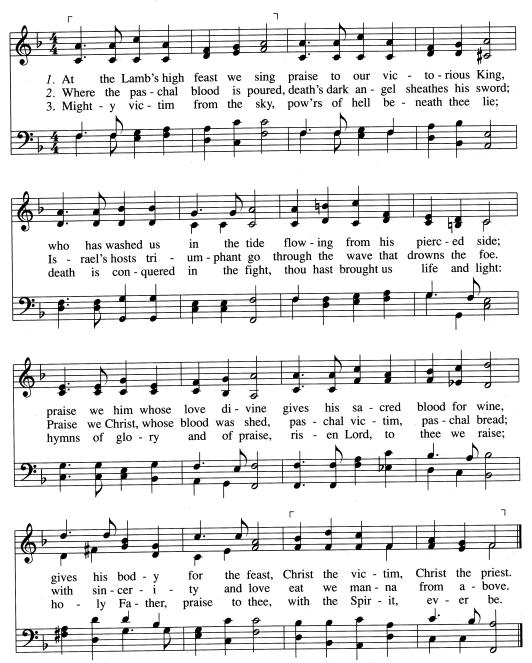
*The Psalm of Praise No. 117....."Praise Jehovah, All Ye Nations" (page 7) ~ God Blesses His People ~

*The Benediction

*The Response No. 733"The Doxology"

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed. 1 Cor. 5:7





ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR AUGUST 7, 2022 + Evening Worship will resume next Lord's Day at 6:00 p.m.

- + After lunch **today** we welcome Jim Sutherland who will be talking to us about
- ministry in public housing. All are welcome.

 + The Lord's Supper will be observed as part of Evening Worship on August 21.
- +This month we are collecting school supply items for Operation Christmas Child:
- markers, spiral notebooks(1/2 size), pencils and sharpeners, pens, colored pencils, rulers, dry water color paints (no liquid), glue sticks, small pencil cases, crayons. If you would like to contribute items, please deposit them in the box near the dessert table in the Fellowship Hall.

Keep Up With the Worship & Work of the Church

- + Sign up for text message alerts and updates by texting FPFO to 84576.
- + To subscribe to the prayer list, please contact the church secretary: office@fpfo.org.
- + Contributions may be received by placing your offering in the plates, mailing a check to the church office, or online: FPFO.org/give

Congregation Game Night

August 12, 2022 | 6:00 p.m. @ FPFO Pizza Provided; bring your own games or join with others

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The Lord's Day		Wednesday
9:30 a.m. Fell	owship Time	9:00 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Meeting
9:45 a.m. Sun	day School	5:55 p.m. Covered-Dish Supper
10:45 a.m. Mo	orning Worship	6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting
5:00 p.m. Seri	mon Broadcast	6:30-7:30 p.m. KidsQuest (children)
WA	AK 94.7 FM	6:50-7:30 p.m. Classes & Studies
6:00 p.m. Eve	ning Worship	The Kings of Israel (adults)

FPFO Weekly Activities Schedule

Children are always welcome in worship, but a nursery is also available for children 3 and under.

(excluding First Sundays)

Nursery Aug 7: E. Wilson & C. Rowan Aug: 14 R. Wilson & A. Wilson

The Life of David (young men)
Galatians (young women)