

# THE LORD'S DAY MORNING

MAY 5, 2019

## God Calls His People into Worship

### \*God's People Respond in Praise

"Praise to the Lord, Almighty"

### \*Prayer of Adoration

### God's People Confess Their Faith: Larger Catechism No. 168

The Lord's supper is a sacrament of the New Testament, in which, by giving and receiving bread and wine according to the institution of Jesus Christ, His death is showed forth; and they who faithfully commune feed upon His body and blood, to their spiritual nourishment and growth in grace; have their union and communion with Him confirmed; testify and renew their thankfulness, and engagement to God, and their mutual love and fellowship each with the other, as members of the same mystical body.

### God Calls Us to Repentance: First John 2:15-17

Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world—the desires of the flesh and the desires of the eyes and pride of life—is not from the Father but is from the world. And the world is passing away along with its desires, but whoever does the will of God abides forever.

### God's People Confess Their Sin

Our God and our Holy Father, every good and perfect gift comes from above. And You have graciously poured out more than we could possibly imagine. You have given us this beautiful creation to subdue and cultivate. You have given us Your word to sustain us and change us. You have given us Your Son and Your Spirit to give us life and hope. You have provided for our daily needs, and You have gone to make a place for us. And You have given us relationships, which are a joy and help us persevere. And yet despite Your lavish generosity, we simply want more. We fill our minds with the things that we do not have, instead of gratefully living in the grace of what we have been given. We delude ourselves that just one more item, one more experience, one more person will bring peace and contentment that can only be found in You.

Psalm 116 (p. 478)

Hymn 53

Please restore unto us the joy of our salvation. Kindly give to us a profound rest in what You have done for us in Jesus. Help us desire to know the giver, instead of getting lost in the gifts.

### Silent Confession

### God Assures Us of Forgiveness in Christ: First John 1:8-9

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

### \*Hymn of Thanksgiving

"Be Still, My Soul"

Hymn 689

### God's People Worship through Giving

You will be enriched in every way to be generous in every way, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God. For the ministry of this service is not only supplying the needs of the saints but is also overflowing in many thanksgivings to God. (2 Cor. 9:11-12)

### Offertory

### God Calls His People to Cast Their Cares Upon Him

Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. Of His own will He brought us forth by the word of truth, that we should be a kind of firstfruits of His creatures. (James 1:17-18)

### \*Hymn of Preparation

"How Lovely Shines the Morning Star!"

Hymn 515

### Scripture Reading

Colossians 1:24 (p. 924)

### God Feeds His People through His Word

Rev. Ryan Biese

"Purpose in Suffering"

### \*Hymn of Response

"Hark! The Voice of Love and Mercy"

Hymn 259

### God Communes with Us at His Table

God Invites Us to His Table

God Feeds Us with the Bread of Christ's Body

God Gives Us the Cup of the New Covenant

### \*Hymn of Praise

The Doxology (Hymn 733)

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below: Alleluia, Alleluia!

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host! Praise Father, Son, and

Holy Ghost. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

### \*Benediction

## Ministry Opportunities for Everyone

- Children / Youth Ministry
- Greeters
- Intercessory Prayer
- Local Outreach
- Men's Ministry
- Mercy Ministry
- Missions Work
- Nursery
- Scouting Programs
- Visitation
- Women in the Church

### *I am interested in...*

- Becoming a Christian
- Joining this Church
- Family Activities
- Joining a Bible Study
- Other Interests:

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### *Comments or Questions*

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### *Request Sermons on CD*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

### *Special Needs*

- I want to speak with the Pastor.
- I want to know more about this Church.

### *Prayer Requests*

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**Thank You For Visiting!**

May 5, 2019

Welcome to First Presbyterian Church!  
It is important for us to get to know you.  
Please fill out this form (both sides) and  
drop it in the offering plate. Also be  
sure to mark any items about which you  
would like more information.

Dr./Mr./Mrs./Miss/Ms. \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Best time to call: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Status (circle)

Single Married Student

Children's Names and Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you...**

- New to the community
  - Looking for a new church home
  - First Time Visitor
  - Second-Time or More Visitor
  - Out-of-town Visitor
  - Member of another church
- Church Name \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you learn about our church?**

- Friend
- Newspaper
- Website
- Church Sign
- Mail
- Yellow Pages
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Monday, May 6**

7:15 PM Boy Scouts

**Wednesday, May 8**

6:00 PM Supper Club

6:45PM Adult Bible Study, Kids Quest and Youth Group

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*Announcements are due each week by Wednesday at 5:00 p.m. to [tamibrumley@bellsouth.net](mailto:tamibrumley@bellsouth.net)*

\*If you are willing to serve the young families in the church by helping with the **nursery ministry**, there is a sign up sheet in the Fellowship Hall. For questions please contact Mary Lou Wilson.

\*At the close of the service we will be taking a **Deacon Fund Offering**; this fund serves needy families in our church and community. Monthly Fellowship Meal.

\***Ladies GAG Night** is Thursday(5/9) at Diana Johnson's house.

\*The Session plans to produce a **pictorial church directory**. Please see Andrew Keller about "having your picture made."

\*Please mark your calendars for **Trivia Night: May 17 at 6:00pm**. Registration forms are due to the church office by May 10. Proceeds benefit the Youth scholarship fund.

\*Please sign up for the Youth and/or Family Trips to Kentucky and Tennessee **July 23-27**. There is an **informational meeting after/during lunch today**.

\*There are **Papa John's Pizza** discount coupon books available for purchase to benefit the Youth fund. Please see Sandy Keller.

**Nursery Schedule**

<u>Today:</u>	<u>May 12, 2019</u>
Sarah Wilson & Macy Sheets	Aubrey Tuggle & Caroline Ellis

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**SUNDAY SERVICE INFORMATION**

- 9:45 AM – Gathering Prayer & Praise
- 9:55 AM – Sunday School
- 10:45AM – Morning Worship
- 5:45 – Prayer Meeting
- 6:15 PM – Evening Worship

**Pastor:** Ryan Biese, email: [rfbiese@gmail.com](mailto:rfbiese@gmail.com)

**Elders:** David Bosshardt, Herman McConathy, and Wil Davis

**Deacons:** Wade Brumley, Bob Keller (chairman), and Lance Wood (clerk)



What shall I render to the LORD  
for all His benefits to me?  
I will lift up the cup of salvation  
and call on the name of the LORD,  
I will pay my vows to the LORD  
in the presence of all His people.  
(Psalm 116:12-14)