

***WELCOME TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH***

Grace and peace to each of you in the name of Jesus Christ. We welcome you to this worship service. If you are a guest, please sign the guest book in the back of the sanctuary or fill out a visitor's card in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. We would love to greet you by name. We invite you to join us every Sunday morning for Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. during the school year, and worship at 10:15 a.m.

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*A Time of Fellowship*

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† TO KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS †

*For those settling in after a move to North Carolina*

*Those recovering*

*Those who grieve*

*For healthy pregnancies*

*Those facing health issues*

*Those battling cancer*

*For those hiking the Pacific Crest Trail*

*For those affected by the immigrant and asylum issues on our southern border*

*The people battling the devastation from active volcanoes in Guatemala and Hawaii*

*Those facing violence and its aftermath*

*Missionaries*

*All who face the darkness and pain of addiction and those who journey with them*

**We offer prayers of joy and thanksgiving for:**

*Those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries*

*All of the people who helped make Vacation Bible School so successful!*

## THE WEEK IN BRIEF

(events at FPC unless noted)

Sun., June 24	10:15am	Worship: Rev. Vander Broek, preaching
	11:30am	Church Chat in Fellowship Hall
	1:30pm	Bethany Home: Katrina Richardson & Jill Klinebriel
<i>Mission Team to Green Bay, WI 6/24-30</i>		
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***Banners Currently Hanging in the Sanctuary***

South Wall - Pentecost (*in memory of Rev. Duncan Brockway*)

West Wall - 1 John 4:19 (*in honor of Rev. Katherine Achtemeier*)

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**Prayer Chain** requests may be called (582-4494) or emailed to the church or to Linda at [fpcdbqlongfield@gmail.com](mailto:fpcdbqlongfield@gmail.com).

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27  
*Psalms 130*  
 2 Corinthians 8:7-15  
 Mark 5:21-43

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Lyle Vander Broek

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(from Our Song of Hope)

*On the day of resurrection, death was defeated. God's purpose for the world was sealed."*

(from Psalm 51)

and my mouth will declare your praise.

a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

<sup>1</sup> *Ellacombe*

John G. Elliot

None can fathom all your ways.

Righteousness surrounds your throne.

Holy, holy, holy Lord most high

Gracious God, You are creator and sustainer, the source of all power. But we know that you are, above all, a God of love. Forgive us when we seek your power but ignore our relationship with you. Forgive us when we think of you only in terms of our wants. Allow us to know your love more fully. Help us to be secure in your grace-filled care. In Jesus' name we pray.

### *Declaration of Forgiveness*

Prayer for Illumination

First Reading Mark 4:35-41 p. 1558

Special Music Amanda Eby, violin solo

Children’s Message

Second Reading 1 Samuel 17:1-49 p. 445

Sermon “God’s Power”

\*Hymn of Response Hymn #501 “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” CWM Rhondda

\*Affirmation of Faith “The Apostles’ Creed”  
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, 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 sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People the Lord’s Prayer  
Our Father, who 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 Offering  
Offertory “Living for Christ” L. Smith  
\*Doxology  
\*Prayer of Dedication

\*Sending Hymn Hymn #457 “Lord, I Want to Be a Christian” I Want To Be A Christian

\*Charge & Benediction

\*Postlude “Recessional” Broughton  
\*Those who are able, please stand.

Leaders in Worship:  
Kristen Eby, Music Director  
Mark Ward, liturgist  
Rev. Lyle Vander Broek, preacher

Welcoming you to First Presbyterian Church today:  
Alex Jack, greeter  
Mark & Annalee Ward, Coffee Fellowship hosts  
Elissa Smith and Florence Siefker, Nursery

IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

WE WILL HOLD OUR SECOND CHURCH CHAT TODAY following worship. Thank you to all who participated in the first church chat, where folks shared their hopes and thoughts about the future direction of the church and the necessary gifts/skills of a new pastor. The Session values your opinion and asks that you take part in a church chat or respond to the survey recently sent to you.

THE MISSION TEAM LEFT THIS MORNING! Please keep Bryan Blair, Elias Brehm, Ethan Blair, Gabe Vander Broek, Jonah Brehm, Lupe Morales, Sam Morales, and Steve Foxen in your prayers as they serve the Lord in Green Bay.

A BIG THANK YOU to the Mission Team for the landscaping work they did for us. We appreciate all that they did: planted trees, spread mulch, pulled weeds and planted flowers. Bill & Janet Spoerl.

YOU’RE INVITED TO JOIN THE PRAYER CHAIN! If you would like to be notified when a church family member is in need of prayer, please complete the insert and place in the offering plate or the box in the narthex.

PLEASE SIGN A BIRTHDAY CARD FOR our missionary in Thailand. Their latest newsletter is available in the narthex and is posted on the bulletin board in the Coffee Hour room.

COFFEE HOUR HOSTS NEEDED FOR MOST OF JULY - 8, 15, 22, and 29. A sign-up sheet and directions for hosting are available in the Coffee Hour room.

PREACHING SCHEDULE THE NEXT FEW WEEKS: July 1 - Mission Team; July 8 - Katrina Richardson; July 15 - Rev. Lyle Vander Broek; July 22 - Rev. Beth McCaw; July 29 - Katrina Richardson

We welcome Rev. Dr. Lyle Vander Broek, our guest preacher today. Lyle has taught courses in the Greek language and in biblical exegesis at UDTS. He retired in 2017. Lyle and his wife, Rachel, are active members in the life of FPC.

Who We Are  
First Presbyterian Church is a diverse community of people who are experiencing the Father’s love in Jesus Christ through the Holy Spirit. We are called through the Scriptures to know Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. In thankful response for all God has done for us, we serve our church, neighborhood and world—through ministries of worship, nurture, education, and outreach.

To support the mission and ministry of our church, we need \$12,892 per month. Offerings received through June 17th totaled \$10,452.80.