



First Presbyterian Church
Bucyrus, Ohio

August 25, 2024
Worship Service 10:30 AM

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Exalting Christ. Denying Ourselves.
Loving Our Neighbors.

Service of the Word and Sacrament

Sunday, August 25, 2024 10:30AM

Please use time before the service for prayer and reflection.

Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.

Please turn off all cell phones.

Welcome
Prelude

Announcements and Concerns

***Call to Worship** (Responsive)

Those who trust in the Lord are like Mount Zion, which cannot be moved, but abides forever.

As the mountains surround Jerusalem, so the Lord surrounds God's people, from this time on and forevermore.

***Prayer of Invocation**

***Hymn of Praise** "They'll Know We Are Christians"

#256

***Prayer of Confession** (Unison)

Gracious God, forgive us for the many ways we fail you. You invite us to commit ourselves to your never-failing care, but trust is difficult for us. You ask us to reconcile broken relationships, but we avoid that demanding work. You call us to live a new life, bold in love and faith, but we are timid. In these and many other ways, we resist your rule in our hearts. Forgive us, O God, in your mercy. Through your Spirit accomplish your will in us, strengthening us for your service and leading us in your grace, we pray through Jesus Christ.

***Assurance of Pardon**

***Gloria Patri**

#961

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 with-out end. Amen, Amen

***Sharing of the Peace**

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (Debt/debtors)

Commitment through Giving
Offertory

Response

“Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow”

#965

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication (Unison)

O Lord, our God, send down upon us your Holy Spirit, we humbly ask, to cleanse our hearts, to hallow our gifts, and to perfect the offering of ourselves to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Message

“How Long O Lord”

Pastor Josh Hanson
Gateway Church
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Old Testament:

Daniel 12:1-13

New Testament

Revelation 21:1-8

Revelation 21:22 – 22:17

*Closing Hymn

“All Creatures of Our God and King” (vs. 1, 2, 5, 6)

#551

*Benediction

Postlude

Prayer Requests

Shut-Ins:

Mary Lou Hastings, Sue Headley,

Joe Ann Johns is currently in Altercare, 1929 Whetstone Street, Room 411. Prayers & cards are greatly appreciated.

Cancer

Annette Cheney, a friend of Kathy Bardon

Surgery

Eva, a child of friends of Tami Robinson, will have hip dysplasia surgery in 3-4 weeks, with a long recovery.

Michael Cole, son of Phyllis Cole, Michael home with Phyllis, recovering

Kathy Hildebrand, Courtney's Mother, received a liver transplant

Members, Family and Friends of Members:

Chet Johnston

Dan Price

Judy Eichhorn, prayers for acceptance, endurance and patience while Judy lives with chronic pain

Lou Ross, recovering from a, stroke, Lori Rager's Dad

Whitney Hildebrand, Courtney Posey's sister

Abigail Sutherland, recovering from heart surgery, Dishon's granddaughter

Mike McKee, Heart problem. Friend of Kathy Bardon

Becky Bellamy, Parkinson's, sister of Kathy Bardon

Military:

Keagan Rios, Gennie Rios grandson
Levi Diebler, member and Carrie Diebler's son
Grayson Robinson, Tami Robinson's grandnephew

Special Prayers

Please keep Dan & Barb Price, and their family in your prayers for the passing of Dan's brother, Bruce.

Announcements

Worship folders for August are presented to the Glory of God by Tami Robinson.

Chancel Flowers today are presented by Al and Jan Fulton to the glory of God and in memory of Bruce Alan Price.

Attendance last Sunday 39.

Pastor Search Committee will meet today, immediately after church.

Newsletter – Please have all newsletter information to the office by Monday, August 26th. Thank you.

Operation Christmas Child – There is a Project Leader Workshop planned for 09/14 at Brandon Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon, Ohio. The committee needs 2-3 volunteers to attend this workshop to help with this up-coming project. Please see the flyer insert in your bulletins. Please contact Debbie Hablitzel (419-561-8823) ASAP, **RSVP required by September 1st.**

This Week

Sunday, August 25

Wednesday, August 28

Friday, August 30

10:30 AM Worship Service

2:30 PM Table Toppers

7:00 AM Men's Prayer Group

Worship Leader: Tami Robinson

Liturgist: Bob Thompson

August Elder: Tom Britton

Greeters: Rachel Ritzhaupt & Harley Shaum