

JUNE 19, 2022
11:00AM — SANCTUARY
SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



“Isolation and Depression” By Corina Chirila

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WEST WAYNE STREET



WELCOME TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!

We're so glad that you are here! If you would like to learn more about us, please fill out the information on the Get Connected card in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. You are also more than welcome to contact any of our pastors over the phone or by email. God's peace to you today. — Rev. Dr. Anne Epling, Rev. Dr. Youngsoo An, Rev. Ann Pitman and Rev. Carrie Winebrenner

†*Those who are able, please stand*

Congregation responds in bold

GATHERING

PRELUDE Prelude in G
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Francis Linley
Robert A. Hobby

TOLLING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Only the hungry search for bread.

Only the thirsty look for water.

This is a place for those who are hungry and thirsty in spirit.

Only those who ache for meaning will pursue it.

Only those who yearn for a deeper life will seek it.

This is a place for those who ache and yearn for something more.

So let us come here today with our hunger and thirst,

our unsatisfied longings, our heart-felt yearnings,

and let the God of life satisfy our souls.

†**HYMN** No. 336 We Gather Together

KREMSER

†**CALL TO CONFESSION**

†**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**O God, sometimes the journey is too much;
we can't go on, and we complain that we are all alone,
that nobody cares, not even you.**

Our strength is gone, and we are ready to give up.

**In those times, when we are consumed with self-pity
and convinced there is no hope,**

send your Spirit into our hearts to remind us of your sustaining grace.

Strengthen us at your Table and by the daily claiming of our baptism,

so we may go confidently on our journeys,

carrying out the mission you have given us.

Through Christ we pray. Amen.

†ASSURANCE OR PARDON

Hear the good news of God's love for us;
not in the earthquake, not in the storms, not in the mighty deeds,
but in the silence, in the gentle touch, in the quiet rain,
God says, again, "You are my Beloved. I love you." **Amen.**

†SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

†RESPONSIVE HYMN NO.. 581 Glory Be to the Father

GLORIA PATRI

(Children are welcome to come forward for the "Time with Children" as we sing the responsive hymn.)

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The lyrics are: "Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men, a - men." The piano accompaniment features block chords and simple rhythmic patterns. The piece concludes with a double bar line and a final chord in the piano part.

HEARING THE WORD

TIME WITH CHILDREN

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING

PSALM 43

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM

*Let All Things Now Living
Summer Choir*

Katherine K. Davis

Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving to God the creator triumphantly raise, who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us, who guideth us on to the end of our days. His banners are o'er us, his light goes before us, a pillar of fire shining forth in the night, till shadows have vanished and darkness is banished, as forward we travel from light into light!

His law he enforces, the stars in their courses, the sun in his orbit obediently shine. The hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains, the deeps of the ocean proclaim him divine. We too should be voicing our love and rejoicing; with glad adoration a song let us raise, till all things now living unite in thanksgiving to God in the highest, hosanna and praise!

OLD TESTAMENT READING

1 Kings 19:1-15a

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SERMON

“Woozy and Worthless”

Rev. Carrie Winebrenner

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**In a time before all knowing, God is,
and God's breath fills the emptiness, creating:
a universe, a world, an ecology, a biology and us, humankind.
All humankind, no exceptions, no imperfections;
all of us just as we are, God's beloved.**

**In a time before all knowing,
Christ Jesus watches the creating
and steps out into creation:
becoming, living, dying, and rising, all for us.
All humankind, no exceptions, no reservations;
all of us just as we are, God's beloved.**

**In a time before all knowing, the Spirit is
and moves through every part of creation:
consoling, interceding, leading, and refreshing all the world, including us.
All humankind, no exceptions, no differentiations;
all of us just as we are, God's beloved. Amen**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

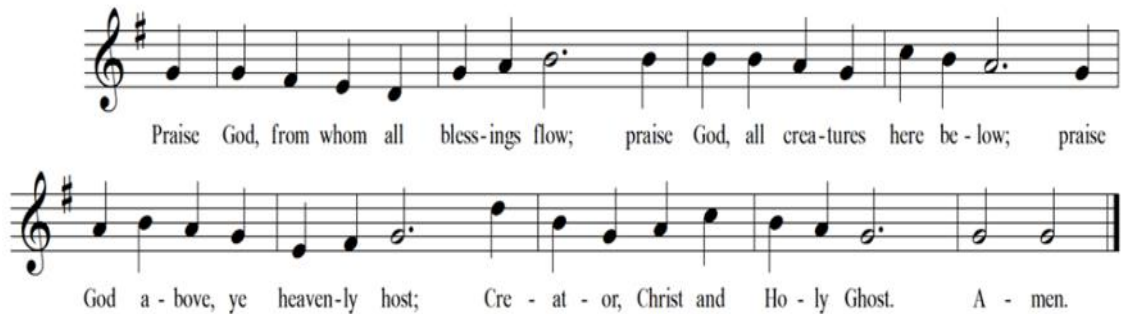
OFFERTORY

Children of the Heavenly Father

Robert A. Hobby

†DOXOLOGY Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

OLD HUNDREDTH



Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; praise God, all crea-tures here be-low; praise
God a - bove, ye heaven-ly host; Cre - at - or, Christ and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

†PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Gracious and holy God,
accept what we offer today:
our checks and cash, our faltering steps,
our brokenness, our leftovers,
our hope, our risking, our lives.
Bless and transform all that we offer
and all that we hold back,
that new life may be ours,
to celebrate and share in Jesus' name. Amen

SENDING

†HYMN NO. 824 There Is a Place of Quiet Rest

MC AFEE

†BENEDICTION

†POSTLUDE Allegro pomposo

Thomas Roseingrave

SERVICE NOTES

Hymn 336: First published among songs celebrating the end of Spanish control of the Netherlands, this text's blend of patriotism and piety has made it popular at (often ecumenical) Thanksgiving Day services. The tune is named for the Viennese arranger whose male chorus popularized it.

Hymn 183: This paraphrase and expansion of Matthew 11:28-30 by a Canadian minister is structured so that the first three syllables of each stanza provide the hymn's skeleton and summary. The immediacy of the text is enhanced by the folksong-like setting later composed for it.

Hymn 824: A Presbyterian campus pastor and choir director in Missouri wrote this simple but moving hymn in response to the death of two young nieces from diphtheria. By distilling such personal grief into the shared assurances of faith, these words have brought comfort to many.

THE SESSION

Moderator: Rev. Dr. Anne B. Epling

Clergy: Rev. Dr. Youngsoo An

Treasurer: Steve Weissner

Clerk of Session: Luci Foltz

Assistant Clerk: Sally Swihart

<u>CLASS OF 2023</u>	<u>CLASS OF 2024</u>	<u>CLASS OF 2025</u>
Nancy Bradtmiller	Dick Florea	Vemell Fettig
Bob Doerr	Terri Lindvall	Ron Kohart
Carolyn Krebs	Judy Mettler	Marj Sapp
YuCha Riley	Heidi Schulenberg	Tom Swihart
Mike Shim	Jai Son Wyss	Steve Weissner

ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP THIS MORNING

Greeters: Judy Mettler and Steve Weissner

Ushers: Anne Barnett, Dave Beer, Jack Patton, Dan Serban and Jerry Winters

Director of Music/Organist: Brent Neuenschwander

Assistant Organist: Kathryn Miller

Live Stream: Dick Florea

Sound: Marj Sapp

Summer Choir

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Prayer List or to Request Pastoral Care: If you or a loved one is hospitalized and would like to be added to the prayer list or are seeking pastoral care, please contact the church at 260-426-7421 x106. Please let us know if you would like a visit.

Hospital Stays: With the increased concerns over patient's privacy, hospitals are very limited in what information they can release to churches. When you are admitted to the hospital, please ask someone to notify the church office so that our pastors can provide appropriate care.

CHILDCARE

Childcare is available in Room 101 for age 5 and under.

CHANCEL FLOWERS

The Chancel flowers are given in loving memory of Dr. and Mrs. Frederic G. Perry by their family.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JUNE 19, 2022

Thank you for joining us today! You are welcome to come for worship on Sunday, June 26, 2022, at the 11:00am English service in the Sanctuary (or via Live Stream, Facebook, Website or YouTube); or for the 11:00am Korean service in McMillen Chapel (or via website or YouTube).

Call for Congregational Meeting — June 26, 2022 after 11:00am Service: The congregation of First Presbyterian Church, Fort Wayne, Indiana will meet on Sunday, June 26, 2022, immediately following the 11:00am worship service. The congregation will meet for the purposes of hearing the report of the Associate Pastor Task Force, and act on its recommendation to call Rev. Carrie Winebrenner as Associate Pastor, and approve the Terms of Call recommended by the Session and the Personnel Committee for Staff and Ministers.

COMMUNITY

Monthly Food Pantry Collection: The Food Pantry relies on your donated food or money to support its program of feeding families caught in crisis situations. The June food needs are: applesauce cups, boxed or bagged dry cereal, boxed or bagged mashed potato mix, canned peaches or pears, corned beef hash, gravy mix packets, peanut butter, spaghetti noodles, and spaghetti sauce (cans).

All three agencies are requesting gently-used plastic grocery bags (no holes) which they use for distribution of the food items. We prayerfully hope that you will find it in your hearts to support these efforts.

If you are worshipping remotely, you can send monetary donations to the church at: First Presbyterian Church, Attn: Financial Office—Hunger Relief for June, 300 W. Wayne St, Fort Wayne, IN 46802.

St. Joseph Mission: The fourth Monday in June (6-27-22) is coming up soon and so is our chance to provide a dinner for the women at the St. Joseph's home. Sign-up sheets will be available in the small dining area on Sunday, June 19th. There are eighteen women in residence as of now, and there will be instructions on how to access the home during the current street construction.

Clothing Bank: Due to a change in staffing, the Deacons' clothing bank for Fort Wayne Community School's will not be accepting any further clothing donations until the end of August. An update will be provided when donations resume. Thank you for your continued support for our schools.

ARTS AT FIRST PRES

Revised Gallery Hours: The following revised hours have been established for the Gallery — Tuesday-Thursday from 12:00pm-5:00pm with all other times by appointment only.

SENIOR MINISTRIES

Exercise -- 3B – will continue throughout the summer on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Walkers @ 1:00pm, on your own around the building – and --- **Exercise Class @ 1:30pm** in McKay Hall.

Upcoming Plays – We will leave First Presbyterian Church at 9:30am, lunch at the Boathouse at 11am and play at the Wagon Wheel at 2pm. Anticipated return 5:30 – 6 pm. The plays cost \$35. Everyone pays for their lunch on their own.

June 23 — we will be going to see “Legally Blonde” (comedy) at the Wagon Wheel and will be on the same schedule as above. If you are interested in going, please let Ann know as soon as you can.

July 7—Brigadoon, a musical, by Lerner and Lowe

Memoirs Class—We will have a Memoirs Class for anyone interested in writing their Memoirs, stories about some of your life experiences. It will begin July 13, from 2:30-4pm.

There is still time and room to sign up for both the plays and the Memoirs class. Please contact Rev. Ann Pitman to make reservations. Email: apitman@firstpresfortwayne.org or call 260-426-7421, ext. 106.

ADDITIONAL NOTES

Hearing Loop: To use the “Hearing Loop” during the service, please switch your hearing aid or cochlear device to the “T”, T-Coil or telephone position. For questions, please call Bill Patterson at 260-609-9696.

Faith, Fibers and Fellowship: FFF is hosting a class to make a tote bag on Saturday, June 25th at 9:00 am, in McKay Hall. The class will be limited to 20 crafters. It will be taught by Susan Gibbs and Peg Reed (from Trinity Pres). Call, text or email to register or if you have questions, contact Marj Sapp at 260-413-2639 (marj.sapp@gmail.com) or Marcie Weissner at 260-312-5733 (marcie5073@aol.com). There are two sizes of tote bags from which to choose so be sure and ask Marj or Marcie about them.

Please note: This summer, the crafters will continue to meet on Monday afternoons from 3:00pm-5:00pm (rather than change to evenings) in room 302. Please join us if you can. We request no ink, and any beverages be capped with lids. If you have questions, please call or text Marj Sapp at 260-413-2639 or Marcie Weissner at 260-312-5733.

Table Talk (Women’s Book Study) — Wednesdays @ 10:00am via Zoom: Meeting ID: 241 730 827. Passcode: 2604267421. We will begin a new book on Wednesday, July 6. We take turns “reading around the table”, so no homework is assigned. We will be reading *If God is Love, Don’t Be a Jerk* by John Pavlovitz (2021). You are welcome to check the public library or purchase the book on your own. If you would like to have us order a paperback copy for you, please contact Marcie Weissner (312.5733 or marcie5073@aol.com) by June 22. The cost will be about \$14.50 – we’ll let you know for sure when the books arrive. If paying by check, please make it out to First Presbyterian Church and note “Table Talk 1 book” on the memo line.

Men’s Bible Study: Please note that the Men’s Bible Study on Fridays will **not** meet during the summer. They will resume on Friday, September 9, 2022.

Women’s Bible Study — Fridays @ 1:00pm via Zoom: Call-in Number: 312-626-6799. Meeting ID: 904 041 033. Passcode: 2604267421. Contact: Rev. Ann Pitman at apitman@firstpresfortwayne.org.

Pledges and Offerings: We invite you to mail in pledges and offerings to First Presbyterian Church, 300 West Wayne Street, Fort Wayne, IN 46802 or go online and give at www.firstpresfortwayne.org, where you can also find updated information on our events. Thank you for your gifts!

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday, 9:00am — 5:00pm

Friday, 9:00am — 12:00pm

Phone: 260-426-7421, *press 5 for the Staff Directory*

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Glory to God: The Presbyterian Hymnal Online.

HERE IS WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FIRST PRES THIS WEEK!

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00am — 5:00pm and Friday, 9:00am — 12:00pm

SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 2022

10:00am Summer Choir Rehearsal, SB
 10:00am St. Joseph Sign Up, SDR
 10:45am Childcare, Rm 101
 11:00am English Worship Service, SC
 11:00am Korean Worship Service, CH
 11:15pm Sunday School, Rm 210
 12:00pm Mission Meal Delivery, OS
 12:15pm Green Team Meeting, 3rd FL
 12:15pm Hospitality Time, MH
 12:15pm KLM Fellowship, FH

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 2022

9:00AM DAY SCHOOL FIELD TRIP (15 PSGR BUS)
 1:00pm Stephen Leaders Team Meeting, SM/O
 1:00pm 3B Walkers
 1:30pm 3B Exercise, MH
 3:00pm Faith, Fiber and Fellowship, Rm 302

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2022

9:30am Team Read, PR
 11:00am Staff Worship Planning, SR
 6:00pm SAA, Rm 304
 7:00pm ACOA, Rm 300
 7:00pm NA, Rm 302
 7:30pm Central AA, MH

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2022

9:00am Day School Field Trip (15 psgr bus)
 10:00am Table Talk, ZM

1:00pm 3B Walkers
 1:00pm 3B Exercise, MH
 3:00pm Ambassadors Committee, SR
 7:00pm Narcotics Anonymous, Rm 302

THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 2022

9:00am Day School Field Trip (15 psgr bus)
 9:30am Smock Trip-Legally Blonde (Offsite)

FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 2022

11:30am Toastmasters, PR
 1:00pm Women's Bible Study, ZM

SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 2022

9:00am Tote Bag Sewing Day, MH

SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 2022

10:00am Summer Choir Rehearsal, SB
 10:30am Childcare, Nursery
 11:00am English Worship Service, SC
 11:00am Korean Worship Service, CH
 12:00pm KLM Fellowship, FH
 12:00pm Called Congregational Meeting, SC
 12:15pm Hospitality Time, MH
 1:00pm KLM Steering Committee, SR

ROOM ABBREVIATIONS

CH	Chapel	MH/E	McKay Hall East	SDR	Small Dining Room
CL	Chapel Lounge	MH/W	McKay Hall West	SM/O	Stephen Ministry Office
CN	Chapel Narthex	MR	Music Room	SR	Session Room
CY	Courtyard	NP	North Parking Lot	TH	Theater
DS	Day School	NX	Narthex	YL	Youth Lounge
FH	Fellowship Hall	NR	Nursery	ZM	Zoom
FO	Front Office	OS	Offsite		
GL	Gallery	PR	Parlor		
KT	Kitchen	SB	Sanctuary Balcony		
MF	McKay Foyer	SC	Sanctuary		
MH	McKay Hall				

Please stop by the Church Office with any questions or to learn how to get connected to church events.