
First Presbyterian Church

3rd Sunday of Easter

Sunday, May 1, 2022

*Those who are able may stand

PREWORSHIP FELLOWSHIP

PRELUDE MUSIC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INVITATION TO REST



*GATHERING HYMN #614....."Great Are You, Lord"

X2

*OPENING SENTENCES (Responsive)

Jesus Christ is risen from the dead!

Alleluia!

Blessing and honor and glory and might be to our God in all that we do.

Alleluia!

KYRIE

(Please join us in the "Kyrie", an ancient song that mirrors the words people used to cry out to Jesus for healing in the scriptures. In Greek they mean, "Lord, have mercy". The church has sung these words for thousands of years as prayer and to prepare our hearts for confession.)

Kyrie Eleison (Lord have mercy)

Christe Eleison (Christ have mercy)

Kyrie Eleison (Lord have mercy)

Kyrie Eleison

Christe Eleison

Kyrie Eleison

CONFESSION OF NEED (Responsive)

God of generosity

In Jesus, you show us love and invite us to follow.

Love that seeks

Love that suffers

Love that endures

Yet so often we feel like we don't know how.

How to fix the brokenness we see.

How to speak among the pain others show.

How to manage our own lives and mental health while reaching out to others.

We confess that your ways are not our ways and so we all too often give up trying.

We need you to show us how and the faith to know there is enough in us to try.

Have mercy on us.

Help us receive your love so we can pour it out on others.

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Kyrie Eleison

Christe Eleison

Kyrie Eleison

SILENCE FOR CONFESSION AND RESTING IN GOD'S GRACE

DECLARATION OF GRACE (Responsive)

The resurrection of Jesus shows us the grace of God is stronger than death and the love of God has no boundary.

This is Good News.

In Jesus Christ, we are covered in Grace.

RESPONSE HYMN #452....."Open the Eyes of My Heart"

***SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

The Peace of Christ be with you! **And Also, with you!**

Let us share a sign of God's peace with one another.



PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (Unison)

Holy Spirit, help us hear your voice beyond our inability to hear and understand your word beyond any speaker's ability to explain. Through your word, speak to our hearts even if our heads are not ready to listen.

Amen.

SCRIPTURE

FIRST READINGPsalm 30 (pg 557)

Leader: The Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God!

GOSPEL READING.....John 21:1-19 (pg 120)

Leader: The Word of the Lord. People: Praise to You, O Christ

SERMON

Rev. Greg Isaacson

SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

***HYMN OF THE DAY #450**.....*"Be Thou My Vision"*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Lord in your Mercy. **Hear our Prayer.**

THE LORD’S PRAYER (forgive us our “sins”)

INVITATION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING (Responsive)

Lord, be with you

And also, with you

Lift up your hearts

We lift them up to the Lord

We lift them up to the Lord our God

It is right to give our thanks and praise



WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION



***BLESSING AND CHARGE (Responsive)**

Beloved children of God receive the gift of the Holy Spirit, the grace of Jesus Christ, and the blessing of the Lord forever.

Alleluia! Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN #69**.....*"Here I Am, Lord"*

***DISMISSAL (Responsive)**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.
Amen.

***POSTLUDE**



Home Delivered Meals

Our church is responsible for Home Delivered Meals Monday, May 23 through Friday, May 27. We will need 3 drivers per day.

If you can help, there is a sign-up sheet on the table by the offices or please call the church @ #218-281-4853. Thank you in advance for helping with this mission!



Please continue to be in prayer for:

JoAnn Westburg	Brent Blake
Scott Brolsma	
Punky Johnson	The Phillips Family
Duane & Betty Finkenbinder	

A Warm Welcome to our Guests and Visitors!

Our church has a wonderful array of ministries that seek to spread the gospel into the world. If you are interested in finding out more about the church community or are interested in becoming a member, please contact us at:

Pastor – Rev. Michael Ozaki

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Check out our Website: crookstonfirstpres.org

Calendar for this week:

Sunday, May 1, 2022

10:30 am Worship w/Communion

11:30 am Coffee Fellowship

Preaching..... Rev. Greg Isaacson

Communion Prep..... Jeri Melsa

Ushers & Greeters..... Wayne & Lori Folkers

Organist..... George French

Music Director..... Sandy Perkins

Reader..... Ralph Pester

Wednesday, May 4

5 pm Bell Rehearsal

Next Sunday, May 8

10:30 am Worship

11:30 am Coffee Fellowship

Preaching..... Rev.

Ushers & Greeters..... Gary & Lori H.

Organist..... George French

Music Director..... Sandy Perkins

Reader..... Marsha Odom

