
First Presbyterian Church

4th Sunday after Epiphany Sunday, January 30, 2022

*Those who are able may stand

PREWORSHIP FELLOWSHIP

PRELUDE MUSIC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INVITATION TO REST

GATHERING HYMN #314....."Christ, Be Our Light"
vs. 1, 2, & 5

***OPENING SENTENCES (Responsive)**

Love, without it we are like clanging cymbals,

Love!

We can speak like prophets, but we still have to

Love!

We can build great buildings, but we need to

Love!

We can preach and pray, thank God every day, but we must

Love!

Be patient and kind, with no envy in mind,

Love!

Don't be rude or resentful; don't insist on your own way,

Love!

How can we live without it?

Love!

How can we sing without it?

Love!

Who can serve God without it?

Love!

We just stopped by today so that God could remind us to

Love!

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 (Unison)

God of grace,

Teach me how to love.

God of love,

Teach us how to build your beloved community.

God of community,

reform us anew into your church.

Because I fear we have forgotten how to do it all in a world that only understands transaction and consumption.

KYRIE

Kyrie Eleison (Lord have mercy)

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Kyrie Eleison

SILENCE FOR CONFESSION AND RESTING IN GOD’S GRACE

DECLARATION OF GRACE (Responsive)

God said to the apostle Paul,

“My grace is sufficient for You”.

This is not a command, but a Promise.

You have all the grace you need. You can trust in it, like a ship on the tide.

Thanks be to God

***RESPONSE HYMN #627....."I Love You, Lord"**

***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 READING Psalm 71:1-6 (pg 588)

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

SECOND READING.....1 Corinthians 13:1-13 (pg 183)

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

SERMON

Love

Rev. Michael Ozaki

SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

***HYMN OF THE DAY #693....."Though I May Speak"**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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

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

***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 #726....."Will You Come and Follow Me"**

vs. 1,2,4, & 5

***DISMISSAL (Responsive)**

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

***POSTLUDE**



Please continue to be in prayer for:

Kaylee Acevedo & Family	JoAnn Westburg
Alex Gullingsrud & Family	Brent Blake
Scott Brolsma	Randy Beattie
Duane & Betty Finkenbinder	Richard Gould

Dates to Remember

**Sunday, February 13th - "Souper Bowl
of Caring" Offering**

Sunday, March 20th - Annual Meeting

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:

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Calendar for this week:

Sunday, January 30, 2022

10:30 am Worship

11:30 am Coffee Fellowship

Preaching.....	Rev. Michael Ozaki
Ushers & Greeters.....	Gordy & Monica Terpstra
Organist.....	Hannah Krueger
Music Director.....	Sandy Perkins
Reader.....	Sandy Perkins

Wednesday, February 2

5 pm Bell Rehearsal

Thursday, February 3

1 pm Bible Study

Next Sunday, February 6

10:30 am Worship w/Communion

11:30 am Coffee Fellowship

Preaching.....	Rev. Greg Isaacson
Communion Prep.....	Gordie Terpstra
Ushers & Greeters.....	Wally Hoselton & Dale Charais
Organist.....	
Music Director.....	Sandy Perkins
Reader.....	Lynne Mullins

