



SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

JULY 18, 2010

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

CHIMES

GREETING

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

PRELUDE

Rondeau

Purcell

†CALL TO WORSHIP

†HYMN 462 Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies

†PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Dear God,
we offer ourselves to you,
aware that our sins are many.
Sometimes we go too fast.
Sometimes we sit too still.
We worry about the wrong things
and neglect what is important.
We struggle to find the right balance.
Forgive us.
Restore us.
Help us to find the right measures
of worship and service,
of self-care and self-giving,
of faith and hope and love,
as we seek to follow the example of Jesus.**
(Silent Prayer)

Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

†DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

Friends, believe the good news.
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

†RESPONSE

Sure-ly it is God who saves us; We will trust in Him and not be a - fraid - For the

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Lord is our strong-hold and our sure - de - fense, and He will - be our Sav - ior.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

LESSON

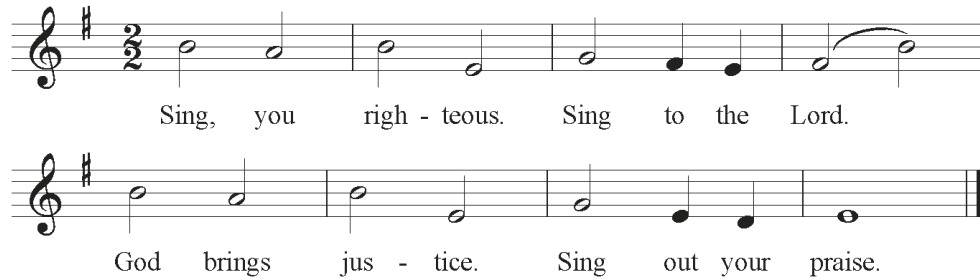
Amos 8:1-12

p. 856 O.T.

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God!**

PSALM 52 (*please sing refrain as directed*)

Hopson



Sing, you righ - teous. Sing to the Lord.
God brings jus - tice. Sing out your praise.

*Why your boast, O wicked mortals? Why your pride in vain deceit?
All your efforts work their malice, God's true causes to defeat.
(refrain)*

*Like a sword, your evil cunning cuts the righteous to the core;
But the Lord rejects deception, and endures your hate no more.
(refrain)*

*Then the righteous shall with laughter celebrate your earned demise;
Raise new virtue from your ashes, speak the truth above your lies.
(refrain)*

*By God's justice shall the faithful claim your loss as their own gain:
Evermore God's praises render, Ever in God's house remain.
(refrain)*

CONVERSATION WITH CHILDREN - II

ANTHEM - II Create in Me a Clean Heart O God

Mueller

*Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from thy presence; and take not thy holy spirit from me.*

*Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation, restore unto me the joy of thy salvation;
And uphold me, uphold me with thy free spirit, thy free spirit.*

*Then will I teach transgressors thy ways; and sinner shall be converted unto thee.
Create in me a clean heart, O God!*

LESSON

Luke 10:38-42

p. 72 N.T

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

Stop and Go

John Wurster

Silence and Stillness

†HYMN 310

Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee

COMMISSIONING OF YOUTH TRIENNIUM DELEGATES—II

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER - I

**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 LORD'S PRAYER - II *(please echo the cantor)*

OFFERING

OFFERTORY Psalm 84 Wilborn

†RESPONSE Hymn 592

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

†PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Almighty God,
we thank you for your Holy Spirit
that enlightens our minds
with true understanding of your word.

**Give us your grace,
so that as we receive your truth into our hearts
with humility and awe,
we may be led to place all our trust in you,
living to serve and worship you,
to the glory of your holy name.
Amen.**

†HYMN 341 Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine

†CHARGE AND BLESSING

POSTLUDE Rondo Bull

Worship Notes

Large print bulletins and hearing aid devices are available from an usher.

†Please stand if able. **Bold** type indicates unison response.

Let Us Pray....

...for those in the hospital this week: Marge Lundeen, Don Sawyer, and Betty Chaney.

...for our delegates to the Presbyterian Youth Triennium: Whitney Ball, Claire Russell, Gabriel Schlechte, Josh Smith, Xander Young.

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Serving Today

MUSICIANS

I/II - Sally Ritch, cantor
II - Chancel Choir

SCHEDULED GREETERS

I - Dewayne Bannister, Bob Millard, Lois Millard

II - Mike Brunsvold, Don Turner, Tim Cowden, Jeanette Cowden, Alice Ann Bacon, Arthur Bell, Gaye Avery

SCHEDULED USHERS

I - Archie Campbell, Dean Porter, Jane Porter, Walter Roemer

II - Jon Appling, Mark Cowden, Will Cowden, Clyde Day, Amy Jones, Zachary Jones, Christopher Jones, Ed Cook, Bill Suehs, Arthur Bell

SCRIPTURE READERS

I - Barbara Doan
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ACOLYTES

Parker Cowden
Gillian Stieren

NURSERY AND EXTENDED

CARE VOLUNTEERS

Ann Ogle, Kristie and Warren Schlechte

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

Amy Jones, Warren and Kristie Schlechte, Sam Baublitt, Matt Priour, Stan andCarolynn Cobbs

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The Prayer of Thanksgiving was from the Protestant Reformer John Calvin. Generally, considered the founder of Presbyterianism, Calvin was born in July of 1509.

Summer Seminars in Ryan Hall

The Letter of James

Stan and Carolynn Cobbs
July 18 and 25

Community Garden

Peggy Sechrist
August 1

*Summer Seminars will last 45 minutes, 9:45 to 10:30,
with Ryan Hall available for fellowship
from 10:30 to 11:00.*



Welcome to Worship



We are grateful that you have chosen to worship with us this Sunday. If you are seeking a church home, we invite you to join our church family. After worship, elders present will gather near the baptismal font to meet with those who have an interest in uniting with us. Welcome brochures are in the pews and on the table in the narthex, where you will also find a walking-tour guide describing the art of this church.

FPC Community Briefs

If you are a rising 4th - 6th grader you are invited to join us for **Earth Friends, God's Friends**. We will meet in the Family Life Center July 19-23 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Go to www.fpkerrville.org/children.htm to register.

The family of Inez Palmer invites members of First Presbyterian Church to celebrate with Inez on the **occasion of her 95th birthday**, on Saturday, July 24, 2:00—4:00 p.m., in Ryan Hall. *No gifts, please.*

There will be a **Congregational Meeting** next Sunday, July 25 following the 11:00 a.m. service for the purpose of electing new officers.

OFFICER NOMINEES

Elders

Clarice Amann
Sam Begeman
Hal D'Amico
Bev Kapelle
Rita Odom
Sonny Payne
Blake Smith

Deacons

Karen Andersen
Jerry Bratcher
Don Coombs
Joan Craft
Linda Phillips
Tom Stoner
Alice Ann Bacon (1 yr.)
Rex Miller (2 yr.)

Trustee

Bill Wilson

Nominations may also be made from the floor with prior consent from the nominee.

New dessert plates and punch cups have arrived for the Ryan Hall kitchen. **We need a volunteer or two** to help unpack the new dishes and pack up the old dishes. If you would be willing to help, please call the church office.

Calendar for July 18 - July 25

Sunday, July 18

8:30/11:00 Worship
9:45 Sunday School; Ryan Hall

Monday, July 19

9:00 Earth Friends
5:00 Budget and Finance;
Rm. 204

Tuesday, July 20

9:00 Earth Friends
9:15 Staff
6:00 Stephen Ministries;
Peterson Regional

Wednesday, July 21

9:00 Earth Friends
9:45 CC Chapel

Thursday, July 22

9:00 Earth Friends

Friday, July 23

9:00 Earth Friends

Saturday, July 24

11:00 HOPES Kitchen
2:00 Inez Palmer 95th birthday party
(all invited); Ryan Hall

Sunday, July 25

8:30/11:00 Worship
9:45 Sunday School; Ryan Hall
11:00 Congregational Meeting
following worship