



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LED BY CHRIST, TOGETHER IN FAITH AND
LOVE, WE JOYFULLY THINK, QUESTION,
GROW AND SERVE!

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

August 6, 2017

*for those who wish to stand

Bold print indicates congregational participation

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Randy Hardy

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 17

One: Hear a just cause, O Lord; attend to our cries; give ear to prayers from lips free of deceit.

All: I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God; incline your ear to me, hear my words.

One: Wondrously show your steadfast love, O savior of those who seek refuge from their adversaries at your right hand.

All: As for me, I shall behold your face in righteousness; when I awake I shall be satisfied, beholding your likeness.

One: Let us worship God!

*OPENING HYMN

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

#267

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, you made us in your image, with a mind to know you, a heart to love you, and a will to serve you. But our knowledge is imperfect, our love inconstant, our obedience incomplete. Day by day we fail to grow into your likeness; yet you are slow to be angry with your children. For the sake of Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior, do not hold our sins against us, but in your tender love, forgive.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*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 without end. Amen, amen.*

PASSING OF THE PEACE

WELCOME THE CHILDREN

*This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng.
Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.*

CHILDREN'S TIME

Shelby Dickson

(Children may now be seated with their parents or those 5 and younger may leave for the nursery)

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

1ST SCRIPTURE READING*Genesis 32:22-31 (pg. 44, OT)*

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

CHORAL ANTHEM

2ND SCRIPTURE READING*Matthew 25:31-40 (pg. 42, NT)*

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

I Wanna Be a Sheep

Rev. Barry Dundas

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. He descended into hell. The third day, he rose again from the dead and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

HYMN OF AFFIRMATION

Crown Him with Many Crowns

#268

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

Opportunities to serve this week

Invitation to Give

(Please sign the Act of Friendship sheet and pass it down the pew)

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
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.*

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OFFERING PRAYER

SENT OUT TO BEAR GOD'S WORD IN THE WORLD

*SENDING HYMN

What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine

#837

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



The flowers in the chancel are given:

- by Alice & Frank Herrman in honor of their 44th wedding anniversary.
- by Mary Andersen in memory of A. Jay Andersen.

TODAY'S VOLUNTEERS:

Worship Assistant: Randy Hardy

Greeter: Diana Smith

Coffee Hostess: Jill Mick

Ushers: Peggy Bihlmaier, Anne & Lloyd Davidson, Jane Driver

Deacons Flower Deliverer: Ron Green

Manor Bus Driver: Sunrise Presbyterian

WELCOME TO FPC, PASTOR BARRY!

FPC Salina today welcomes to the pulpit the Rev. Barry Dundas, senior pastor of Trinity United Methodist Church here in Salina. Barry has been at Trinity for 10 years. He's a graduate of Southwestern College and Saint Paul School of Theology. Like Pastor Charlie (who is preaching at Trinity today), Barry loves to tell stories and is passionate about the Kansas City Royals. Ask him about catching his first foul ball at a baseball game earlier this summer!



FINAL SUMMER SOUL-STICE: AUGUST 8



The 5th and final presentation in the 2017 Series “Do Justice...Love Mercy...Are You Kidding” will be held Tuesday, August 8th at 12 p.m. Noon in the FPC Chapel. Panel presentation by LaNay Meier, Diana Smith and Gerald Gillespie, volunteers: Inspired by last year's Summer Soul-stice presentation on *Reaching Out From Within* (ROFW) there are now seven volunteer sponsors who work with two groups of inmates at the Ellsworth Correctional Facility. At weekly meetings of ROFW the men learn about themselves, about principles of non-violence, and about building better lives for themselves. If you would like to be added to our email list for next year's series, please contact Martha, Sydney, or the church office.

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS & BIBLE SUNDAY: AUGUST 13

There are many milestones we celebrate with our children and youth, including starting a new school year. On Sunday, August 13th, we will have a “Blessing of the Backpacks” in worship to pray for the new school year! ALL students-- children, youth, and adults-- who are beginning a new school year are invited to bring their backpacks, bags, and/or briefcases to worship. Additionally, our upcoming 3 year olds, 1st graders, and 6th graders will be presented with new Bibles. We hope that you'll plan to join us on August 13th for the blessing and presentation of Bibles.



FELLOW MAN INTERNATIONAL DINNER: AUGUST 27

On Sunday, August 27th at 6 p.m. a fundraiser meal of Honduran food will be served at Sunrise Presbyterian Church, Roach and Republic. Lisa Armstrong will present the progress of the Fellow Man International Mission of Honduras in pictures and comments. Tickets are available in the churches' offices and after worship in the Parlor: \$20 for adults and \$5 for children 12 and under. An auction to gain financial commitments for the salaries of employees will be held. First United Methodist, First Presbyterian and Sunrise Presbyterian Churches are sponsors.



VOLUNTEER FOR MOPS!

Are you a mom? Do you remember those crazy days of raising young children? MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) is a Christian based organization dedicated to helping moms of young children connect with other moms in the same stage of life. We are looking for volunteers to help with childcare so these moms can be encouraged and uplifted at the MOPS meetings. We meet at Emmanuel Foursquare Church from 9-11 AM on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month from September to May. If you are interested in being a volunteer once a month, twice a month, or even once in a while, please contact Julie Chamberlin at 216-218-2281 or email her at schuesslerj@gmail.com. We will also have an informational meeting on Thursday, August 31st at 9 AM that you can come and find out more or ask specific questions.



COMING UP THIS WEEK AT FPC:

Did we make a mistake? We want to correct it!

Email office@fpcsalina.org and we'll fix it.

SUNDAY, August 6 – Pulpit Swap

Nursery Open – 9:45 am

Worship – Sanctuary, 10 am

Fellowship - Parlor, 11 am

THURSDAY, August 10

Coffee Group – Parlor Conference Room, 10 am

Children & Families/Youth & Young Adults –

Hope Room, 5 pm

MONDAY, August 7

Staff Meeting – Hope Room, 10:30 am

SUNDAY, August 13 – Bible Sunday

Blessing of the Backpacks

Nursery Open – 9:45 am

Worship – Sanctuary, 10 am

Fellowship - Parlor, 11 am

New Member Meeting – Hope Room, 11:15 am

All Church Picnic/FBI Registration – 5-7 pm,

Lakewood Park

TUESDAY, August 8

Summer Soul-stice – Chapel, 12 pm

WEDNESDAY, August 9

Stewardship Committee– Hope Room, 4 pm

Yoga – Youth Annex, 5 pm

ATTENTION B90 PARTICIPANTS!

For those taking part in the Bible in 90 Days Reading Program, Bibles and workbooks will be distributed at the all-Church picnic on Sunday, August 13th, from 5-7 p.m. at Lakewood Park. If you are unable to attend the picnic, the materials will be available at the church office beginning Monday, August 14th. Since Monday is also Day One of B90, be aware that any delay in picking up the materials will set you back in the daily reading. (B90 rules do not allow distribution of materials in advance, so that everyone starts at the same time.) Classes will begin on Monday, August 14th in the Conference Room. Class times are: Sundays 11 am, Sundays 5 pm (with childcare), Mondays 10 am, Tuesdays 12 pm, and Thursdays 5:30 pm. B90 participants are welcome to attend any of the classes. Check the August newsletter for more information and for discussion questions ahead of the first class.

READ B90



THANK YOU TO SALINA PRESBYTERIAN MANOR!!

We are grateful to Presbyterian Manor for their gracious hospitality last Sunday in hosting us for worship. Please take a moment to thank the staff and residents for their hospitality!

CANDLE LIGHTERS NEEDED!

Our summer candle lighter hiatus has come to an end, and it is now time to begin getting candle lighters scheduled. Historically, our candle lighters have been between the ages of 2nd-5th grade, however, if you know a child outside of this age range that is interested, and you feel confident with their ability to fill this role, please sign them up! For those children who are new to this role, or if your child needs a refresher, please contact Shelby Dickson and she will be happy to meet your child early on a Sunday morning to practice and/or learn the ropes. You can contact Shelby at shelby@fpcsalina.org or via phone at 785-404-7342.





BACK TO SCHOOL PICNIC

& FBI Registration

Sunday, August 13

ATTENTION FAMILIES AND CONGREGATION!

We need YOU to mark your calendars and invite your friends to join us on **Sunday, August 13 from 5-7 pm at Lakewood Park!** The Children & Families Committee is planning a great event that includes delicious food- hot dogs & hamburgers (yum!) We will also have water balloon activities, a bouncy house, and guaranteed laughter! During this picnic, we will also have our 2017-18 FBI & FBI-In-Training registration where parents can sign their 2 year old-PreK and K-5th graders up for the respective Christian education program. Please join us and invite your friends! If you are unable to attend, but would still like to register your child, please email Shelby Dickson at shelby@fpcsalina.org.

THANK YOU!



Sign Up for Sunday Chancel Flowers!

You are invited to sign up, using the form below, as a Sunday Chancel flower donor for any Sunday this year. Perhaps there is a particular date that is important to you to honor or memorialize someone. All donors (whether there is one or ten!) and those memorialized or honored will be listed in the bulletin on the date desired. The cost is \$20.00. *Please contact the office with any questions at office@fpcsalina.org or 785-825-0226.*

Please list date desired: _____

Please list EXACTLY the way you want your name(s) listed as donor:

Given in Memory of

OR

Given in Honor of

Return the form, with your payment of \$20.00, to
First Presbyterian Church
308 South 8th
Salina, KS 67402-0585





CIRCLES OF THE HEARTLAND NEEDS CIRCLE LEADERS

Circles of the Heartland is now taking Circle Leader applications. Circles meets every Thursday from 5:30-8 p.m. Dinner and childcare are FREE to participants and volunteers. If you are interested or know someone who is, please call Shelly Martin, Coordinator, or Rodney Denholm at 785-827-6731. Visit www.circlesoftheheartland.org for more information.

NEW MEMBER MEETING EVERY SECOND SUNDAY

On the 2nd Sunday of each month, there is a New Members Inquiry Meeting in the Hope Room following worship. Come join us if you would like more information about First Presbyterian Church and our ministries, or if you are ready to join our congregation as a member. You may also talk to Charlie any time.



FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

- FPC's Nursery, located on the second floor, is available for infants and children ages 5 and younger.
- FPC encourages children ages 6 and older to remain in worship. Worship bags for children of all ages are located in the lobby. When you are finished with the bag, please put it in the basket so that it can be replenished and straightened. Pew Art cards are also available in the pew racks.
- **FBI** (Faithful Bible Investigators) is our Christian Education program for children in grades K-5.
- **FBI-In-Training** is our Christian Education program for children age 2 through Pre-K.
- **HeBrews** is our Senior-High Youth Bible Study that meets every Thursday during the school year at 6:45 am at Moka's on Crawford. The name is derived from *Hebrews 10:25*.
- **CIA** (Christians In Action) is our Mid-High (6th-8th grades) Youth Group that meets Sunday mornings after worship. They study the Bible in a way that allows them to use energy and creativity to learn God's word.
- **SWAT** (Senior-high Worshipping All the Time) is our Senior-High (9th-12th grades) Youth Group that meets Sunday mornings after worship. This group focuses on mission and fellowship during this time.
- **Adult Education Class** meets every Sunday at 9 a.m. in the Hope Room.
- Extra hymnals, including large print, and Bibles are available in the back of the sanctuary.
- The sanctuary is equipped with a Hearing Loop. Please switch your hearing aid to t-coil to use. Please see your audiologist to activate your t-coil if you haven't done so yet. Headsets are also available. An usher will be happy to help if you need assistance.



CONGREGATIONAL CARE:

- Tan "Prayer Request" Cards are for prayer requests or concerns. These go to the Board of Deacons.
- Blue "We Care" Cards are for messages of care to persons of the congregation; these cards are mailed the next week. Cards are available in the back of the room. Please place the cards in the offering plate.
- Your "Prayer Concerns" can now be submitted online. Please visit www.fpcsalina.org/ministries/prayer-concerns and they will be forwarded to a pastor.

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SUNDAY STAFF

Lead Pastor/Head of Staff: *Rev. Dr. Charlie Smith*

Director of Music: *Richard Koshgarian*

Director of Youth Ministry: *Tricia Cobb*

Head Custodian: *Ed Zoch*

Nursery Coordinator: *Debb Homman*

Organist: *Angie Koshgarian*

Director of Children's CE: *Shelby Dickson*

Custodian: *Tony Griggs*

Nursery Caregivers: *Danielle Hix, Anita Thompson*

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