

## Announcements

**Congregational Meeting** - There will be a congregational meeting next Sunday, January 27 following worship in the Social Room.

**Adult Education** - Our adult education series will begin Sunday, February 3. The book "Half Truths" by Adam Hamilton will be the focus of this series. The 5-week study will search for the **whole truth** by comparing common Christian clichés with the wisdom found in scripture. The class meets in the Chapel following fellowship at approximately 11:20 a.m. Feel free to bring your coffee and donuts.

**We Care** - Did you know that when you buy We Care gift certificates, the church gets 2% back? First Presbyterian Church depends on the 2% profit to buy food for the Cornerstone Mission Meal we provide on the fourth Tuesday of every month. There is no cost to you for purchasing one of these gift certificates. Want \$100 to spend at Walmart? Simply buy a We Care gift certificate for \$100 for Walmart and you can use that the same as cash. Please buy We Care in the Social Room every Sunday after the service!

**Gifts of Stocks or Mutual Funds** - If you would like to gift stocks or mutual funds to First Presbyterian Church, please let the church office know when the transaction will happen and to which year(s) the donation should be applied. 605-343-6171

If you are visiting, we challenge you to "Hang 5" in the new year - worship with us for five Sundays as you consider making First Presbyterian your church home.

## This Week at First Presbyterian Church

Today:	Wired Word	9:00 a.m.
	Worship	10:00 a.m.
	Fellowship	11:00 a.m.
Monday:	Church Office Closed	
	Sew & Sews	9:30 a.m.
Tuesday:	Mission Meal	4:00 p.m.
Wednesday:	Sanctuary Bells	6:00 p.m.
	Praise Team	6:00 p.m.
	Chancel Choir	7:00 p.m.
Friday:	Church Office Closed	
Sunday:	Wired Word	9:00 a.m.
	Worship	10:00 a.m.
	Fellowship & Congregational Meeting	11:00 a.m.
	Youth Group	5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

### Upcoming Events

- ◇ Jan. 27 - Congregational Meeting
- ◇ Feb. 3 - Adult Education Series begins

### Prayer Requests

Audrey Hamm  
 Pauline Manus  
 Rick Featherstone  
 Scott Kirchmann & Family  
 Daryl & Ginny Reinicke for the loss of her dad, Ben Nepodal

### First Presbyterian Church Staff

Jeff Kintner	Pastor
Diane Janssen-Hemmen	Program Coordinator
Paul Robinson	Director of Worship Arts/Organist
Shelly Tupper	Office Coordinator/Accompanist
Melissa Bumbach	Connections Coordinator
Martha Robinson	Director of Youth Ministry
Paula Zavitz	Director of Children's Ministry

### Serving This Week

Lector - Dawn Bargmann  
 Acolyte - Youth  
 Greeter - Lyle & Cathie Brink  
 Ushers - Henry & Ethel Cordes,  
 Glee & Karen Mulder  
 Godly Play - Katie Wiedrich,  
 Jackie Moore & Carissa Kintner  
 AV - Ron Bischoff & Ivan Kundel  
 Tami Lindquist - Video  
 Coffee Servers - Kathy Berry &  
 Karen Mulder

### Serving Next Week

Lector - Youth  
 Acolyte - Youth  
 Greeter - Sandy Featherstone  
 Ushers - Don Grimm,  
 Gerald Rhodes,  
 Lyle & Cathie Brink  
 Godly Play - Paula Zavitz &  
 Ethan Young  
 AV - Lenny Young & Ron Bischoff  
 Tami Lindquist - Video  
 Coffee Servers - TBD

### First Presbyterian Church

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 www.fpcrc.org/donate



*Seeking Christ and serving others until all things are made new.*

January 20, 2019

Second Sunday after the Epiphany

## Celebration of Worship

Welcome and Announcements (Seated)

Melissa Bumbach

Prelude (Seated)

"Let There be Peace on Earth"

Sanctuary Bells; directed by Linda Rose

*The Acolytes carry in the flame and light the candles at the beginning of the service. Since ancient times, light and fire have reminded people that God is here with us, so this morning, the lighting of the candles represents the Holy Spirit coming into the presence of the worship community.*

Call to Worship (Standing)

Pastor Jeff Kintner

Leader: May the light of God's love push back the darkness.

People: **We come to the light from the four corners of the earth, from the north, from the south, from the east, and from the west.**

Leader: But we are all one in Jesus Christ.

People: **We come from many nations and many cultures.**

Leader: But we are all one in Jesus Christ.

People: **We come seeking the light that guides us to life.**

Leader: But we are all one in Jesus Christ.

People: **Let us lift up our many voices and praise the God of all people.**

Hymn #327 (Standing)

"From All That Dwell Below the Skies"

**Prayer of Confession** (Seated) Dawn Bargmann

Leader: The light has come into the world,  
but people loved darkness rather than light.  
Let us confess our sin to God.

Eternal Light,  
**People: shine in our hearts;**

Leader: Eternal Goodness,  
**People: deliver us from evil;**

Leader: Eternal Power,  
**People: be our support;**

Leader: Eternal Wisdom,  
**People: scatter the shadows of our ignorance;**

Leader: Eternal Compassion,  
**People: have mercy on us,  
that with heart and mind and soul and strength  
we may seek your face  
and be brought by your infinite mercy  
to the Holy Presence,  
through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.**

**Assurance of Pardon** (Seated) Dawn Bargmann

Leader: The true light that gives light to everyone  
was coming into the world.  
To all who have received him,  
to those who believe in his name,  
he gave the right to become children of God.  
You are forgiven and you belong to God.

**New Member Commitment** (Seated) Pastor Jeff Kintner

**Passing of the Peace** (Standing) Dawn Bargmann

Leader: God’s spirit leads us to the place of peace.  
Please take a moment to pass the peace of Christ  
as we greet each other this morning.

*The congregation offers one another signs of welcome, peace and reconciliation.*

**Congregational Response #447** (Standing)

“We Are Forgiven”

**Children’s Message** (Seated) Paula Zavitz

*Following the message, children are dismissed to Children’s Worship downstairs.*

**The First Lesson** (Seated) Dawn Bargmann

John 2:1-11

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

**Anthem** (Seated) “He Comes to Us as One Unknown” Arr. Michael Burkhardt

*Chancel Choir*

He comes to us as one unknown, a breath unseen, unheard;  
as though within a heart of stone, or shriveled seed in darkness sown,  
a pulse of being stirred, a pulse of being stirred.

He comes when souls in silence lie and thoughts of day depart;  
half-seen upon the inward eye, a falling star across the sky  
of night within the heart, of night within the heart.

He comes to us in sound of seas, the ocean's fume and foam;  
yet small and still upon the breeze, a wind that stirs the tops of trees,  
a voice to call us home, a voice to call us home.

He comes in love as once he came by flesh and blood and birth;  
to bear within our mortal frame a life, a death, a saving name  
for every child of earth, for every child of earth.

He comes in truth when faith is grown; believed, obeyed, adored:  
the Christ in all the Scriptures shown, as yet unseen, but not unknown,  
our Savior and our Lord, our Savior and our Lord.

*Text by Timothy Dudley-Smith*

**Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer** (Seated)

**All: 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.**

**Hymn #156** (Standing)

“Sing of God Made Manifest”

**The Second Lesson** (Seated)

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

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

**The Message** (Seated)

“The Gifted and Talented”

**Affirmation of Faith** (Standing)

**All: Out of Israel,  
God in due time raised up Jesus.  
His faith and obedience  
were the response of the perfect child of God.  
He was the fulfillment of God’s promise to Israel,  
the beginning of the new creation,  
and the pioneer of the new humanity.  
He gave history its meaning and direction  
and called the church to be his servant  
for the reconciliation of the world.**

*Confession of 1967, 9.19*

**Connection Cards** (Seated) Pastor Jeff Kintner

**Gathering of Tithes, Offerings and Connection Cards** (Seated)

**Offertory** (Seated)

**Doxology #606** (Standing)

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**Prayer of Dedication** (Standing)

**Hymn #733** (Standing)

“We All Are One in Mission”

**Charge and Benediction** (Standing) Pastor Jeff Kintner

Leader: Christ is the light of our souls:  
**People: We rejoice in this light, great source of truth.**  
Leader: Christ is the light of our homes:  
**People: We rejoice in this light, great source of peace.**  
Leader: Christ is the light of the world:  
**People: We rejoice in this light, great source of hope.**  
Leader: Go out as Christ’s true lights, dispersing the darkness of evil,  
for his grace, his power, his peace go with you. **Amen.**

**Postlude**

“LASST UNS ERFREUEN” Arr. Larry Shackley

*As the Acolytes carry the flame out of the sanctuary at the end of the service, we are reminded that  
God remains with us in all places at all times. We take God’s light with us as we leave the church,  
and it stays with us during the week ahead.*

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*When bulletins are waved during worship at FPC, it is a sign of appreciation for the music or other  
contribution to the service. It is an action which Pastor Jeff learned from New York Avenue Presbyteri-  
an Church in Washington, D.C. while on sabbatical during the summer of 2018 as an alternative to  
clapping. For the wavers, it is an expression of joy in the moment and our connections with sisters and  
brothers in faith.*