



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Shelbyville, Tennessee



Worship Liturgy for Sunday, August 30, 2020

Welcome and Announcements

Carol Magnuson

Children and Youth Announcements

Cindy Lamb

And now let us prepare our hearts for worship.

Prelude

Billie Crowell

Call to Worship:

Rev. Jeannie Hunter

Leader: The God of our ancestors calls us to worship.

People: Praise the Lord!

Leader:. Let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!

People: Let us worship God.

Prayer of Preparation

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

God of mercy, we confess that, like the disciples, we set our minds not on divine things but on human things. Doubting your loving care, we grab for more than we need.

Doubting your loving purposes, we shrink from living as your followers. Doubting your loving plan, we become stumbling blocks in your creation. Forgive us that we may gain new life in you.

Time for Silent Confession

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

***Gloria Patri** (instrumental)

Billie Crowell

***Passing of the Peace**

Leader: Peace be with you.

People: And also with you

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

A Time for Young Christians

Kate Canady

Children: May God be with you here.

People: May God be with you there.

Children's Church

Cindy Lamb

*Children's Church Curriculum is designed for all children through 5th grade.
However, all children are welcome to remain in Worship.*

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading: Exodus 3:1-15 Matthew 16:21-24

Sermon: “Becoming A Follower of Christ”

Rev. Jeannie Hunter

Music “Just a Closer Walk with Thee”

Billie Crowell

Affirmation of Faith:

The Apostle’s 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. He 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.

SEALING OF THE WORD

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

All: Our Father, who are 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.

Doxology (instrumental)

Billie Crowell

Prayer of Dedication

BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

***Charge and Blessing**

***Postlude**

Billie Crowell

ANNOUNCEMENTS for Sunday, August 30, 2020

We welcome back to our pulpit Rev. Jeannie Hunter



5¢ A MEAL Sunday, September 13th ~Bring your Banks



CONCERNS FOR PRAYER

Chanse & Catherine Bartlett and Unborn Son (Family of Aaron and Connie Crafton)

Mathew Corson (Nephew of Charlotte Williams)

Pat Edmiston (friend of Christy Jensen)

Cory Hartbarger (Member)

Margaret Jarrell (Member)

Carolyn Matusek (Member)

The Family of Phillip Murdock (Nephew of Trena Little)

Bob & Alice Durio

Dave Foutch (Son-in-law of Shirley Luscinski)

Chad Hunter (Cousin of Ginger Shofner)

Tommy Franks (Nephew of Helen Garner)

Mike May (Friend of FPC)

Gail Parsons (Member)

Those serving in our military: LT Andy Canady (Member); Airman Chase Blanton (Member)

Those serving abroad and at home.



GOOD SAMARITAN is open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 1pm-3:30pm

THE COMMUNITY SOUP KITCHEN is serving food on Tuesdays on 4:30-5:30pm in the parking lot of the old Sav-A-Lot building.



Our **LITTLE LIBRARY** is empty. If you have books you no longer need, please place them in the library in the parking lot of the church.



****PLEASE WEAR A MASK****

SERVING SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2020

Announcements **Carol Magnuson**

Greeters **Adrian Bomar and Melanie Hamilton**

Hall Monitor **Kristin Wilhelm**

A Time for Young Christians **Kate Canady**

Children's Church **Cindy Lamb**

Nursery **Mary Marsh**

SERVING SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2020

Announcements **Aaron Crafton**

Greeters **Bailey & Trena Little**

Hall Monitor **Richard Smith**

A Time for Young Christians **Kate Canady**

Children's Church **Cindy Lamb**

Nursery **Lisa Turner**

Note: Hall Monitors, please be sure all doors are locked.



GUEST MINISTER

Sunday, September 6, 2020 Rev. Kristi Moore

Sunday, September 13, 2020 Rev. Elizabeth Gilliam