



- **Those who are able are invited to stand.**

**PRELUDE**

*Sun of My Soul*

Benton Price

## **LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION**

**Moment of silence to prepare your hearts for worship**

### *LET US WORSHIP GOD TOGETHER*

- **CALL TO WORSHIP** ( John 1:1-5, 14)

Leader: In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

**People: He was with God in the beginning.**

Leader: Through Him all things were made; without Him nothing was made that has been made.

**People: In Him was life, and that life was the light of men.**

Leader: The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not understood it.

**People: The Word became flesh and made His dwelling among us. We have seen His glory, the glory of the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.**

- **INVOCATION**

Leader: Father, Son and Holy Spirit: One God, Almighty, bless us with Your presence. Fill us with Your Spirit and teach us Your truth. Bind the evil one from our hearts and minds! Make our worship glorious to You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

- **SONGS OF PRAISE** (9:00 a.m.) (hymnal, insert & screen)

#3 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty  
How Great is Our God*

### **CALL TO CONFESSION** (I John 4:7-16)

Leader: Dear friends, let us love one another, for love comes from God. Everyone who loves has been born of God and knows God. Whoever does not love does not know God, because God is love. This is how God showed His love among us: He sent His one and only Son into the world that we might live through Him. This is love: not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins. Dear friends, since God so loved us, we also ought to love one another. No one has ever seen God; but if we love one another, God lives in us and His love is made complete in us. We know that we live in Him and He in us, because He has given us of His Spirit. And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent His Son to be the Savior of the world. If anyone acknowledges that Jesus is the Son of God, God

lives in Him and He in God. And so we know and rely on the love God has for us.

Let us acknowledge our need for the saving love of Christ through the confession of our sins in silent prayer.

## **SILENT PRAYER**

### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Unison: Gracious God, we confess that we do not understand Your ways. We have failed to obey Your commands and live righteous lives. Forgive us and wrap Your loving arms around us. We place our trust in Jesus our Savior and acknowledge that He is our Lord. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen**

### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON** (John 3:34-36)

Leader: For the One whom God has sent speaks the words of God, for God gives the Spirit without limit. The Father loves the Son and has placed everything in His hands. Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life, but whoever rejects the Son will not see life, for God's wrath remains on him."

Sisters and brothers I declare to you that you are forgiven!

### **• AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Nicene Creed*

**Unison: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

- **GLORIA PATRI**

**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.**

**MORNING PRAYERS**

Pastoral Prayer  
Prayers for the People  
The Lord's Prayer

**CHILDREN'S SERMON**

**OFFERING OUR GIFTS**

The Call

Offertory

*It is Well With My Soul*

Franklin Ritter

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

and Blessing (Remain standing and join hands)

# 426 *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* (vs. 1)

*Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love;  
The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above.*

***LET US LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD***

**SCRIPTURE READING** Matthew 28:16-20

NT pg. 1550

**SPECIAL MUSIC** *The Battle Hymn of the Republic*

arr. Marilyn Ham

Marsha Bristley

**SCRIPTURE READING** Luke 10:21-24

NT pg. 1612

(There is no Children's Church today)

**SERMON** "The Trinity"

Rev. Dr. Richard A. King

***LET US LIVE IN THE POWER OF GOD'S SPIRIT***

- **HYMN OF DEDICATION** (hymnal & screen)

#8

*Come, Thou Almighty King*

- **CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

- **ORGAN RESPONSE**

- **POSTLUDE**

## Announcements - May 30, 2010

Stewardship is helping an elderly neighbor or church member clean-up their yard or plant their garden.

---Steve Strand, Stewardship Chairman

I am currently seeking **people willing to provide music** during the summer worship season. If you would be willing to provide music—vocal, instrumental, or liturgical dance— please contact me. We would love to have you share your talent with us. Because summer schedules are so crazy I am setting up dates right now so that we can work around everyone's vacations, etc. I would love to hear from you!

--- Valerie King

The **PWC "Thrift, Bake & Plant Sale"** will be held in the Gathering Place **Friday & Saturday, June 11-12**. On Friday, the sale will go from 8 a.m. till 7 p.m. and Saturday, it will go from 8 a.m. till 2 p.m.

If you have good, clean items to bring for the thrift sale, please bring them in boxes that can be stacked in the Gathering Place. "We will also be selling plants to help raise funds for the new landscaping on the east & north sides of our church."

Watch for sign-up sheets to help organize and price the sale items and for volunteers to work the sale.

Join the fun this summer at the **Presbyterian Camp on Okoboji!** Lots of our youth are going to camp the week of June 27 – July 3, but there are many other camps available throughout the summer. If you haven't already, go to [www.presbycamp.org](http://www.presbycamp.org) to get signed up. The CE Committee has scholarship funds available for campers.

Those who would like to apply for scholarships must write a letter to the CE Committee explaining why they want to go to camp. Please turn this letter in to Doug Bacon, Pastor Rich or any CE member as soon as possible.

Pray for **other Minister members of North Central Iowa**, Rev. Susan Cluts, Rev. Robert EnTin, Rev. Joseph Genau, Rev. Mary Wilbur, Rev. Paul Uzel, Rev. Jenni Walker-Noyes.

*The whole world lives in Your love, holy God, and we are Your people. Send us out in faith to tell Your story and to demonstrate Your truth to every race and nation, so that, won by Your powerful Word, the world may join together giving You praise, and living to serve You in Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.*

**Altar Flowers:** were given by **Harlan & Marcia Quick** in celebration of their 35<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on May 31.

**Worship Leader** today: 9:00 a.m.: Karen Schoell

**Next Sunday** 9:00 a.m.: Tasia King

**Greeters** today: 9:00 a.m.: Joe & Shala Ludley

**Next Sunday** 9:00 a.m.: Dick & Barb McBride

**Deacons** today: Wynona Anderson/Marylou Beckmann

**Next Sunday:** Robert & Georgia Smith

**Fellowship Hosts** today: Jean Evans & Betty Jacobs

**Next Sunday:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Nursery** today: Yasuyo Smith

**Next Sunday:** Jan Faber

**Cup Washers** today: Norm & Shirley Egli

**Next Sunday:** Susan Hibbs

**Donuts:** today: Mike & Brenda Miller

**Next Sunday:** Dick & Barb McBride

**Sound System:** 10:30 a.m.: Steve Anderson

If you need a ride to worship or church activities, contact any Deacon. The list is on the back of the bulletin.

## New Joys and Concerns

- **Richard Lange**, had back surgery at Rochester 5-28-2010
- **Stephen Jensen**, deployed to Afghanistan

## Continuing Joys and Concerns

- **Paul Flanagan**, gall bladder problems and back pain
- **Wilbur McWilliams**, **Hazel Nason's** oldest brother, suffering from gall bladder problems.
- **Martin Gray**, under Hospice care
- **Nathalie Lynch**, will go to a pain clinic for arm & hand pain from damaged nerves
- **Staci Josten**, daughter-in-law of **Marvin & Diane Josten**, suffering from Spontaneous Intracranial Hypertension (SIH); headaches getting a little better
- **Doris Flanagan**, recuperating from neck surgery to remove a bone pushing on her spinal cord 4-6-2010
- **Earl Brennecke**, recuperating from a broken hip at Villa Del Sol, Room 415
- **Rev. Rick Vesley** of Traer, advance stages of ALS
- **Sharon Vogt**, health concerns caused by a brain tumor
- **Hazel Nason**, suffering from COPD

Please pray for everyone on our list! Thank you for keeping us informed about joys and concerns. Remember, hospitalized members and friends don't always get on the list at the hospital. We'd rather get several calls than none!

Phone the church at 753-5929

or e-mail [presmtwn@mchsi.com](mailto:presmtwn@mchsi.com)

Please let us know if you'd like the **prayer chain** activated.

### The Purpose Statement for

### First Presbyterian Church of Marshalltown

G Growing in Christ through *worship*.

R Reaching out in *fellowship*

A Affirming faith through *discipleship*

C Caring for the lost through *evangelism*.

E Embracing others in mission and *ministry*.

*Members in mission, making a difference*

Pastor	Rev. Dr. Richard A. King
Associate Pastor	Rev. Dave Beckmann
Youth Director	Jon Rottink
Choir Director	Valerie King
Organist	Wynona Anderson
Assistant Organist	Marla Grossman
Pianist	Cindy Butler
Office Manager	Nancy Diggins
Custodian	Yawo Sassouvi
Assistant Custodian	Jan Faber
Nursery Director	Heather Rottink

**Elders**

Doug Bacon	Dr. Dean Baker
Cindy Butler	Terry Buzbee
Rollie Freel	Bonnie Grimmus
Michele Hala	Orlyn Langenbau
Darrell Meyer	Bill Moore
Carole Permar	Chad Pietig
Lyn Rakowicz	Roger Schoell
Steve Strand	

**Deacons**

Joyce Anderegg	Donita & Roger Anders
Wynona Anderson	Marylou Beckmann
Ruth Hayes	Craig & Tedra Henze
Diane & Marvin Josten	Bert Permar
Gerald Schaudt	Georgia & Robert Smith
Meg Sponseller	Carter Strand
Dorothy Wilson	

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