

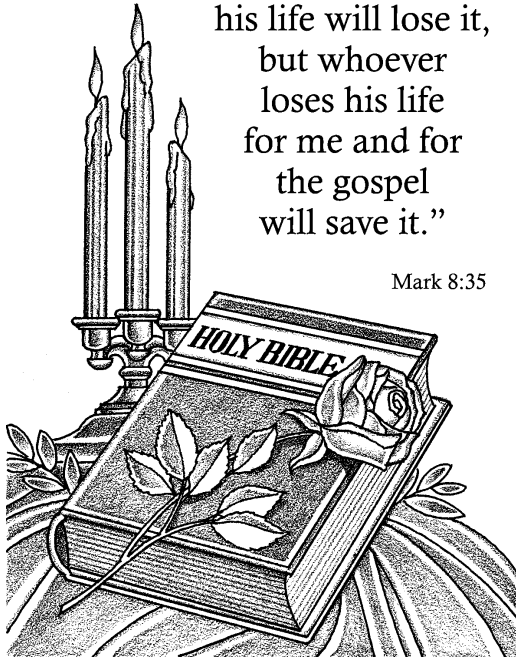
First Presbyterian Church



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“For whoever
wants to save
his life will lose it,
but whoever
loses his life
for me and for
the gospel
will save it.”

Mark 8:35



God offers each of us acceptance and love, Let us pass that love to others. In Christ's Name, welcome.

Large print bulletins are available and **children's bulletins** are available on the table in the Narthex

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

PRELUDE *He'll Understand and Say, "Well Done"* James Denton

LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION

Moment of silence to prepare your hearts for worship

LET US WORSHIP GOD TOGETHER

- **CALL TO WORSHIP** (Ephesians 1:3-8)

Leader: Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ

People: For He chose us in Him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in His sight.

Leader: In love He predestined us to be adopted as His sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with His pleasure and will--

People: to the praise of His glorious grace, which He has freely given us in the One He loves.

Leader: In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace

People: that He lavished on us with all wisdom and understanding.

- **INVOCATION**

Leader: Almighty God, You have called us in grace and made us Your own. Bind our hearts to Yours and draw our lives closer to You. Make our worship pleasing to You. Drive all evil from our lives and protect us with Your mighty hand. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

- **SONGS OF PRAISE** (hymnal, insert & screen)

#542 *My Life is In You, Lord*
In Christ Alone

CALL TO CONFESSION (Romans 6:1-4)

Leader: What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning so that grace may increase? By no means! We died to sin; how can we live in it any longer? Or don't you know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? We were therefore buried with Him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

Let us confess our sins in silent prayer.

SILENT PRAYER

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we long for the grace that makes us Yours. Yet in our humanness we reapply rules and laws to make Salvation something we can control. Forgive us for twisting Your Gospel and subverting the free gift You give by grace through faith in Jesus Christ. Help us to rest in Your grace. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON (Romans 6:15-16, 20-23)

Leader: What then? Shall we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! Don't you know that when you offer yourselves to someone to obey him as slaves, you are slaves to the one whom you obey--whether you are slaves to sin, which leads to death, or to obedience, which leads to righteousness? When you were slaves to sin, you were free from the control of righteousness. What benefit did you reap at that time from the things you are now ashamed of? Those things result in death! But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves to God, the benefit you reap leads to holiness, and the result is eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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

• **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Apostles' Creed*

Unison: 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.

• **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 *Kum Bah Yah "Lord, Come By Here"* Roger C. Wilson

• 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.*

SCRIPTURE READING Philippians 3:4-7

pg. 1828

SPECIAL MUSIC *In This Very Room*

Heart of Iowa Sweet Adeline Chorus

This musical arrangement was commissioned for Judy Zeisneiss, a charter member of the Heart of Iowa Sweet Adeline Chorus who remained a member for 40 years. She was also a long time member of First Presbyterian Church. The chorus sings "In This Very Room" today in honor and memory of our irreplaceable friend.

SCRIPTURE READING Galatians 1:6-10

pg. 1809

SERMON "Gospel Twisting"

Rev. Dr. Richard A. King

LET US LIVE IN THE POWER OF GOD'S SPIRIT

- **HYMN OF DEDICATION** (hymnal & screen)
#338 *Wonderful Grace of Jesus*
- **CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**
- **ORGAN RESPONSE**
- **POSTLUDE**

Announcements - June 27, 2010



The Emergency Food Box needs your help now more than ever. Please bring food offerings or cash donations on Communion Sunday, July 4.

Your offerings of food (please note the dates on the canned items) and/or **cash donations** are very much appreciated.

Currently, the items that we need the most **macaroni and cheese, peas, pork and beans, carrots, stewed tomatoes and corn.**

Make checks payable to: **Emergency Food Box.** Money may also be placed in your offering plate or mail to: **EFB, P.O. Box 391, Marshalltown, Iowa 50158.**

We have **15 of our youth** planning to go to **camp at Okoboji**; what a blessing! This is by far more campers than in recent years and we are in need of more scholarship money. If anyone is interested in helping these youngsters out financially, please contact Pastor Rich or Doug Bacon to make a donation.

The **Lakeview Lodge at the Presbyterian Camp on Okoboji** is now completed. The camp is on its way to becoming a 24 hour-a-day, 365 days-a-year resource for churches, the community and the Midwest. There have been additional costs in the construction, staffing and maintenance of the new Retreat Center so there is a need for additional monetary support. If you would like to help support the camp, pick up a giving slip located on the information table in the Narthex. Any donation will be greatly appreciated.

Spring Cleaning? Please consider donating your unwanted items to the **2nd Annual Batten's Disease Garage Sale** which will be held from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. at 1302 W. Main Street, Marshalltown, July 8, 2010. Call Mandy Abernathy at 641-752-1738 for drop-of or to have them pick up your items (www.noahshope.com).

The U.S. Department of Veteran's Affairs says, "You've earned it!"--**Free Burial for veterans and spouse** for any honorably discharged veteran in any National Cemetery. Iowa now has a National Cemetery at Van Meter, Iowa. Contact Mary Mauk for details at 641-753-5511.

Pray for **Amity Presbyterian Church, Reinbeck, Iowa**, Diane Martin, Commissioned Lay Pastor; & **First Presbyterian Church, Ackley, Iowa**, Rev. Lynne Hanna, Pastor.

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 **Pat & Mary Hemming** in celebration of their 35th anniversary on June 28, and the 2nd wedding anniversary of their daughter and son-in-law, Sarah & Joe.

Worship Leader today: 9:00 a.m.: Diane Oleson

Next Sunday 9:00 a.m.: Angie Pietig

Greeters today: 9:00 a.m.: Brent & Wendy Thiessen

Next Sunday 9:00 a.m.: _____

Deacons today: Carter Strand

Next Sunday: Bert Permar & Gerald Schaudt

Fellowship Hosts today: Denny & Jean Abbas

Next Sunday: Bert & Carole Permar

Nursery today: Carolyn Bell

Next Sunday: _____

Cup Washers today: Ron & Linda Kauffman

Next Sunday: Yawo Sassouvi

Donuts: today: Lee Duff

Next Sunday: Doug & Jinita Boyd

Sound System: 10:30 a.m.: Doug Boyd

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

- **Estelle Perkins**, fracture in her shoulder
- **Leona King**, health problems
- **Sharon Vogt**, at MMSC in Room 237 suffering from dehydration
- **Daryle Willmott, Sue Turbiville's** mother, at Mercy Hospital recuperating from double bypass surgery

Continuing Joys and Concerns

- **Stan VanWyk**, recuperating from hip replacement 6-15-2010
- **Stephen Jensen**, deployed to Afghanistan
- **Earl Brennecke**, at Villa Del Sol recuperating from pneumonia
- **Rev. Rick Vesley** of Traer, advance stages of ALS
- **Martin Gray**, under Hospice care
- **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

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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