

First Presbyterian Church - Lake Park, Iowa

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Worship Service 10:30 am

Nov. 20, 2022 - 24th Sunday after Pentecost

Musical Prelude - Time to prepare your heart for Worship

Announcements

Call to Worship Psalm 98: 1-9 (pages 935-936) (*read responsively*)

Hymn of Praise "Let All Things Now Living" #794 (*stand if able*)

Call to Confession (*read responsively; remain standing if able*)

ALL: For the sin of thanklessness, we ask your pardon.

L: We have received our gifts with joy.

C: But we have forgotten the giver.

L: We have taken credit for our successes

C: But have failed to acknowledge the role of others.

L: We have cried out to you in time of need

C: But have neglected you in times of prosperity.

L: We have courted the favor of others

C: Then, having received, we have turned away.

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ALL: Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 145: 8-21 (page 979-980) (*read responsively*)

Gloria Patri #812

"Special Music"

Reading of Scriptures

Old Testament Reading: 1 Samuel 2:1-10 (pages 420-421)

Hymn "Count Your Blessings" #786 (*remain seated*)

Reading of Scriptures

New Testament Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:18 (page 1841)

Sermon Message: "Growing in Thankfulness"

Affirmation of Faith #388 "By His Spirit" (*Unison*)

Offertory:

Doxology #815

Prayer for Tithes and Offering

Prayers: Sharing of Joys and Concerns; Lord's Prayer

Prayers of Thanksgiving #177 "God's Goodness" (*read responsively*)

Benediction

Closing Hymn: #788 "Now Thank We All Our God" (*stand if able*)

MINISTRY LEADERS

Worship Music: Denise Lev **Worship Leader:** Jean Volkers

+ All members are ministers of Jesus Christ +

11/14/22 - Attendance: 19

Regular Offering: \$803 Turkey Dinner (Total): \$400

Deacon Fund: \$50

***Reminder: Per Capita for 2022 - \$43.00; Per Capita 2022 pd: 23**



From our Presbytery: Pray for the Pastors Who Serve
as Members at Large – Reverend Donna Gray

If you have Pastoral Needs, please call the
Church Office 712-832-3401 during

Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 8:00 – 11:00 am

For urgent matters outside of office hours you can contact
Church Secretary Marcy Troendle (712) 320-3508 – mobile



DATES TO REMEMBER:

- **Wed Nov. 23:**
THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP SERVICE 6:30 PM
Community Service held at First Presbyterian Church Lake Park – Worship Leader Reverend Sedar Shako
- **Thurs Nov. 24:**
HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!! Church office closed
Thanks be to God from whom all Blessings flow!
- **Fri Nov. 25:**
Church office closed
- **Sun Nov. 27: First Sunday of Advent**
SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30 am
Worship Leader – Al Grigg

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Newsletter Deadline – Newsletter items are due to the church office Tues Nov. 22nd by 10 AM so the December newsletter can be printed before the Thanksgiving office closure to assure distribution at services on Sun Nov. 27th

Prayer Chain - If you are not currently on the Prayer Chain and would like to be included please contact Marcia Schumacher (712) 832-3166

Walkers Welcome – The church is available for walking weekly Tuesday thru Friday from 8:00 – 10:00 AM. The Fireside room can be used for breaks, cool down, or fellowship after you walk. Any weather-related schedule changes will be relayed by way of a call chain

Annual Turkey Dinner – Donations are still being accepted in lieu of this annual fundraising event for our church. Further details are included in the monthly newsletter or call the office for more info

Poinsettias – There will be a sign-up sheet in the Narthex starting Sunday Nov. 27th and further details in next week's church bulletin

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Selections from Handel's Messiah Dec. 4 at 7 p.m. Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Spencer

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For more information visit their page on Facebook: SPENCER MESSIAH



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