

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JANUARY 6, 2019

COMMUNION SUNDAY

As you arrive for worship, greet each other with a smile and soft words, but please remember there are those who cherish a time of quiet to prepare for worship.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RINGING OF THE BELL

PRELUDE/MOMENT OF QUIET REFLECTION Cheryl Mayhew, organist
"Sing a New Song" Edward Broughton
Acolyte: Chloe & Aiden Snyder

† CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive) Lay Leader: Brooke Lederman
Ps. 148:1, 7, 12

L: Praise the Lord! Praise God in the heavens.

P: Praise the Lord from the earth!

L: Young and old alike,

P: Men and women together.

All: Praise the Lord!

† OPENING HYMN "All Glory, Laud and Honor" #300

† CALL TO CONFESSION (leader)

Because we have passed through the waters of baptism, we dare to bare our souls before God and reveal the bitterness that dwells in our hearts. Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.

† PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

God of wonder, you surround us with signs of your glory and surprise us with your presence, yet we often miss the marvels you place before us. Forgive our dullness and make us alert to the ways you make yourself known, that we might be witnesses to your good news and proclaim your extravagant love.

† MOMENT OF SILENT CONFESSION (leader)

Let us continue in a moment of silent confession.....Amen.

† DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS (responsive)

From Titus 3:5

L: In Jesus Christ God saved us, not because of any good works that we have done, but according to God's mercy, through the water of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit. People of God, rejoice!

P: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

† 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.

SPECIAL MUSIC "Mighty Lord, and King all-glorious"

From Christmas Oratorio by JS Bach
Warren Fremling, Baritone

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING (leader)

From Col. 2:16-17

With grateful hearts, let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God, in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

OFFERING

Offertory "When You Pray" Arr. By Fred Bock
Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.
† Prayer of Dedication

HYMN OF PREPARATION "Just a Closer Walk with Thee" #564

MESSAGE "Dress for Success" Bob Moore
Colossians 3:12-17

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

- Apostle's Creed (hymnal-inside cover)
-Prayer of Thanksgiving
-Serving of the Elements
-The Lord's Prayer
-Servers: Brad Hedrick, Fred Powell, Jim Story, Claudia MacRae

† CLOSING HYMN "Lord, Speak to Me" #667

† BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Prelude in Classic Style" Gordon Young

†Please stand if you are able.

Join us in Fellowship Hall following the service for coffee and refreshments.

\* (Please sign and date the red pad and pass it to your neighbor. Be sure to silence your cell phones.)

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

- Pastor Eric, recuperating from surgery.
Mary Castor, recuperating at home.
Jan McConnell, recuperating at home after a bad fall.
Bob Wesley, recuperating from knee replacement surgery.
Bill Linville, having tests for medical issues.
Family of Pastor Bradley Franklin, nephew of Denis & Judith Drysdale, Pastor of St. Giles Mission in London, England. Bradley's wife Megan is unconscious and has lost all brain activity. She was pregnant and 6 weeks from delivery of their 7th child. The child was delivered by c-section on December 30th. Please pray for the Franklin family, who are likely to lose wife and mother Megan.



SCRIPTURE & MESSAGE NOTES

Colossians 3: 12-17 NRSV

"As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymn, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him."

### FPC NOVEMBER INCOME/EXPENSE REPORT

Income: \$245,798.60  
Expense: \$250,682.93  
Diff: \$ (4,884.33)

### WINTER/EARLY SPRING COMMUNICATION UPDATE

Be sure to pick up a copy of the Winter/Early Spring Communication Update that will be available the next couple of Sundays. There are lots of activities to add to your personal calendar from January through April. You may also view it here: <https://www.fpc-noblesville.org/communication-updates/> We hope you will participate as often as possible!

### CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE:

As of December 30th we've raised **\$144,985.76!** We now have \$22,565.44, in the reserve account to start saving for the additional repairs needed to the tower. **The estimated cost of tuck pointing the tower is \$50,000 so we have \$27,434.56 to raise. We're getting there!** We can do this with God's grace and our faithful giving. Thank you!

### GIVING ENVELOPES

The 2019 giving envelopes are now available on the table in Fellowship Hall. No numbers have been assigned so just grab one.

### CHRIST IN THE ARTS

Mark your calendar for the third annual **Pipe Organ Concert Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 4pm.** Featured organists will be our own Nancy Wright along with Marko Petricic and the FPC chancel choir!

The Christ in the Arts Committee could use your help. If you are willing to bring cookies or a dessert for the reception, please sign up on Serve FPC. Also, we are looking for items to auction for our silent auction. If you have items that you are willing to donate, please contact Anne Kenley or Sue Jourdan. Thank you for your help with this event open to our community!

### BINGO NIGHT & CHILI COOK-OFF—January 19 at 6:00 PM

Cabin fever setting in? Break free from the winter chains that bind you and join us for some good old fashioned family fun! It's a Bingo Night and Chili Cook-off!! Join us January 19 at 6:00 PM in Fellowship Hall. \$5 at the door includes chili, sides, fixins, and a drink. Desserts will be offered for \$2. Think your chili has what it takes to win the coveted Golden Spoon? Bring it on! Bring your best chili and let the gang decide—each vote is \$1. After warming your tums with chili, stick around for Bingo and prizes!! Bingo cards are \$1 each. All proceeds go toward the 2019 mission trip. Did you know 25 people from FPC are traveling to Pine Ridge, South Dakota in July? The Lord has big plans for them. Thank you for your continued prayers for our team as we prepare and for the people of Pine Ridge.

### CHAIRS FOR SALE—SUPPORT THE SUMMER MISSION TRIP!

Ever wish you had additional chairs when you have a gathering at your house? We have over 100 tan metal chairs for sale for \$5 each. These are the metal ones that used to be in fellowship hall. Buy one or buy a dozen! All proceeds from the sale benefit the summer mission trip. See Anne Kenley or Kregg Swanson. They are available beginning Sunday. We have youth that can help you load them right into your vehicle. Thank you for your support!

### JANUARY 6 THROUGH JANUARY 13, 2019

<b>Today</b>	9:00 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:00 am	Worship
	11:15 am	Fellowship Hour
	6:30 pm	Bill Jourdan Bible Study
<b>Monday</b>	3:00 pm	Layman Small Group
	7:00 pm	Moore Small Group
<b>Tuesday</b>		
<b>Wednesday</b>	8:30 am	Men's GBR
	8:45 am	Women's GBR
	7:00 pm	Presbyterian Women
	7:00 pm	Adams Small Group
<b>Thursday</b>	8:00 am	Rotary
	6:00 pm	Choir Small Group
	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Wuerch Small Group
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### JANUARY 6, 2019

Zach Szabo  
Rick Mayhew  
1/13 Nathan Roe

### HEAD USHER: JANUARY SOUND SYSTEM:

### NURSERY:

1/13 Karen

### RAINBOWS:

Lauren/Journey

### SHOOTING STARS:

1/13 Deb/Sharon

### JR HIGH:

Casey/Journey

1/13 Anita/Charlie

### SR HIGH:

No Sunday School

1/13 Kelly/Brian

### LAY LEADER:

No Sunday School

1/13 Zach/Bob

Brooke Lederman

### ACOLYTES:

1/13 Greg Borcharding

Chloe & Aiden Snyder

### FELLOWSHIP HOUR:

1/13

David & Karen McCord

1/13



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Eric R. Gale, Pastor

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### ELDERS

Greg Borcharding  
Nathan Roe  
Trish Moore  
Lee Ann Stein  
Larry Grabb  
Sue Jourdan  
Karen McCord  
  
Peggy Deakyne  
Eric R. Gale

Finance  
Properties  
Christian Education  
Evangelism  
Worship  
Mission  
Clerk  
Planning  
Personnel/Nom.  
Moderator

### DEACONS

Brian Wuerch, Moderator  
Susan Clark  
Jeanine Loomis  
Claudia MacRae  
Amanda Gore  
Jan McConnell  
Kelly McConnell  
Bill Jourdan  
Kristin Roe  
Deb Wilson  
Erin Wilson, youth  
Jana Zeiler

