

Welcome to Faith Presbyterian Church

September 22, 2019

10:30 a.m.

Pastor Bruce Sexton

Pianist: Janet Sexton

Choir Director: Chris Bithell

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

*Opening Hymn He Has Made Me Glad #214

*Call to Worship

Leader: I was glad when they said to me,

People: Let us go into the house of the Lord!

Leader: How very good and pleasant it is,

People: When the kindred live together in unity!

Leader: Praise the Lord, you who stand in the house of the Lord,

People: Praise the Lord, for the Lord is good.

Leader: O, give thanks to the Lord,

People: For His steadfast love endures forever.

*Hymn I Surrender All #596
(verses 1, 3 & 4)

Prayer of Confession

Holy Creator and Judge of all, you made us to enjoy open fellowship, both with yourself and with one another. As the Son and the Father are One, also we are created to live together in perfect unity. Yet we have rebelled against your authority, and have turned against one another. In mercy, forgive us, and spare us our due judgment. Fill us anew with your Spirit, that we would richly manifest your rule of righteousness, peace, and joy; so enable us to walk rightly before you, in loving unity with one another, fulfilling your good and holy purpose for us. Hear us as we continue our confession in silence...

Assurance of Pardon

*The Gloria Patri

*Passing of the Peace

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Children's Message

*Hymn Lord Speak to Me #667
(verses 1, 2 & 4)

Scripture Acts 9: 19-31
Galatians 1:18 – 2:10

Series: Journey with Paul

Sermon Starting the Race on the Right Foot

*Hymn Freely, Freely #436

Silent Prayer/Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art 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.

Sung Prayer of Response

Hear our prayer, O Lord; Hear our prayer, O Lord;

Incline Thine ear to us, and grant us Thy peace.

The Sharing of Tithes and Offerings

*Hymn Now I Belong to Jesus #501

Benediction

Postlude

Announcements:

Wednesday Choir @ 5:00 pm
FaithBuilders @ 6:30 pm
Thursday Back Packs at Agape House @ 8:15 am
Sunday Sunday School @ 9:30 am

The Deacon's Agape House focus for September is 3-6 oz. applesauce. October will be macaroni & cheese boxes.

FaithBuilders meets Wednesday @ 6:30 PM. After a soup & bread dinner, we have a Bible study focusing on the upcoming sermon passages.

Pastor Bruce will have Tuesday office hours at The Union Club from 8:30 to 11:30 this week.

The Presbytery International Peacemaker will be with us on Thursday, October 3rd. A pot-luck dinner will begin at 5:30 with the presentation immediately following.

The deacons will be having a class on prayer ministry. If you are interested in learning about prayer, you are invited to join the class. The prayer class will meet on October 6th, & 20th & 27th starting at 12:00 noon. If you have any questions, please talk with Vicki Horneck.

Session Highlights:

- Set November 17th as Stewardship Sunday.
- Asked Building & Grounds to look into options for Sign.
- Accepted gift of hand chimes donated anonymously.
- Reviewed and revised committee job descriptions.
- Complete minutes are posted in the church office.



*How very good
and pleasant it is
when kindred live
together in unity!*

Psalm 133:1

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