

First Presbyterian Church

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest, to all who mourn and long for comfort,
to all who struggle and desire victory, to all who sin and need a Savior,
to all who are strangers and want fellowship,
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness,
and to all who will come, this church opens wide her doors
and offers welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

The Lord's Day SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2018

Prelude Celtic Ensemble
"I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" by Michael Card

Preparing Our Hearts and Minds for Worship Judy Glass and Sigrid Luther
*Adult Choir
"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" arr. by Mark Hayes

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside. Bear me through the swelling current; land me safe on Canaan's side. Songs of praises, songs of praises I will ever give to Thee, I will ever give to Thee.

†Sung Call to Worship bulletin (solo-vv. 1,2 congregation vv. 3,4)
"Children of the Living God"

†Prayer of Adoration Mark Casson

†Hymns No. 599 (vv. 1-4)
"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"
bulletin (vv. 1,2)
"I Will Glory in My Redeemer"

Affirmation of Faith (*To be read responsively*) Mark Casson
New City Catechism Q&A #23
Leader: Why must the Redeemer be truly God?
People: **That because of His divine nature, His obedience and suffering would be perfect and effective; and also that He would be able to bear the righteous anger of God against sin and yet overcome death.**
All: **God raised Him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for Him to be held by it. – Acts 2:24**

Confession of Sin (*To be read in unison*) Mark Casson
Lord God, hear our prayer of confession: we come together on this Lord's Day and confess to You as the body of Christ that we have sinned against You in our thoughts, our words, and our actions. We confess that we are much like Israel in Hosea's day; we have become puffed up with pride, captivated by prosperity, and often see You as a good luck charm. We confess our hearts have fallen in love with a life of ease, comfort, and happiness. We have given our affections to the false gods of this world and become numb to the poor and needy.
Forgive us, Lord, for You are our Covenant God. Awaken our souls to Your faithfulness and steadfast love. We long to See You more clearly, Savor You more deeply, and Share You more freely. Hear now our silent prayers of confession....

Private Confession of Sin

Prayer of Assurance & for God's People Mark Casson
Offertory Mark McCommon
"I Am" arr. by Michael W. Smith
*Adult Choir
"Our God Is God" by Paul Williams and Joseph Martin

Who holds the wind in His hands? Have you not heard? Do you not know? Morning breaks at His command. Have you not heard? Do you not know? Who formed the stars? Called them by name? Who calms the storm? Sends gentle rain? Who hung the sun and moon in space? Before all time began, Who knew creation's plan? Who gave the breath of life to man and gave the song its start? Who whispers to the heart? Who is the One Who made the solemn night? Who knows the dwelling place of light? Not a god of clay. Not a silent stone. Not a graven image made of gold. Have you not heard? Do you not know? Our God is God! We are the works of His hands. God is Creator. Angels serve at His command. All creation bows before Him and we must do the same, for God alone is worthy, worthy of our praise. Our God is worthy. He is worthy. Our God is God!

†Greeting of Peace & Dismissal of Children
Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.
All: And also with you.
**Children's church for 4 years old through 1st grade is available at this time in the PreK-K room. Leaders will meet children at the left front doors of the Sanctuary.*

†Doxology No. 733

†Scripture Reading Rev. Robert Row
Hosea 1-2:1 (pg. 751 in pew Bible)

Sermon Rev. Robert Row
"God's Love Song: Hope for a Troubled Marriage"

†Closing Hymn bulletin (vs. 3)
"I Will Glory in My Redeemer"

†The Benediction Rev. Robert Row

Postlude Judy Glass
"Pavane V: La Bataille" by Tielman Susato

†The Congregation will please stand.

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in honor of our parents by DeWayne and Marilyn McCamish and family. (Flowers will be arranged and delivered today following the late worship service by the Adult Choir.)

Announcements are available at the entrances or www.FPCChatt.com.

Outline of the book of Hosea:

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| 1:1 | Title |
| 1:2 – 3:5 | Symbolic Experiences of Judgment and Salvation |
| 4:1 – 9:9 | Prophecy of Coming Judgment |
| 9:10 – 14:8 | God's Past Judgment and Salvation |
| 14:9 | Wake Up God's People and Consider This Warning |

Children Of The Living God

Words and Music by
Fernando Ortega

♩=80 **VERSE 1 & 2**
D²(no3)

1. Chil - dren _ of the liv - ing _ God, come and sing, sing out loud!
2. Sing of the won - ders He has _ made, bird in flight, fall - ing rain.

3. Chil - dren _ of the liv - ing _ God, sing to the liv - ing _ God!
Sing of the won - ders He has _ made, sing to the liv - ing _

CHORUS
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God. How He _ loves us with great love, He who _ sits en - throned a - bove.

10. For our _ lives He spilled His _ blood, sent His Spir - it _ like a flood.

13. Chil - dren _ of the liv - ing _ God, sing to the liv - ing _ God!

17. Chil - dren _ of the liv - ing _ God, sing to the liv - ing _ God!

3. Sing of His gen - tle, heal - ing _ hands, how they found the low - liest man.
4. Sing of the mer - cy that He _ gives, though we sin, _ He for - gives.

19. Sing of His gen - tle, heal - ing _ hands, sing to the liv - ing _
Sing of the mer - cy that He _ gives, sing to the liv - ing _

21. God! God!

D.S. al Coda

I Will Glory in My Redeemer

Words and Music by
Steve & Vicki Cook

C G Am F C G

Am F C G Am C/E

1. I will glo - ry in _ my Re - deem - er whose price - less
2. I will glo - ry in _ my Re - deem - er My life he
3. I will glo - ry in _ my Re - deem - er who car - ries

F C/E G C F G

blood has ran - somed me. Mine was the sin that drove the
bought, my love he owns. I have no long - ings for an -
me on ea - gle's wings. He crowns my life with lov - ing

Am G F C/E G C Dm7 C/E

bit - ter _ nails and hung him on that _ judg - ment tree.
oth - er. I'm sat - is - fied in him a - lone. I will
kind - ness, his tri - umph song I'll _ ev - er sing.

F Gsus C C/B Am F

glo - ry in my Re - deem - er, who crushed the pow'r of sin and
his faith - ful - ness my stand - ing
who waits for me at gates of

Gsus G C/E F Gsus C D

death; my on - ly Sav - ior be - fore the Ho - ly Judge, the
place Though foes are migh - ty and rush up - on _ me, my
gold. And when he calls me it will be par - a - dise, his

Am G Fmaj7 G Am G C G

Lamb who is my _right - eous-ness, the Lamb who is my _right - eous-ness.
feet are firm, held by his grace. My feet are firm, held _ by his grace.
face for - ev - er _ to be - hold, his face for - ev - er _ to be - hold.

Am F C G Am F C

last time

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This Week at FPCC

Sunday, February 4

8:30 AM	Early Worship Service	Sanctuary
9:45 AM	Sunday School	
10:55 AM	Fellowship Worship Service	Fellowship Hall
	Late Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:15 PM	Coffee/Coke Fellowship	Library/Lounge
	Flower Arranging/Delivery	Nell Davis
3:00 PM	MS Girls Small Group	
6:00 PM	Youth Super Bowl Party	Student Center

Monday, February 5

10:00 AM	Women's Prayer Time	Session Room
3:30 PM	English Conversation Class	Student Center
6:00 PM	Instrumental Ensemble	Choir Room
7:00 PM	Handbell Rehearsal	SS 208

Tuesday, February 6

9:30 AM	Precept Bible Study	Tower 402/3
	Women of the Covenant	Poindexter
9:45 AM	GAP Bible Study	Junior Dept.
12:00 PM	Beatitude Living	Tower 404
5:45 PM	Fireside Dinner	Nell Davis
6:30 PM	Fireside Bible Study	

Wednesday, February 7

9:30 AM	M.O.P.S.	Nell Davis
3:15 PM	English Conversation Class	Student Center
4:30 PM	Deacon-on-Call Appts.	Deacon Office
	World Missions Prayer Time	Tower 404
5:30 PM	Fellowship Meal	Fellowship Hall
	<i>(Homemade Chili & Nathan's Hotdogs. Crustables meal available for 6 & under.)</i>	
6:15 PM	Midweek Ministry	Various
	Children's Activites	Junior Dept.
	Prayer Service	Poindexter
	Rapha Fellowship Classes	Tower 3rd Floor
	Youth Group	Student Center
6:25 PM	Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room

Thursday, February 8

10:30 PM	It's a Wonderful Life!	Fellowship Hall
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Friday, February 9

8:30 AM	Salvation Army Ministry	
12:00 PM	Card-E-Ology	Tower 10 th Floor
6:30 PM	First Friends	Student Center

Saturday, February 10

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