

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 11, 2018

Prelude Instrumental Ensemble
"How Deep the Father's Love for Us" arr. by Rathbone

Preparing Our Hearts and Minds for Worship
Vocal Quartet and Instrumental Ensemble
*Adult Choir and Instrumental Ensemble
"If My People" by Joseph Martin, orch. by Brant Adams

†Call to Worship (*To be read in unison*) Rev. Robert Row
Matthew 21:13a
[Jesus] said to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer.'"

†Hymns
"The 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.
No. 32
"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"
bulletin
"Lion of Judah"

Affirmation of Faith (*To be read responsively*) Rev. Robert Row
New City Catechism Q&A #24
Leader: Why was it necessary for Christ, the Redeemer, to die?
People: Since death is the punishment for sin, Christ died willingly in our place to deliver us from the power and penalty of sin and bring us back to God. By His substitutionary atoning death, He alone redeems us from hell and gains for us forgiveness of sin, righteousness, and everlasting life.
All: And you, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, He has now reconciled in His body of flesh by His death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before Him. – Colossians 1:21–22

Confession of Sin (*To be read responsively*) Rev. Robert Row
Exodus 20, Matthew 4, 5, 15, 22, Luke 6, John 14, Hebrews 4

Leader: Jesus said, "Do not think I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them." The First Commandment: You shall have no other gods before Me.

People: Jesus said to them, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind."

Leader: The Second Commandment: You shall not make for yourself a carved image. You shall not bow down to them or serve them.

People: Jesus said to him, "Be gone Satan! For it is written, 'you shall worship the Lord your God and Him only shall you serve.'"

Leader: The Third Commandment: You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.

People: Jesus said, "You hypocrites! Well did Isaiah prophesy of you, when he said: 'This people honors Me with their lips, but their heart is far from Me; in vain do they worship Me, teaching as doctrines the commandments of men.'"

Leader: The Fourth Commandment: Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.

People: Jesus said to them, "The Son of Man is Lord of the Sabbath." So then, there remains a Sabbath rest for the people of God. Jesus said, "If you love Me, you will keep My Commandments."

Prayer of Assurance & for God's People Rev. Robert Row

Offertory Vocal Quartet and Instrumental Ensemble
*Adult Choir and Instrumental Ensemble
"Home" by Heather Sorenson

Every heart without a home, every widow left alone, every soul that is distressed: there is rest. Every prayer that has no voice or the freedom to rejoice, from the darkness be released: there is peace.

There is peace, there is rest, there is hope for the broken, there is help for the weak. There is peace, there is rest, and the arms of God will hold you all the way.

Every sinner who's confessed, but in guilt is still oppressed by the sin that's been erased: there is grace. When the father's walked away, and the mother's left to pray, when the child has been disowned, welcome home.

Welcome home, welcome home. Your sins have been forgiven, your stains washed away. Welcome home, welcome home, and the arms of God will lead you all the way. Welcome home, welcome home, all your stains washed away! Welcome home, welcome home, you'll be led all the way.

Every prisoner bound in chains seeking freedom from the shame, Jesus in forgiveness says to come on home.

Come on home, come on home, and the arms of God will guide you all the way. Every heart without a home, every widow left alone, rise on strength that's not your own, and welcome home.

†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. 731

†Scripture Reading Rev. Joe Novenson
Hosea 2:1-3:5 (pp. 751-752 in pew Bible)

Sermon Rev. Joe Novenson
"God's Love Song:
God Shows Us Who We Have Become and Shapes Us by How He Redeems"

†Closing Hymn No. 708 (vv. 1,4)
"O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go"

†The Benediction Rev. Joe Novenson

Postlude Judy Glass
"Toccata in F" by Buxtehude

†The Congregation will please stand.

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in appreciation of the Pastoral Staff and their families. (Flowers will be arranged and delivered today following the late worship service by the Adult Choir.)

Announcement sheets are available at the entrances or www.FPCChatt.com.

Lion Of Judah

Lion Of Judah - 2

Words and Music by
Robin Mark

INTRO

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B \flat E \flat

1. You're the
2. There's a

VERSE

3 B \flat E \flat B \flat

Li - on of Ju - dah, the Lamb who was slain, You as - cend - ed to heav - en and
shield in our hand and a sword at our side, there's a fire in our spir - its that

6 E \flat F B \flat

ev - er more will reign; At the end of the age when the
can - not be de - nied; Cause the Fa - ther has told us, for

8 E \flat B \flat F

earth You re - claim, You will gath - er the na - tions be - fore You. And the
these You have died, for the na - tions who gath - er be - fore You. And the

11 E \flat

eyes of all men will be fixed on the Lamb who was cru - ci -
ears of all men need to hear of the Lamb who was cru - ci -

14 F

-fied; With wis - dom and mer - cy and jus - tice You'll reign at Your
-fied; Who des - cend - ed to hell, yet was raised up to reign at His

CHORUS

17 E \flat F B \flat E \flat B \flat

Fa - thers side. And the an - gels will cry, "Hail the
Fa - thers side.

21 F B \flat E \flat B \flat

Lamb who was slain for the world, rule in

25 F B \flat E \flat B \flat

pow'r." And the earth will re - ply, "You shall

29 F

reign as the

31 B \flat E \flat B \flat /D F/C B \flat

King of all kings and the Lord of all lords."

This Week at FPCC

Sunday, February 11

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
6:00 PM	High School Small Group	

Monday, February 12

9:30 AM	Women's Prayer Time	Session Room
10:00 AM	Women's Monday Morning Bible Study	
3:30 PM	English Conversation Class	Student Center
4:30 PM	Adult Enrichment Meeting	Tower 403
6:00 PM	Instrumental Ensemble	Choir Room
7:00 PM	Handbell Rehearsal	SS 208

Tuesday, February 13

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 14

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>(Beef Brisket. Crustables meal available for 6 & under.)</i>	
6:15 PM	Midweek Ministry	Various
	Children's Activities	Junior Dept.
	Prayer Service	Poindexter
	Rapha Fellowship Classes	Tower 3rd Floor
	Youth Group	Student Center
6:25 PM	Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room

Thursday, February 15

11:30 AM	MTW Luncheon	Fellowship Hall
	<i>Reservations required.</i>	

Friday, February 16

8:30 AM	Salvation Army Ministry	
12:00 PM	Card-E-Ology	Tower 10 th Floor

Saturday, February 17

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